

RURAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDING SUMMARY-- MEETING #2

The 77th Texas Legislature passed House Bill 2604 in 2001, establishing the Rural Volunteer Fire Department Assistance Program. The program assists volunteer fire departments with the purchase of equipment and training. Beginning September 1, 2014, grant funds are set at approximately \$12.8 million annually.

The Texas A&M Forest Service conducted the second Funding Meeting for fiscal year 2015 on March 11, 2015. During this meeting, approximately \$1.4 million in grants were awarded to Texas volunteer fire departments.

All departments awarded a grant at this meeting will receive official written notice of approval. Approval letters were emailed to each department on 3/11/15, and will be mailed to non-responding departments on 3/20/15. Any applications for assistance not approved at this meeting will automatically roll forward and will be reviewed at future Funding Meetings.

The next Funding Meeting is scheduled for August 5, 2015.

Funding Meeting Approvals:

#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
1	ALEDO FD INC	PARKER	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
2	ANGLETON VOL FF ASSN	BRAZORIA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 4,800.00
3	ARCHER CITY VFD	ARCHER	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
4	BAIRD V F D	CALLAHAN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
5	BALLINGER VFD	RUNNELS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,750.00
6	BALLINGER VFD	RUNNELS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
7	BASTROP FD	BASTROP	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
8	BASTROP FD	BASTROP	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
9	BAY CITY VFD	MATAGORDA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
10	BELLEVUE VFD	CLAY	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
11	BEN BOLT VFD	JIM WELLS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
12	BERTRAM VFD	BURNET	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 11,925.00



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13	BIG LAKE V F D	REAGAN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
14	BONO VFD	JOHNSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
15	BOYD FIRE RESCUE	WISE	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
16	BRANCH VFD	COLLIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
18	BRISTOL V F D	ELLIS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
19	BRYSON VFD	JACK	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
20	C-5 VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT INC	BOWIE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
21	CADDO TEXAS VFD	STEPHENS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,750.00
22	CADDO TEXAS VFD	STEPHENS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
23	CAMERON GARDENS V F D	WICHITA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,500.00
24	CASH FD	HUNT	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
25	CASSIE VFD	BURNET	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 6,792.00
26	CELINA FD	COLLIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
27	CELINA FD	COLLIN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
28	CENTER HILL VFD	CASS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
29	CENTERVILLE V F D	LEON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
30	CENTRAL COMMUNITY VFD	PARKER	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 10,148.00
31	CHILDRESS V F D	CHILDRESS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
32	CISCO VFD	EASTLAND	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
33	CITY OF ITASCA VFD	HILL	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
34	CITY OF ITASCA VFD	HILL	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
35	CITY OF PELICAN BAY VOLUNTEER FIRE RESCUE	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
36	CLINT FD	EL PASO	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00



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37	COFFEE CITY V F D	HENDERSON	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
38	COLUMBIA LAKES VFD	BRAZORIA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
39	COLUMBIA LAKES VFD	BRAZORIA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 3,022.00
40	COLUMBUS VFD	COLORADO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
41	COMBINE FD	KAUFMAN	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
42	COOLIDGE V F D	LIMESTONE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,000.00
43	COUNTY ROAD #143 VFD	BRAZORIA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
44	COUNTY ROAD #143 VFD	BRAZORIA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
45	CRIMS CHAPEL VFD	RUSK	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
46	DCBE/ACTON VFD	HOOD	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
47	DESDEMONA VFD	EASTLAND	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
48	EAGLE MOUNTAIN VFD	TARRANT	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
49	EAST LEON COUNTY VFD	LEON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
50	EDEN VFD	CONCHO	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
51	EDGECLIFF VILLAGE FD	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
52	EDGECLIFF VILLAGE FD	TARRANT	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
53	EDNA VFD	JACKSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
54	EDNA VFD	JACKSON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
55	EWELL VFD	UPSHUR	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,000.00
56	FAIRMOUNT VFD	SABINE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
57	FALFURRIAS VFD	BROOKS	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 7,200.00
58	FERRIS VFD	ELLIS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
59	FERRIS VFD	ELLIS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00



