

Vision

Chisholm Trail RC&D envisions a strong economy and healthy natural environment that preserves rural traditions and quality of life for North Central Texas.

Mission

Chisholm Trail RC&D, Inc. is a non-profit organization enhancing the rural economy and environment through conservation and development of our resources in North Central Texas.



Counties Served

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| Archer | Clay | Collin |
| Cooke | Denton | Grayson |
| Jack | Montague | Wichita |
| Wise | Young | |

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About Us

Chisholm Trail RC&D is a grass roots organization. At the request of our sponsorship and approval of the Board of Directors, we promote rural development activities through coordination efforts, technical support, networking, foundation searches, proposal writing and grant administration.

To receive project assistance from Chisholm Trail RC&D you must be a sponsor of the RC&D and submit a project application to be reviewed by the Executive Board for approval and adoption in our business plan. Sponsorship is \$100 for the first year and \$50.00 annually, thereafter. Chisholm Trail also charges an administration fee on awarded grant funds for the preparation of grant applications. The fee follows the scale below.

| Amount of Grant | Fee |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Up to \$2,000 | \$50.00 |
| \$2,001 - \$4,000 | \$100.00 |
| \$4,001 - \$6,000 | \$150.00 |
| \$6,001 - \$8,000 | \$250.00 |
| \$8,001 - \$10,000 | \$300.00 |
| \$10,001 - \$20,000 | \$450.00 |
| \$20,001 - \$50,000 | \$1,250.00 |
| \$50,001 - \$75,000 | \$1,800.00 |
| \$75,001 - \$100,000 | \$2,500.00 |
| \$100,001 - \$200,000 | \$4,500.00 |
| \$200,001 and up | \$6,000.00 |

2007 - 2008 Projects

- ◇ City of Olney Police Interceptor
- ◇ Archer County Activity Center
- ◇ Nocona Hills VFD Brush Truck
- ◇ Bowie Fire Department Rescue Equipment
- ◇ Denton County SEP
- ◇ Bowie Rural VFD Bunker Gear
- ◇ State-Wide Constructed Wetland Project
- ◇ Olney VFD Compressor Package
- ◇ Wise County World Changers



Fire Department Grants

Chisholm Trail RC&D will submit requests to organizations on behalf of rural fire departments for new or refurbished equipment and trucks. Our fire department sponsors have received funding for...

- ◇ Tanker trucks
- ◇ Ladder trucks
- ◇ Pumper trucks
- ◇ Radios
- ◇ Repeaters
- ◇ Bunker gear
- ◇ Self Contained Breathing Apparatuses (SCBA)
- ◇ JAWS
- ◇ Miscellaneous tools

SEP Grants

Chisholm Trail RC&D administers funds received through the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's (TCEQ) Supplemental Environmental Program (SEP). These funds are the result of an enforcement action by TCEQ and are designated to be utilized in a specific County and for a specific approved environmental project such as repair or replacement of failing septic systems for low income homeowners, plugging abandoned water wells, household hazardous waste cleanup and abandoned tire disposal.

Community Improvement Grants

Chisholm Trail RC&D awards Community Improvement Grants each year. All sponsors are eligible to apply. It is a \$500 grant which requires a 2:1 match. Grants are approved in November and must be completed by the first of the following July.

2007 - 2008 CIG Awardees

- ◇ Saint Jo Public Library
- ◇ Red River Master Gardeners
- ◇ Post Oak Community Center
- ◇ Harvest Baptist World Changers
- ◇ City of Chico
- ◇ Bellevue VFD