



**Rural Volunteer Fire Department Assistance Program  
Funding Summary - FY 21 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. Beginning September 1, 2020, grant funds are set at approximately \$16,123,818 million which includes a 5% reduction that was enacted by the Texas State Legislature.

The Texas A&M Forest Service conducted the third Funding Meeting for Fiscal Year 2021 on August 18, 2021. During this meeting, approximately \$2.1 million in grants was 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 August 19, 2021, and will be mailed to non-responding departments on September 3, 2021. 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 13, 2021.

**Final Approvals:**

#	VFD	County	Equipment Category	Allowable Amount
1	Aransas Pass FD	San Patricio	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
2	Arrowhead Ranch Estates VFD	Clay	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$17,999.00
3	Bastrop County ESD #2	Bastrop	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
4	Bay City VFD Inc.	Matagorda	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
5	Bear Creek VFD Inc.	San Jacinto	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
6	Bellevue VFD	Clay	Personal Protective Equipment	\$14,850.00
7	Ben Bolt Volunteer Fire Department	Jim Wells	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
8	Black Jack VFD (Burlson Co)	Burlson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$7,633.00
9	Blue Branch VFD Inc.	Lee	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
10	Blue Ridge VFD	Collin	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$17,570.00
11	Boonsville-Balsora VFD	Wise	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
12	Branch Volunteer Fire Department	Collin	Training Aids	\$7,000.00
13	Caldwell Fire & Rescue	Burlson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
14	Cameron Gardens VFD, Inc.	Wichita	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
15	Center Hill Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Cass	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
16	Central Bell County Fire Rescue Inc.	Bell	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
17	Channing VFD & EMS	Hartley	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
18	Charlotte Volunteer Fire Department	Atascosa	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$19,500.00
19	Childress Fire Department	Childress	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
20	Christine Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Atascosa	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
21	City of Poth VFD	Wilson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
22	Claude VFD	Armstrong	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
23	Cottondale VFD, Inc.	Wise	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
24	Cottonwood Shores VFD, Inc	Burnet	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
25	Coupland Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Williamson	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$16,220.00
26	Crafton VFD, Inc.	Wise	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
27	Crims Chapel VFD, Inc.	Rusk	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
28	Cuthand Community VFD	Red River	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$14,900.00
29	Dalhart VFD	Dallam	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
30	Diana Volunteer Fire Department	Upshur	Truck Chassis Small	\$50,000.00
31	Diana Volunteer Fire Department	Upshur	Slip-On Unit	\$20,000.00
32	Edgewood VFD	Van Zandt	Truck Chassis Large	\$90,000.00
33	Edgewood VFD	Van Zandt	Slip-On Unit	\$20,000.00
34	Elsa VFD	Hidalgo	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
35	Era VFD Inc.	Cooke	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
36	Erath County Volunteer Fire Department	Erath	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
37	Florence VFD (Williamson Co ESD # 7)	Williamson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$9,543.00
38	Floresville VFD (Wilson Co ESD # 5)	Wilson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
39	Forestburg VFD	Montague	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00