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#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	AMOUNT
60	FIVE STAR V F D, INC	TITUS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
61	FLATONIA FIRE & RESCUE	FAYETTE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
62	FRIBERG-COOPER VFD	WICHITA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
63	FRIBERG-COOPER VFD	WICHITA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
64	GEORGE WEST V F D	LIVE OAK	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
65	GILMER VFD	UPSHUR	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
66	GONZALES F D	GONZALES	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
67	GREENWOOD RURAL VFD	PARKER	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 7,575.00
68	GREENWOOD VFD	MIDLAND	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
69	GREY FOREST AREA VFD	BEXAR	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
70	GROOM V F D	CARSON	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
71	HALE CENTER VFD	HALE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 1,310.00
72	HALE CENTER VFD	HALE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 617.00
73	HALLETTSVILLE VFD	LAVACA	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
74	HARDIN V F D	LIBERTY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
75	HARLETON VFD	HARRISON	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
76	HARTLEY VFD	HARTLEY	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
77	HENRIETTA VFD	CLAY	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
78	HOLLAND VOLUNTEER FIRE CORP	BELL	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 5,738.00
79	HOOD COUNTY VFD STATION #70 VFD	HOOD	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 600.00
80	HUBBARD CREEK VFD	STEPHENS	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 14,175.00
81	INDIAN CREEK VFD	COOKE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
82	INEZ FIRE COMPANY	VICTORIA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00



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83	IOWA COLONY VFD	BRAZORIA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 7,650.00
84	IOWA COLONY VFD	BRAZORIA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 7,650.00
85	IREDELL VFD	BOSQUE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
86	IRION COUNTY/MERTZON STATION VFD	IRION	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
87	IVANHOE VFD	TYLER	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
88	JACKSBORO V F D	JACK	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,600.00
89	JEFFERSON CO WATER DIST #10 VFD	JEFFERSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
90	KIRVIN COMMUNITY V F D	FREESTONE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
91	KRUM VFD	DENTON	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 13,484.00
92	LAKE BROWNWOOD V F D	BROWN	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
93	LAKE KICKAPOO V F D	ARCHER	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
94	LAKE WORTH FD	TARRANT	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
95	LAKE WORTH FD	TARRANT	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 4,829.00
96	LAKESHORE V F D	BANDERA	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
97	LARUE-NEW YORK VFD	HENDERSON	TRUCK CHASSIS LARGE	\$ 90,000.00
98	LEROY VFD	MCLENNAN	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 10,769.00
99	LIBERTY CHAPEL VFD	JOHNSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
100	LINDSAY VFD	COOKE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
101	LONE OAK TEXAS FD INC	HUNT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
102	LONE OAK TEXAS FD INC	HUNT	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
103	MARTINDALE VFD	CALDWELL	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 6,916.00
104	MCMAHAN VFD	CALDWELL	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
105	MEADOW V F D	TERRY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 1,300.00



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106	MEADOW V F D	TERRY	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
107	MERKEL VFD	TAYLOR	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
108	MID-COUNTY V F D	CALDWELL	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
109	MORGAN MILL VFD	ERATH	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
110	MORGANS POINT RESORT V F D	BELL	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,535.00
111	MUENSTER V F D	СООКЕ	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
112	MURCHISON VFD	HENDERSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
113	NEVADA VFD	COLLIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,000.00
114	NEVADA VFD	COLLIN	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 4,500.00
115	NEVADA VFD	COLLIN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
116	NEW DEAL VFD	LUBBOCK	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
117	NEW LONDON V F D	RUSK	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
118	NEW LONDON V F D	RUSK	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 4,050.00
119	NEW LONDON V F D	RUSK	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 2,808.00
120	NEW WAVERLY VFD	WALKER	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
121	NUECES JIM WELLS CO ESD #5	NUECES	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
122	NUECES JIM WELLS CO ESD #5	NUECES	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
123	ORE CITY VFD	UPSHUR	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
124	OVERTON VFD	RUSK	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 514.00
125	PAYNE SPRINGS VFD	HENDERSON	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
126	PLACEDO V F D	VICTORIA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
127	PLEASANT GROVE VFD	BOWIE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
128	PLEASANT GROVE VFD	BOWIE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00



