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State Senator Dawn Buckingham Statement on Rifle-Resistant Vest Funding

As a proud supporter of law enforcement and a co-author of Senate Bill 12, I am pleased to announce that \$599,954.59 is being provided to police and sheriff's departments throughout Senate District 24 to better protect those who protect us.

This money is part of a \$25 million grant authorized by the 85th Texas legislature and signed into law by Governor Greg Abbott. The funding will provide much needed financial support for local police and sheriff's departments to buy rifle-resistant vests.

- Click [this link](#) to see the number of vests for your city-county.
- Click [this link](#) to see Governor Abbott's news release and the total number of vest and allocations for Texas.