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40	Frelsburg VFD	Colorado	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
41	Garrett Area Rural VFD	Ellis	Personal Protective Equipment	\$9,000.00
42	Gay-Mound-Cedar Hill Volunteer Fire Department	Washington	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
43	Geronimo VFD, Inc.	Guadalupe	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
44	Groveton Fire Department Association	Trinity	Personal Protective Equipment	\$11,250.00
45	Hankamer Volunteer Fire Department	Chambers	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
46	Hidalgo Fire/EMS Dept.	Hidalgo	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
47	Howard County Volunteer Fire Department	Howard	Truck Chassis Large	\$90,000.00
48	Howard County Volunteer Fire Department	Howard	Slip-On Unit	\$20,000.00
49	Jackson Co. ESD # 3 (Edna VFD)	Jackson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
50	Jefferson Co ESD 4	Jefferson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
51	Jefferson VFD	Marion	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
52	Jenkins Volunteer Fire Department	Morris	Personal Protective Equipment	\$5,199.00
53	Karnes City VFD Inc	Karnes	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
54	Kermit VFD Inc.	Winkler	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
55	Kirbyville VFD	Jasper	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$18,500.00
56	Kosse VFD	Limestone	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
57	Kress Volunteer Fire Dept Inc.	Swisher	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
58	Lake Arrowhead VFD, Inc.	Clay	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
59	Lake Nacogdoches Area Volunteer Fire Department	Nacogdoches	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
60	Lakeview Volunteer Fire Department	Hill	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
61	Lamar VFD, Inc.	Aransas	Personal Protective Equipment	\$8,640.00
62	Latium-Wesley-Greenvine Volunteer Fire Dept Inc.	Washington	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$14,000.00
63	League City Volunteer Fire Department	Galveston	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
64	Levita Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Coryell	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
65	Lingleville Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Erath	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$19,875.00
66	Log Cabin Volunteer Fire Department	Henderson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
67	Loraine Volunteer Fire Dept	Mitchell	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
68	Lorenzo Volunteer Fire Dept	Crosby	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
69	Magnolia Beach VFD	Calhoun	Training Aids	\$6,535.00
70	Malone VFD	Hill	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$16,250.00
71	Manvel VFD	Brazoria	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
72	Meadow VFD	Terry	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
73	Megargel Volunteer Fire Dept	Archer	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
74	Montague VFD	Montague	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
75	Moro VFFA	Taylor	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,478.00
76	Mt Calm Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Hill	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
77	Muldoon VFD, Inc.	Fayette	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
78	Nevada VFD	Collin	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
79	New Deal Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Lubbock	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
80	North 19 Fire Rescue	Henderson	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$12,500.00
81	O'Donnell Volunteer Fire Dept	Lynn	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$15,000.00
82	Orange County Emergency Service District #1	Orange	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
83	Paisano FD Inc.	Atascosa	Training Aids	\$500.00
84	Palmview VFD	Hidalgo	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$16,250.00
85	Papalote Volunteer Fire Department	Bee	Personal Protective Equipment	\$8,955.00
86	Parker VFD, Inc.	Collin	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
87	Pecan Creek Volunteer Fire Department	Tom Green	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
88	Penitas Volunteer Fire Department	Hidalgo	Training Aids	\$8,000.00
89	Perryville VFD Inc.	Wood	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
90	Possum Kingdom Lake VF & Ambulance Serv.	Palo Pinto	Personal Protective Equipment	\$14,400.00
91	Post VFD	Garza	Personal Protective Equipment	\$6,750.00
92	Potter Co Fire - Rescue	Potter	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
93	Quanah VFD	Hardeman	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
94	Raisin Volunteer Fire Department	Victoria	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
95	Reagan County Fire & EMS	Reagan	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
96	Red Springs VFD	Smith	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
97	Rendon VFD	Tarrant	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
98	Rio Vista VFD	Johnson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
99	Roxton VFD	Lamar	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
100	Rule Volunteer Fire Department	Haskell	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
101	Sabine Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Gregg	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
102	Salt Creek Rural VFD Co.-(Young Co. Station)	Young	Truck Chassis Large	\$90,000.00

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103	Salt Creek Rural VFD Co.-(Young Co. Station)	Young	Slip-On Unit	\$20,000.00
104	Santo Vol Fire & EMS	Palo Pinto	Personal Protective Equipment	\$14,715.00
105	Scenic Loop VFD, Inc.	Polk	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
106	Seymour VFD	Baylor	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
107	Shepherd VFD	San Jacinto	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
108	Sisterdale VFD	Kendall	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$20,000.00
109	Sweeny Fire And Rescue	Brazoria	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
110	The Seale-Round Prairie VFD, Inc	Robertson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
111	The Volunteer Fire Department of Jones Creek Inc.	Brazoria	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
112	Trinity VFD	Trinity	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,761.00
113	Volunteer FD of Westhoff Texas	DeWitt	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$14,000.00
114	Wall Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Tom Green	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
115	Washington Texas Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Washington	Truck Chassis Large	\$90,000.00
116	Washington Texas Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Washington	Slip-On Unit	\$20,000.00
117	West Carlisle Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Lubbock	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
118	West Harrison VFD	Harrison	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
119	West Shores Volunteer Fire Department	Bosque	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
120	Weston Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Collin	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
121	White Bluff on Lake Whitney VFD	Hill	Personal Protective Equipment	\$13,500.00
122	White Deer Volunteer Fire Dept	Carson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
123	Whitesboro Fire Department	Grayson	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
124	Wingate Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Runnels	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
125	Wolfforth Fire EMS	Lubbock	Training Aids	\$10,000.00
126	Woodbury VFD, Inc.	Hill	Fire/Rescue Equipment	\$6,236.00
127	Woodville VFD	Tyler	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00
128	York Creek VFD Inc.	Guadalupe	Personal Protective Equipment	\$15,000.00