



Fund for Veterans' Assistance

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The Fund for Veterans' Assistance (FVA) awards **reimbursement grants** to eligible charitable organizations, local government agencies, and Veterans Service Organizations that **provide direct services** to Texas Veterans and their families.



FVA Grant Programs

- General Assistance
 - Financial assistance, transportation, family & child services, supportive services
- Housing for Texas Heroes
 - Homeless prevention, homeless support, home modification
- Veterans Mental Health
 - Clinical counseling, peer-delivered services, non-clinical support services
- Veterans Treatment Court
 - Specialty diversion court for justice-involved veterans
- Highly Rural Transportation
 - Rides to and from VA appointments



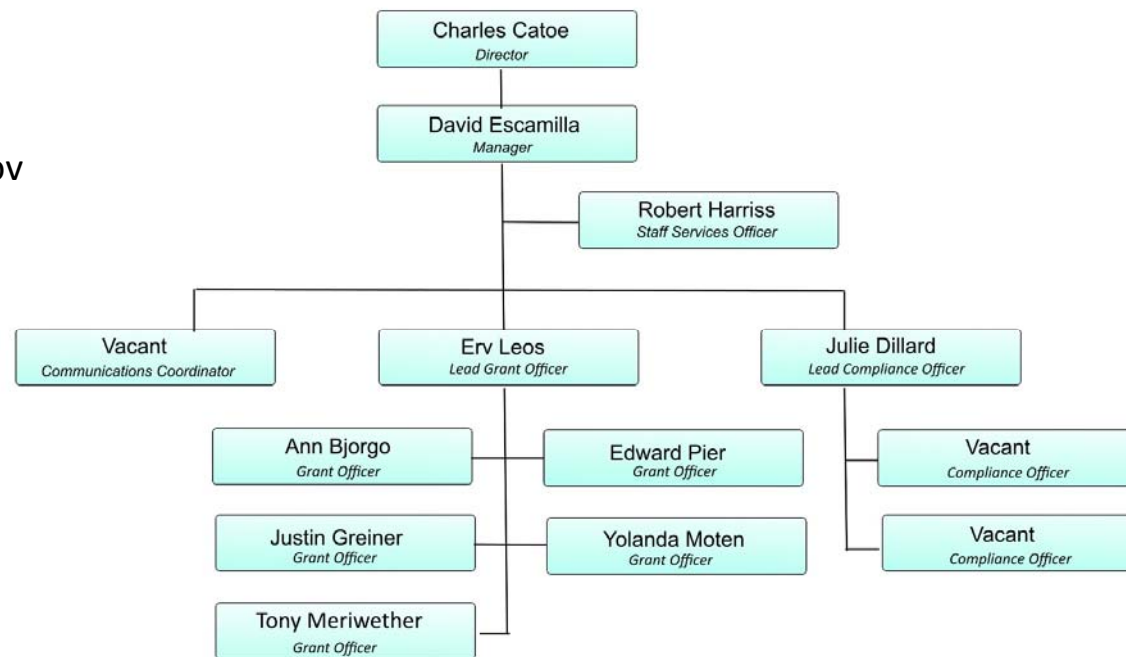
Housing 4 Texas Heroes Service Categories

- Homeless Prevention
 - At risk homeless prevention, long-term rental/mortgage assistance, case management, wrap-around services.
- Homeless Support
 - Shelter programs, transitional living, temporary housing, rapid re-housing programs
- Home Modification
 - Modification, repair, and weatherization projects can include walkways, ramps, doors, windows, flooring materials, sliding doors, handrails and grab bars, or bathroom modifications
- Assistance to families of veterans undergoing long-term treatment at Texas medical facilities
 - Temporary housing assistance to families of Veterans who are undergoing long-term treatment at a medical facility in Texas

