

RURAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM

FUNDING SUMMARY for JULY - AUGUST 2007

The 77th Texas Legislature passed House Bill 3667 in 2001, creating the Rural Volunteer Fire Department Insurance Program. The program reimburses eligible volunteer fire departments for the purchase of workers' compensation insurance, death insurance, and disability insurance. Funds for the program are derived from a 2% tax on the retail sale of fireworks.

The Texas Forest Service is presently conducting open enrollment for the program. The departments listed below were approved for a maximum reimbursement grant of \$75.00 per firefighter, not to exceed their total cost of coverage. Each department will receive an individual Letter of Approval confirming the grant.

Grant funds are still available under this program. Qualified volunteer fire departments are encouraged to apply. Applications will be approved and funded on a first come-first served basis until all remaining grant funds are allocated. The deadline for applying is August 31, 2007.

July – August 2007 approvals:

	Department Name	County	Maximum Approval Amount
1	BAYOU VISTA VFD	GALVESTON	\$ 1,800.00
2	BEN WHEELER F D	VAN ZANDT	\$ 1,350.00
3	BOONSVILLLE/BALSORA VFD	WISE	\$ 1,875.00
4	BRAZOS CO PCT 4	BRAZOS	\$ 1,875.00
5	BROADDUS V F D	SAN AUGUSTINE	\$ 1,650.00
6	CLIFTON V F D	BOSQUE	\$ 2,325.00
7	COLLINSVILLE V F D	GRAYSON	\$ 1,350.00
8	CORYELL CITY OSAGE VFD	CORYELL	\$ 1,275.00
9	DANBURY V F D	BRAZORIA	\$ 3,000.00
10	EAST CONCHO V F D	TOM GREEN	\$ 1,350.00
11	EAST LAKE BUCHANAN VFD	BURNET	\$ 1,500.00
12	EULA V F D	CALLAHAN	\$ 1,125.00

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13	HEART OF THE PINES VFD	BASTROP	\$ 1,950.00
14	HOLLY LAKE V F D	WOOD	\$ 1,950.00
15	HOPEWELL V F D	LAMAR	\$ 2,100.00
16	INGLESIDE VFD	SAN PARTICIO	\$ 2,625.00
17	LA VILLA V F D	HIDALGO	\$ 1,050.00
18	LARUE-NEW YORK VFD	HOUSTON	\$ 1,650.00
19	LORENA V F D	MCLENNAN	\$ 2,100.00
20	MAGNOLIA V F D	MONTGOMERY	\$ 11,925.00
21	OAKHURST V F D	SAN JACINTO	\$ 1,500.00
22	PENDLETON HARBOR V F D	SABINE	\$ 1,725.00
23	PLEASANT GROVE V F D	BOWIE	\$ 1,800.00
24	POINT BLANK V F D	SAN JACINTO	\$ 1,350.00
25	ROSHARON VFD	BRAZORIA	\$ 1,050.00
26	SHEPHERD V F D	SAN JACINTO	\$ 2,550.00
27	TRINIDAD V F D	HENDERSON	\$ 1,725.00
28	VALLEY SPRING V F D	LLANO	\$ 1,500.00
28	WESTWORTH VILLAGE V F D	TARRANT	\$ 2,250.00
30	WHITESBORO V F D	GRAYSON	\$ 2,250.00
31	WILMER FD	DALLAS	\$ 1,725.00
32	YOAKUM VFD	LAVACA	\$ 2,475.00