

Rural Volunteer Fire Department Assistance Program Funding Summary - FY 24 Meeting #3

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.

The Texas A&M Forest Service conducted the third Funding Meeting for Fiscal Year 2024 on August 16, 2024. During this meeting, approximately \$888,000 in grants was awarded to Texas volunteer fire departments.

All departments awarded a grant at this meeting have received official written notice of approval. Approvals were emailed to each department on August 16, 2024 with application statuses also updated in FireConnect. Follow up notifications will be mailed to non-responding departments on August 23, 2024. 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 tentatively scheduled for October 16, 2024.

Final Approvals:

#	oprovals: VFD	County	Equipment Category	Award Amount
1	Ables Springs Fire Dept	Kaufman	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
2	Alabama-Coushatta Indian Nation	Polk	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
3	Alpine Volunteer Fire Department	Brewster	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
4	Bluff Dale VFD	Erath	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
5	Brock-Dennis VFD	Parker	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
6	Caddo Mills Volunteer Fire Department	Hunt	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
7	Cisco Fire Department	Eastland	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
8	Coke / Pleasant Grove VFD	Wood	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
9	Coldspring Volunteer Fire Department	San Jacinto	Dry Hydrant	\$ 8,400.0
10	Cove Fire & Rescue	Chambers	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
11	Crockett FD	Houston	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
12	Cunningham VFD	Lamar	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
13	Devine Vol. Fire & Rescue	Medina	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
14	D-Hanis VFD	Medina	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
15	Dickens Volunteer Fire Department	Dickens	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
16	Doss VFD	Gillespie	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
17	Douglass VFD	Nacogdoches	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
18	Dove Creek Volunteer Fire Department	Tom Green	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
19	Eldorado Vol. Fire Dept.	Schleicher	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
20	Flat Volunteer Fire Department	Coryell	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
21	Floydada Volunteer Fire Department	Floyd	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
22	Fritch VFD	Hutchinson	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
23	Granbury VFD	Hood	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
24	Greenwood / Slidell VFD	Wise	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
25	Hainesville VFD	Wood	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
26	Henrietta VFD	Clay	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
27	Hubbard Creek VFD	Stephens	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
28	Jasper County Tri-Community VFD	Jasper	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
29	Johnson City VFD	Blanco	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
30	Kamay VFD	Wichita	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
31	Kempner VFD Inc.	Lampasas	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
32	La Joya VFD	Hidalgo	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
33	Laneville VFD	Rusk	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
34	Leroy Volunteer Fire Department, Inc	McLennan	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
35	May VFD	Brown	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
36	Medina VFD	Bandera	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
37	Mereta Volunteer Fire Dept.	Tom Green	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
38	Miami/Roberts County VFD	Roberts	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
39	Midway VFD	Madison	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 20,000.0
40	Moss Lake VFD, Inc.	Cooke	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
41	New Mountain VFD	Upshur	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.0
42	Nocona Rural VFD	Montague	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 20,000.0

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43	Northeast Burnet Co. Fire/Rescue	Burnet	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
44	Nueces Canyon VFD	Real	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$	20,000.00
45	Possum Kingdom VFD	Palo Pinto	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00
46	Ranger VFD	Eastland	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
47	Roganville VFD	Jasper	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00
48	Sadler VFD	Grayson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
49	Selden VFD	Erath	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
50	Seminole Fire Department	Gaines	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
51	Simms District VFD	Bowie	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00
52	Snyder Volunteer Fire Dept.	Scurry	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00
53	Toledo Bend VFD	Newton	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00
54	Troup Volunteer Fire Department	Smith	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
55	Tulia Volunteer Fire Dept.	Swisher	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$	20,000.00
56	Willow City VFD	Gillespie	Personal Protective Equipment	\$	20,000.00
57	Zapata County Fire Department	Zapata	Training Aids	\$	10,000.00