



Help America Vote Act (HAVA)

Office of the Secretary of State  
State of Texas



Grant Application for Fort Bend County

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GENERAL INFORMATION

**Purpose Area:** Polling Place Accessibility 2012

**Funding Source:** Title II section 261

**Funding Amount:** \$50,000.00

**Awarding Agencies:** US Election Commission / Texas Secretary of State

**Percentage of Funding by Awarding Agencies:** 100% Federal / 0% State

**CFDA Number:** 93.617

**Authority:** The availability of funds is authorized by Title II, Section 261 of the Help America Vote Act (HAVA), Public Law 107-252, October 29, 2002; 42

**Use Of Funds:** 1) The COUNTY may expend funds for the following purposes:a) Making pathways more accessible by building or repaving sidewalks.b) Construction or repair of ramps and threshold ramps.c) Constructing curb cuts and adding handrails.d) Establishing accessible parking spaces closer to the accessible entrance.e) Providing adequate signage showing where accessible parking and entrances are located and indicating that service animals are welcome.f) Purchasing hardware that will make it easy for persons with limited mobility or grasping ability to open doors.2) Funds used for permanent improvements such as repaving sidewalks and curb cuts may only be applied to county owned property utilized for a polling location used during a federal election.

**Grant Title:** Polling Place Accessibility 2012

**Grant Period:** August 1, 2012 - July 31, 2013

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Please read the following information:

Making Polling Places Accessible 2012

APPLICATION DETAILS

Use of funds will benefit the following (check all that apply):

- Making pathways more accessible by building or repaving sidewalks.
- Construction or repair of ramps and threshold ramps.
- Constructing curb cuts and adding handrails.
- Establishing accessible parking spaces closer to the accessible entrance.
- Providing adequate signage showing where accessible parking and entrances are located and indicating that service animals are welcome.
- Purchasing hardware that will make it easy for persons with limited mobility or grasping ability to open doors.

Other projects that improve polling place accessibility deemed reasonable and necessary by the SOS.

**Please explain:**

Establish handicap parking and safe pathway to voting place, pave and paint.

**Provide a justification that demonstrates the need for the project:**

Improvements will help eliminate hazards and improve access drive to building; several falls have occurred.

**Identify the range of coverage (e.g. one facility, multiple facilities, etc...):**

Rosenberg Annex is one of the busiest polling places in the County.

**BUDGET**

**Maximum Grant Amount:** \$50,000.00  
**Current Budget Amount:** \$0.00  
**Expended to Date:** \$0.00

Category	Description	Cumulative Expenditures	Budget
1) Contractual	Labor	\$0.00	\$50,000.00
2) Add Line Item		\$0.00	\$0.00
3) Add Line Item		\$0.00	\$0.00
4) Add Line Item		\$0.00	\$0.00
5) Add Line Item		\$0.00	\$0.00
6) Add Line Item		\$0.00	\$0.00

**Requested Budget Amount:** \$50,000.00  
**Vendor Discount:** \$0.00  
**Requested Funding:** \$50,000.00  
**Total Unallocated Funds:** \$0.00

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**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

As the duly authorized representative for the county, by submitting this budget the county accepts the terms and conditions of the grant funding.

COMMENTS

APPROVAL STATUS