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To Whom it may concern,

Northeast Fort Bend County fire department would like to respectfully request for the donation of the Fort Bend County Sheriff Department's air boat. [Capital Asset 1032340 – 2004 American Airboat 20', VIN: AMA00265L405]

Northeast Fort Bend County Fire Department is a non-profit organization (EIN 76-0095271). It was formed in 1972 for the fire protection and emergency needs of the citizens that line in the unincorporated, northeast corner of Fort Bend County.

Over the last four years, Our department has worked closely with the Fort Bend County Fire Marshal's office and the Fort Bend County Sheriff's office to provide a county wide dive and water rescue team. The airboat will be deployed in Fort Bend County to Benefit its citizen's and guests. The air Boat May be Deployed to surrounding counties if a disaster or emergency is declared but will not be operated or deployed in the Gulf of Mexico.

The formal request of the boat donation would greatly enhance our rescue response capabilities and allow for access in difficult geographical locations of non-public areas such as: river access, man-made ponds or lakes, low water crossings or areas that may be flooding due to excessive rain water or fast rising water.

In addition, this asset will be a great tool and prove to be useful in serving the citizens as a manned and ready to respond unit anywhere in the county and surrounding counties if needed.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Travis Baxter
Fire Chief
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