

The Texas A&M University System State Grant Awards Paid From Funds Appropriated by the General Appropriations Act

House Bill 1487, 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, requires state agencies and institutions of higher education that award a state grant in an amount greater than \$25,000 from funds appropriated through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) to publish the purpose for which the grant was awarded on the agency's public website effective September 1, 2013. (Reference section 403.0245, Texas Government Code) This document provides a list of such awards for agencies included in the Texas A&M University System.

• Texas A&M Forest Service

The Texas A&M Forest Service manages fire department assistance programs which include making grants from funds appropriated in the General Appropriations Act. Details for these programs can be found on their web site, <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/staffresources/statutoryreports/>.

Additional state grant awards paid from appropriated funds, listed by agency.

Agency	Purpose of State Grant Awards
The Texas A&M University System Office	Scholarship Support to Universities that are members of the Texas A&M University System
The Texas A&M University System Office	Award funding from Texas A&M Semi-Conductor Institute Research and Development Program to Texas A&M University, Prairie View A&M, and Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station
Texas A&M AgriLife Research	Awarded to Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service to support Red Imported Fire Ant Research
Texas A&M AgriLife Research	Awarded to Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service to support Advancements in Water Resource Management
Texas A&M AgriLife Research	Awarded to Prairie View A&M University to support Ecologically Based Pasture Management Systems for East Central Texas – Fire Ant
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service	Awarded to Texas Pest Management Association for pest management activities
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service	Provide grants for county feral hog eradication projects in Texas
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service	Provide funding to support surplus agricultural products grant program serving low income students and their families