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129	PONDER VFD	DENTON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 6,750.00
130	PORT LAVACA VFD	CALHOUN	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
131	POSSUM KINGDOM WESTSIDE VFD	PALO PINTO	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
132	POSSUM KINGDOM WESTSIDE VFD	PALO PINTO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,000.00
133	POSSUM KINGDOM WESTSIDE VFD	PALO PINTO	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
134	PRIMROSE V F D	ATASCOSA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
135	PRIMROSE V F D	ATASCOSA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
136	PROMONTORY PARK VFD	COMANCHE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
137	RANDALL COUNTY FD	RANDALL	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 7,324.00
138	RHOME VFD	WISE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 793.00
139	RICHLAND SPRINGS VFD	SAN SABA	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
140	RISING STAR VFD	EASTLAND	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 4,150.00
141	ROBERT LEE VFD	COKE	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
142	ROBY VFD	FISHER	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
143	ROCHESTER V F D	HASKELL	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 500.00
144	ROSSVILLE VFD	ATASCOSA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
145	ROUND MOUNTAIN VFD	BLANCO	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
146	ROUND MOUNTAIN VFD	BLANCO	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
147	SAINT HEDWIG VFD	BEXAR	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 7,125.00
148	SAINT HEDWIG VFD	BEXAR	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 6,450.00
149	SAINT JO VFD	MONTAGUE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
150	SCENIC LOOP VFD	POLK	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 12,300.00
151	SIMPSONVILLE V F D	UPSHUR	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00



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152	SLATON VFD	LUBBOCK	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
153	SOMERSET VFD	BEXAR	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
154	SOMERVELL CO FIRE DEPT.	SOMERVELL	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
155	SOUTH ECTOR CO V F D	ECTOR	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
156	SOUTH ECTOR CO V F D	ECTOR	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
157	SOUTH NEWTON CO ESD #1	NEWTON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
158	SOUTHWEST BELL COUNTY V F	BELL	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
159	SPURGER VFD	TYLER	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 8,288.00
160	STONEWALL V F D	GILLESPIE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,370.00
161	TAYLOR VFD	WILLIAMSON	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
162	TERRELL VFD	KAUFMAN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
163	THORNTON V F D	LIMESTONE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
164	THORNTON V F D	LIMESTONE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
165	TROUT CREEK VFD	NEWTON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
166	TROUT CREEK VFD	NEWTON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
167	TROY VFD	BELL	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
168	TURTLE CREEK V F D	KERR	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
169	VAN ALSTYNE VFD	GRAYSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,370.00
170	VAN ZANDT-MIDWAY VFD	VAN ZANDT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
171	VAN ZANDT-MIDWAY VFD	VAN ZANDT	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
172	VICTORIA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT	VICTORIA	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
173	VOTAW-THICKET VFD	HARDIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 4,000.00
174	VOTAW-THICKET VFD	HARDIN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00



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175	WASKOM VFD	HARRISON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,535.00
176	WEST VFD	MCLENNAN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
177	WEST CARLISLE VFD	LUBBOCK	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
178	WESTMINSTER VFD	COLLIN	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 7,688.00
179	WILLIAMSON COUNTY ESD #5	WILLIAMSON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
180	WILLOW PARK FIRE RESCUE DEPT	PARKER	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 3,324.00
181	WILLOW PARK FIRE RESCUE DEPT	PARKER	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 3,204.00
182	WOODVILLE VFD	TYLER	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00