## Local Project Grants announced

Could your service use a little extra funding? This year the Office of EMS/Trauma Systems Coordination received 90 eligible Local Project Grant applications. Seventy-seven project grants were approved for funding. Major projects included 18 ambulances, one AED, seven monitor-defibrillators and 23 educational projects. Emphasis was placed on grants that would upgrade the level of service available, such as AEDs, reduce response time, to improve patient care capabilities.

Next year’s Request for Proposals is expected to be published electronically in the spring of 2008. And, as usual, we will mail out a reminder just after publication. Questions? Contact Linda Reyes at (512) 834-6684, or e-mail linda.reyes@dshs.state.tx.us.

### Key:
- **Name**: City, County
- **Funding amount**: Items

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<td>Backboards; Medication Box; Adult Traction Split; Base Station 2-Way Radio; Infant/Pediatric Spine Board; Portable Suction Unit; Glucose Monitor; Pulse Oximeter; Pulse Oximeter Carry Case; Pediatric Traction Split; Stair Chair; GPS Receiver; Basic Trauma Life Support, Advanced Cardiac Life Support or Pediatric Advanced Life Support Certifications; Pediatric Advanced Life Support Certifications; Pediatric Advanced Life Support Certifications; Pediatric Education for Pre-hospital Professionals Certifications; Basic Emergency Medical Technician Course Tuition</td>
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Task Trainer; RhythmSim TV Interface and Cable; RhythmSim 6 Channel Defibrillator Trainer Arrhythmia Simulator; Adult Air Management Trainer; Pediatric Intubation Trainer; Infant Airway Management Trainer; Stretch; Advanced Venipuncture and Injection Arm

Irving, Dallas
Medcare
Swiftwater Rescue Kit; Training Projectile; Infant Vest; Child Vest; Adult Vests; Rescue Tubes

Medicare
Irving, Dallas
$3,750

Advanced Cardiac Life Support Certifications; Pediatric Education for Pre-hospital Professionals Certifications; Basic Trauma Life Support or Pre-hospital Trauma Life Support Certifications

Memorial Hospital (Nacogdoches County EMS)
Nacogdoches, Nacogdoches
$8,278
Advanced Kelly Megacode; Trauma Kelly Megacode; Advanced Kid Megacode; Trauma Pediatric Kid Megacode; VitalSim Control Units with Remote; Defibrillator Connection for Physio Control to Manikins; IV Skin and Vein Set for Megacode Kelly

Methodist Hospitals of Dallas EMS Biocare Education Department
Dallas, Dallas
$7,500
Simulation Manikin Advanced Life Support

Mineral Wells Fire/EMS
Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto
$7,500
Auto Pulse Cardiac Support Pump

North Channel Emergency Medical Services
Houston, Harris
$30,000
Ambulance Remount

North Runnels Hospital EMS
Winters, Runnels
$30,000
Ambulance Remount

Olton Volunteer Ambulance Association, Inc.
Olton, Lamb
$723
Laptop Computer

Pearland EMS
Pearland, Brazoria
$6,846
Advance Life Support Simulator; VitalSim Control Unit; Trauma Module Set

Pre-Action, Inc.
El Paso, El Paso
$10,794
Compact Suction Unit; Oxygen Cases; Pulse Oximetry Monitors; Pulse Oximetry Cases; Laptop Computer; Power Point Projector; Injectable Arm; Blood Pressure Simulator; Defibrillation Chest Skin; Otoscope/opthalmoscope Set; Spine Boards; Pediatric Immobilization Board; Rescue Vests; Traction Device; Advanced Child Birth Trainer; Larry Airway Management Trainer; Pediatric Advanced Life Support Trainer; Child Injectable Training Arm; Stair Chair; Life Size Lung Model; Full Size Skelton

Sabinal Emergency Medical Service, Inc.
Sabinal, Uvalde
$6,464
Board splint; Automated External Defibrillator Monitor Carry Case; Portable Suction Unit; Pulse Oximeter; Pulse Oximeter Carry Case; Regulator; Base Station 2-way Radio; Automated External Defibrillator Upgrade; Stretcher

St. Joseph Regional EMS
Bryan, Brazos
$35,000
Ambulance

San Jacinto County First Responders, Inc.
Point Blank, San Jacinto
$3,023
C-Collar Carry Cases; Flash Lights; Portable Suction Unit; Safety Vests; Stair Chair; Base Station 2-way Radio

Shackelford County EMS
Shackelford, Shackelford
$5,591
Stretcher; Pediatric MAST Pats; Pediatric Traction Split; Intubation Kit; Portable Pulse Oximeter; Extrication Device; CPAP Machine; Laptop Computer

Shannon AirMed 1
San Angelo, Tom Green
$11,942
Upgrade MRL Monitor; Little Anne CPR Training Manikins; Baby Anne CPR Training Manikins; Little Anne Airways; Baby Anne Airways; Little Anne Faces; Baby Anne Faces; Automated External Defibrillator Trainer; 12 Lead EKG Interpretation Classes; Cadaver Labs; Pre-hospital Trauma Life Support Certifications

South Point Vol Fire & Rescue, Inc.
Carlton, Erath
$5,739
Backboards; Cervical Collars; Kode Vest; Combi-carrier Backboard; Aluminum Breakapart Stretcher; Spider Straps; Digital Semi-automatic Blood Pressure Monitors; Med Oxygen Bag Kits; Portable Suction with Case; Oxygen Cylinders “O”; Oxygen Cylinders “E”; Pagers; Portable Radios

South Taylor EMS
Tuscosa, Taylor
$35,000
Ambulance

Southco EMS, Inc.
Southco, Jones
$35,000
Ambulance

Stephenville Fire Department
Stephenville, Erath
$7,400
M Series Cardiac Monitor

Sudan Fire Department
Sudan, Lamb
$2,679
Laptop Computer; Ceiling Mount Kit for Projector; Multimedia Projector; Projection Screen; Ceiling Speakers; Cable and Wiring

Sunray Volunteer Fire Department
Sunray, Moore
$5,756
Twin Power Unit for Extrication Tools; Spreader; Ram

Sweeny Community Hospital
Sweeny, Brazoria
$995
GPS Navigation Systems

Three Rivers Ambulance Service, Inc.
Crowell, Foard
$1,383
O Driver; 1 O Adult Infusion Sets; 1 O Infant Infusion Sets; Emergency Medical Technician-Intermediate Course Tuition; Advanced Cardiac Life Support Certifications

Trauma Service Area H - Regional Advisory Council
Lufkin, Angelina
$1,797
Oxygen Regulators

Turkey EMS
Turkey, Hall
$35,000
Ambulance

University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College
Brownsville, Cameron
$19,100
Pedi Advance Life Support Trainer; Intubation Manikins; Pulse Oximeter; Advanced Cardiac Life Support Certifications; Cadaver Anatomy Lab Certifications; Surgical Airway Lab Certifications

Val Verde Hospital District
Dei Rio, Val Verde
$2,000
Ambulance Cot

Ward Memorial EMS
Monahans, Ward
$35,000
Ambulance

Westlake Department of Public Safety
Westlake, Tarrant
$7,500
Auto Pulse Cardiac Support Pump

Willacy County EMS
Raymondville, Willacy
$30,104
Stretchers; 12 Lead Defibrillator Monitors with Trade-in; 12 Lead Defibrillator Monitor

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