



State Criminal Alien Assistance Program 2011-H2312-TX-AP



OMB Number: 1121-0243  
Expires: 02/29/2004

[SCAAP Help](#) Grant Number: 2011-AP-BX-0261  
Jurisdiction: County of Hidalgo  
[GMS Home](#) Vendor Number: 746000717  
Award Amount: \$200,395

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**Fiscal Year 2011 Payment Acceptance and Electronic Transfer of Funds**

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has completed its review of your facility, inmate, and correctional officer data related to the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP). The Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement has vetted the inmate records, and an award amount has been calculated.

In accepting this award, you understand that BJA reserves the right to take appropriate administrative action, including intensive monitoring, repayment action, or adjustment to future payments, to resolve data discrepancies, errors, or audit findings related to any information reported in your application.

Applicants are now required to accept awards online within 45 calendar days of award notice, in accordance with the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Financial Guide, Part II, Chapter 2, Acceptance Procedures requiring acceptance/drawdown of awards with 45 days of notice of award, and Part IV, Chapter 2, section 16.606, State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) requiring an "expeditious draw-down of payments."

Jurisdictions accepting SCAAP awards are not required to submit financial or progress reports to OJP. For FY 2009 SCAAP awards, the Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (Pub. L. 109-162, Title XI) requires that all SCAAP funds be used for correctional purposes only. Please see the use of funds list and certification below. With your acceptance (by clicking on the Accept button below) of SCAAP's terms, conditions, and award amount, OJP will initiate an electronic payment in that amount to your bank account of record, as verified through the on-line SCAAP registration process and in accordance with applicable E-Government rules and requirements.

All issues related to the electronic transfer of funds or the bank account of record must be referred to the OCFO Customer Service Center at 800-458-0786. Please allow 15 business days for the electronic payment process to be complete before contacting OCFO. Please have the grant number, amount, and vendor information (noted above) available when you call.

**FY 2011 SCAAP Use of Funds List**

- *Construction* ---
- Construction for inmate housing, inmate programs, prison industries in ADA compliance
- *Training/Education for offender* ---
- Specific trade employment skills
- GED testing
- Job Preparedness
- *Training for corrections officers to help manage offender population* ---
- Bi-lingual language skills
- Less than lethal technology training
- Diversity training

As the CEO or authorized designee of this jurisdiction, I understand the guidelines and requirements as associated with the previous statements and agree to abide by them in all matters involving the FY 2011 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program.