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## CHARITABLE BINGO ALLOCATIONS FOR 2006 4th QUARTER ISSUED TO 160 LOCAL JURISDICTIONS

(**AUSTIN**) – During the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2006, 160 local jurisdictions received more than \$2.8 million in allocations from the conduct of charitable bingo in their communities, an increase of 10.4 percent over the same quarter the previous year.

Additionally, the Charitable Bingo Operations Division allocated \$3.2 million to the state's General Revenue Fund.

Allocations are the result of prize fees collected by non-profit organizations that conduct Charitable Bingo games from players who won bingo prizes in October, November and December of 2006. Cities and counties that imposed the gross receipt tax on a local-option basis on or before January 1, 1993, receive quarterly payments of up to 2.5 percent of the prizes won by Bingo players in their jurisdictions.

A 2.5 percent share of the prize fees also goes to the state. It is deposited in a non-dedicated account in the General Revenue Fund.

Bexar County received the single largest allocation, \$173,528.92. The remaining top five counties are: Tarrant County, \$157,771.32; Dallas County, \$156,225.78; Harris County, \$119,442.15; and Bell County, \$110,453.91.

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The City of San Antonio received the highest allocation for a municipality, \$151,472. Fort Worth was next with \$93,383.77, followed by Corpus Christi, \$75,468.77; Houston, \$69,084.02; and Dallas, \$62,111.84.

There are 1,263 non-profits that conduct charitable bingo games.

For more information about charitable bingo, please visit the official Texas charitable bingo Web site at http://www.txbingo.org

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County Name		City Name	
BASTROP	\$1,139.19	ABILENE	\$26,340.62
BELL	\$110,453.91	ARLINGTON	\$23,689.66
BEXAR	\$173,528.92	ASHERTON	\$51.55
BOSQUE	\$102.61	AUSTIN	\$45,320.13
BOWIE	\$22,703.14	BALCH SPRINGS	\$9,580.24
BROWN	\$11,077.47	BANDERA	\$210.54
BURNET	\$7,214.09	BANGS	\$802.11
CALDWELL	\$2,028.90	BAYTOWN	\$6,263.23
CAMERON	\$26,995.88	BEAUMONT	\$19,239.11
COMAL	\$4,107.59	BEDFORD	\$275.47
DALLAS	\$156,225.78	BELLMEAD	\$7,548.73
DEAF SMITH	\$1,406.41	BENBROOK	\$4,713.81
DENTON	\$6,439.78	BIG SPRING	\$5,894.99
EASTLAND	\$480.15	BIG WELLS	\$3,391.40
ECTOR	\$62,508.12	BOWIE	\$307.88
EL PASO	\$13,031.11	BRACKETTVILLE	\$51.67
ELLIS	\$2,943.35	BROWNSVILLE	\$15,872.54
FREESTONE	\$1,145.37	BROWNWOOD	\$940.03
FRIO	\$752.64	BRYAN	\$45,361.79
GALVESTON	\$16,130.57	BUDA	\$548.87
GILLESPIE	\$462.79	CARRIZO SPRINGS	\$919.04
GRAY	\$416.79	CLEBURNE	\$4,339.43
GRAYSON	\$7,408.78	CLUTE	\$630.73
GREGG	\$19,909.70	CONROE	\$22,868.43
GUADALUPE	\$8,392.87	COPPERAS COVE	\$20,525.39
HARRIS	\$119,442.15	CORPUS CHRISTI	\$75,468.77
HIDALGO	\$96,072.20	CRYSTAL CITY	\$1,503.75
JACKSON	\$264.27	DALLAS	\$62,111.84
KARNES	\$1,531.11	DENISON	\$1,304.09
KAUFMAN	\$11.19	DENTON	\$6,423.59
KINNEY	\$51.68	DEVINE	\$542.71

KLEBERG	\$936.95	EL PASO	\$13,031.09
LIBERTY	\$3,153.40	ELMENDORF	\$6.13
LUBBOCK	\$58,051.12	EVERMAN	\$3,789.15
LYNN	\$4,339.72	FAIRFIELD	\$1,145.36
MCLENNAN	\$35,004.92	FORT WORTH	\$93,383.77
MIDLAND	\$19,061.78	GALVESTON	\$6,894.81
MONTAGUE	\$307.88	GARLAND	\$23,871.20
MONTGOMER Y	\$37,133.64	GRAND PRAIRIE	\$6,396.86
NOLAN	\$420.17	HALTOM CITY	\$3,329.78
NUECES	\$76,957.99	HARKER HEIGHTS	\$21,418.06
ORANGE	\$741.95	HARLINGEN	\$7,984.41
PECOS	\$739.78	HELOTES	\$644.72
POTTER	\$44,915.80	HOUSTON	\$69,084.02
ROBERTSON	\$17.15	HUMBLE	\$8,250.79
SAN PATRICIO	\$3,374.25	HURST	\$19,088.83
SMITH	\$7,380.35	INGLESIDE	\$859.39
STEPHENS	\$249.61	IRVING	\$10,505.92
TARRANT	\$157,771.32	KATY	\$265.05
TAYLOR	\$31,096.74	KAUFMAN	\$11.16
TOM GREEN	\$7,502.15	KILLEEN	\$48,617.74
TRAVIS	\$46,651.19	KINGSVILLE	\$900.55
UPSHUR	\$4.04	KIRBY	\$140.19
VAL VERDE	\$7,909.29	LA FERIA	\$33.05
VICTORIA	\$18,931.70	LA MARQUE	\$820.48
WEBB	\$13,543.97	LA PORTE	\$16.32
WILBARGER	\$1,237.45	LANCASTER	\$6,502.49
WILLIAMSON	\$17,049.31	LAREDO	\$13,543.94
WINKLER	\$568.97	LEAGUE CITY	\$6,515.86
Sum	\$1,469,431. 10	LITTLE RIVER ACAD	815.92

LONGVIEW	\$19,010.10
LUBBOCK	\$58,051.01
LULING	\$119.18
MERCEDES	\$1,529.47
MESQUITE	\$4,900.94
MIDLAND	\$19,061.73
ODESSA	\$30,047.18
ORANGE	\$741.94
PALACIOS	\$785.02
PARIS	\$13,137.59
PASADENA	\$12,075.56
PHARR	\$21,248.32
PLANO	\$31,692.51
RICHARDSON	\$13,510.24
RISING STAR	\$236.38
ROBSTOWN	\$1,444.60
ROMA	\$5,046.38
ROUND ROCK	\$7,807.68
SAN ANGELO	\$7,502.15

SAN ANTONIO	\$151,472.00
SAN BENITO	\$905.83
SAN JUAN	\$8,714.89
SCHERTZ	\$1,420.06
SEGUIN	\$4,443.61
SEVEN POINTS	\$5,959.65
SHERMAN	\$6,104.65
SOMERVILLE	\$1,512.18
SOUTH	\$13,766.09
HOUSTON	Ψ.ο,,, οοίοο
TEMPLE	\$6,896.77
TOMBALL	\$1,686.73
TRINIDAD	\$1,535.48
TYE	\$4,756.01
TYLER	\$6,608.00
UNIVERSAL CITY	\$133.27
VICTORIA	\$18,931.67
WACO	\$26,632.87
WESLACO	\$986.32
WEST	\$725.88
TAWAKONI	
WHITE	\$9,464.41
SETTLEMENT	
WICHITA FALLS	\$43,743.08
Sum	\$1,345,256.61

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