

## Rural Volunteer Fire Department Assistance Program Funding Summary - FY 25 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.

The Texas A&M Forest Service conducted the second Funding Meeting for Fiscal Year 2025 on March 5, 2025. During this meeting, approximately \$2.1 million 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 March 5, 2025 with application statuses also updated in FireConnect. Follow up notifications will be mailed to non-responding departments on March 24, 2025. 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 August 6, 2025.

## Final Approvals:

#	Fire Department	County	Equipment Category	Award Amount
1	Aledo Fire Department Inc	Parker	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
2	Bedias Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Grimes	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
3	Bells Fire Department	Grayson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
4	Bergheim Volunteer Fire Department	Kendall	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
5	Bertram Volunteer Fire Department	Burnet	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
6	Bethel Cayuga Volunteer Fire Department	Anderson	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
7	Bluff Dale Volunteer Fire Department	Erath	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
8	Bradford Volunteer Fire Department	Anderson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
9	Briar-Reno Fire Department Inc	Tarrant	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
10	Burnet Volunteer Fire Department	Burnet	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
11	Callisburg Volunteer Fire Department	Cooke	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
12	Campbell Volunteer Fire Department	Hunt	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
13	Canton Fire Department	Van Zandt	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
14	Carancahua Community Volunteer Fire Department	Jackson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
15	Chandler Volunteer Fire Department	Henderson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
16	Channing Volunteer Fire Department	Hartley	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
17	Charlie-Thornberry Volunteer Fire Department	Clay	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
18	City of Milano Volunteer Fire Department, Inc	Milam	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
19	Clyde Volunteer Fire Department	Callahan	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
20	Cooper Volunteer Fire Department	Delta	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
21	Crockett County Volunteer Fire Department	Crockett	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
22	Cypress Lakes Volunteer Fire Department	Liberty	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
23	Dodd City Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Fannin	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
24	Elkhart Volunteer Fire Department	Anderson	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
25	Flint-Gresham Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Smith	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
26	Forestburg Volunteer Fire Department	Montague	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
27	Fort Davis Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Jeff Davis	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
28	Ft. Hancock Fire Department	Hudspeth	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
29	Goliad Volunteer Fire Department	Goliad	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
30	Gordon Volunteer Fire Department	Palo Pinto	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
31	Grape Creek Volunteer Fire Department	Tom Green	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
32	Groom Volunteer Fire Department	Carson	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
33	Halfway Volunteer Fire Department	Hale	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
34	Hallettsville Volunteer Fire Department	Lavaca	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
35	Hereford Fire Department	Deaf Smith	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
36	Hico Volunteer Fire Department	Hamilton	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
37	Holliday Volunteer Fire & Rescue	Archer	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
38	Hubbard Volunteer Fire Department	Hill	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
39	Idalou Volunteer Fire Depatment	Lubbock	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
40	Iola Volunteer Fire Department	Grimes	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
41	Jonesboro Fire Department	Coryell	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
42	Kingsbury Volunteer Fire Department	Guadalupe	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000
43	Kirbyville Volunteer Fire Department	Jasper	Training Aids	\$ 10,000
44	Krum Volunteer Fire Department	Denton	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
45	La Junta Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Parker	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000
46	Lacy Lakeview Fire Department	McLennan	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000

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47	Lake Palestine East Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Cherokee	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
48	Lakeside Village Area Volunteer Fire Department	Bosque	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
49	Littlefield Fire Department	Lamb	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
50	Loco Valley Volunteer Fire Department	Nacogdoches	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
51	Marathon Volunteer Fire Department	Brewster	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
52	Marble Falls Area Volunteer Fire Department	Burnet	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
53	Markham Volunteer Fire Department	Matagorda	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
54	Mart Volunteer Fire Department	McLennan	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
55	Merkel Fire Department	Taylor	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
56	Midfield Volunteer Fire Department	Matagorda	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
57	·	Wood		\$ 25,000.00
	Mineola Volunteer Fire Department		Fire and Rescue Equipment	.,
58	Mission Valley Volunteer Fire Department	Victoria	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
59	Mobeetie Volunteer Fire Department	Wheeler	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
60	Moffat Volunteer Fire Department	Bell	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
61	Nesbitt Volunteer Fire Department	Harrison	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
62	Newcastle Volunteer Fire Department	Young	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
63	Nursery Volunteer Fire Department	Victoria	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
64	Olden Volunteer Fire Department	Eastland	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
65	Peaster Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Parker	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
66	Pendleton Harbor Volunteer Fire Department	Sabine	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
67	Peoria Volunteer Fire Department	Hill	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
68	Petersburg Volunteer Fire Department	Hale	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
69	Pinehurst Fire Department	Orange	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
70	Ponder Volunteer Fire Department	Denton	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
71	Poolville Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Parker	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
72	Port Lavaca Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Calhoun	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
73	Premont Volunteer Fire Department	Jim Wells	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
74	Punkin-Evergreen Volunteer Fire Department	San Jacinto	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
75	Riverside Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Walker	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
76	Saint Jo Volunteer Fire /EMS	Montague	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
77	Sanderson Volunteer Fire Department	Terrell	Dry Hydrant	\$ 8,400.00
78	Shallowater Fire Department	Lubbock	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
79	Shepherd Volunteer Fire Department	San Jacinto	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
80	Southside Place Fire Department	Harris	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
81	Springtown Volunteer Fire Department Inc	Parker	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
82	Steele Creek Acres Volunteer Fire Department	Bosque	Training Aids	\$ 10,000.00
83 84	Stonewall County Volunteer Fire Department Stratford Fire Department	Stonewall Sherman	Personal Protective Equipment  Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00 \$ 25,000.00
85	Sudan Fire and EMS	Lamb	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
86	Town of Darrouzett Volunteer Fire Department	Lipscomb	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
87	Trout Creek Volunteer Fire Department	Newton	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
88	Valley Mills Volunteer Fire Department	Bosque	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
89	Waskom Volunteer Fire Department/EMS Services, Inc.	Harrison	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
90	Wells Volunteer Fire Department	Cherokee	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
91	Westminster Volunteer Fire Department	Collin	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
92	Whitney Fire and Rescue	Hill	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
93	Woodville Volunteer Fire Department	Tyler	Personal Protective Equipment	\$ 25,000.00
94	Zavalla Volunteer Fire Department	Angelina	Fire and Rescue Equipment	\$ 25,000.00