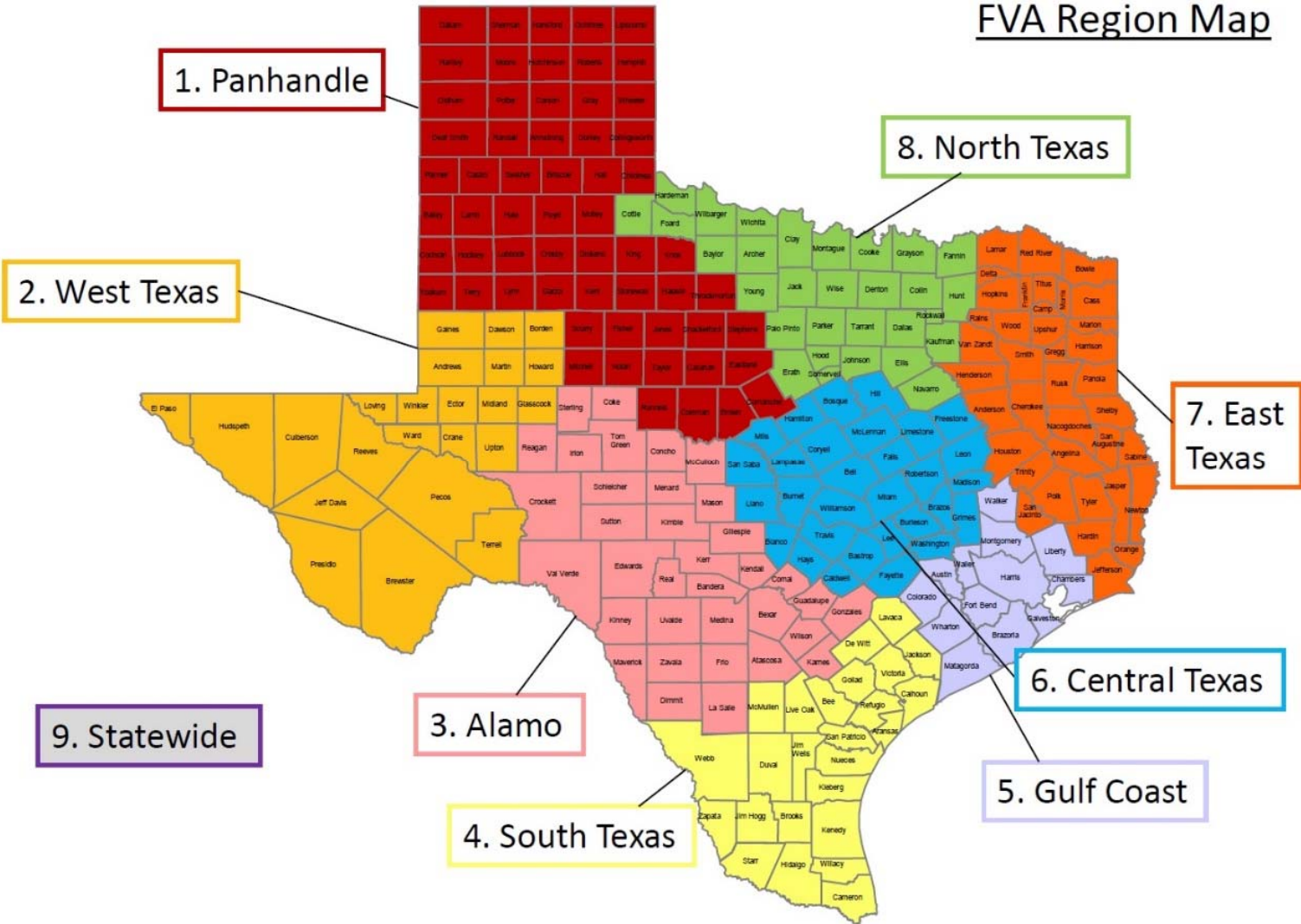


Organizational Chart

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FVA Region Map



How To Apply

- Review the information on our website
 - Request for Applications, Commission priorities, Application, Required attachments
- Select a grant program and service category that best describes your project
- Download the application materials
- Submit your completed application with all the required documentation by the deadline.

www.tvc.texas.gov/grants-funding/



2018-2019 Grant Cycle Important Dates

- Aug 21, 2017 Application window opens
- **Oct 26 or Nov 2, 2017** Applications due to FVA
- Jan 29-30, 2018 (tentative) Project presentations to FVA Advisory Committee
- March 2018 FVA Advisory Committee Funding Recommendation Meeting
- May 2018 Texas Veterans Commission Meeting to select grantees
- Jul 1, 2018 Project funding begins
- Jun 30, 2019 Project funding ends
- Aug 30, 2019 Final Report Due



How to Support the Fund for Veterans' Assistance



- Buy a “Supporting Texas Veterans” \$2 scratch-off lottery ticket
- Donate using the “Support Veterans” check box when you renew your vehicle registration, drivers license, handgun license, hunting or fishing license
- Donate directly online

<https://txapps.texas.gov/tolapp/fva/home.do>



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