



Texas Department of Criminal Justice

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Executive Director

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RE: FY20 Funding Summary

District and County Court Judges Trying Criminal Cases,

The Texas Department of Criminal Justice-Community Justice Assistance Division (TDCJ-CJAD) has released FY20 funding amounts for community supervision and corrections departments (CSCD). In summary, the statewide biennial appropriations are as follows:

- Basic Supervision (BS) funding decreased by approximately \$3.2 million (2.3%) based on population projections. The BS allocation formula includes misdemeanor placements and average direct felonies supervised for calendar year 2018;
- Community Corrections (CC) funding remained at FY18-19 appropriation levels. The CC allocation formula includes average direct felonies supervised and civil population residing in the counties served by the CSCD for calendar year 2018;
- Diversion Program (DP) funding increased by \$4.0 million biennially due to an infusion of Pretrial Diversion (PTD) funds; and
- Treatment Alternatives to Incarceration Program (TAIP) funding remained at FY18-19 appropriation levels.

The table below summarizes Starr County CSCD's FY20 funding amounts.

Fund Type/Program Title	FY20 Funding Level	Percent Change From Prior Year Funding
Basic Supervision	\$349,098	-10%
Community Corrections	\$169,087	-5%
Dedicated Salary	\$27,563	0%
Diversion Programs		
Pretrial Diversion Program	\$47,970	0%
Substance Abuse Specialize Caseload (SCPS)	\$40,000	0%
TAIP	\$72,000	New in FY20
Total	\$705,718	4%

A 10% loss limit was applied for FY20 Basic Supervision funding. Without the 10% loss limit applied, the CSCD would have experienced a 24.99% decrease in Basic Supervision funding due to a decline in misdemeanor placements, average direct felonies supervised by the department, or both. The loss limit will not be applied to any CSCD in FY21.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Carey A. Green", with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

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