



GREATER TEXAS SERVICES ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIPS TO SUPPORT STUDENTS AT TEXAS HBCUS

Students at the nine HBCUs, including PVAMU, will be able to use the funds for tuition, fees, housing and other educational expenses.

PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas (Oct. 7, 2022) – Prairie View A&M University is pleased to announce the receipt of an award of \$200,000 in scholarships from Greater Texas Services. The funding is part of \$1.5 million in grants that were presented to nine Historically Black Colleges and Universities across Texas. For the next four years, the scholarship funds will support student retention and graduation. Eligible students can use the scholarships for tuition, fees, housing and other educational expenses.

“We are grateful to Greater Texas Services for this generous opportunity to our students here at Prairie View A&M,” said PVAMU Vice President for Enrollment Management Sarina R. Willis. “They are our future, and it’s wonderful for additional support to be available to help them complete their academic careers.”

In addition to PVAMU, the eight other Texas HBCUs eligible for scholarships as part of this funding include:

- Texas Southern University
- Huston-Tillotson University
- Jarvis Christian College
- Paul Quinn College
- Southwestern Christian College
- Texas College
- Wiley College
- St. Phillip’s College

“HBCUs play an important role in serving the students of Texas,” said GTS President Dr. Terry Jones. “Greater Texas Services wants to help these schools achieve their educational mission by investing critical funding for student scholarships.”

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About Greater Texas Services: Greater Texas Services is a public charity based in Bryan, Texas, that provides student loans and educational activities for the benefit of Texas students. For more information regarding Greater Texas Services, visit greatertexasservices.org.

About Prairie View A&M University: Designated an institution of “the first class” in the Texas Constitution, Prairie View A&M University is the second-oldest public institution of higher education in the state. With an established reputation for producing engineers, nurses, and educators, PVAMU offers baccalaureate degrees, master’s degrees, and doctoral degree programs through eight colleges and schools. A member of The Texas A&M University System, the university is dedicated to fulfilling its land-grant mission of achieving excellence in teaching, research, and service. For more information regarding PVAMU, visit www.pvamu.edu.

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