

# CHILDRESS COUNTY EDUCATION PROGRAM PAYMENTS – GUIDELINES, PROCEDURES, & APPLICATION

Iris Energy has committed to make an annual Education Program Payment (“EPP”) to the County in the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) during each of the ten (10) Calendar Years that the Abatement is in effect. The EPPs are to be used to support academic programs, expenses, scholarships, juvenile justice (housing, programs, education, detention) and other lawful County purposes, which benefit students, faculty, and staff at the independent school districts and community colleges serving County residents and those juveniles/students who have been detained or have been found to have engaged in delinquent conduct.

The annual EPP is due and payable to the County on October 1 of each year. **All applications will be considered on a case-by-case basis beginning in January of each year, according to the discretion of the Commissioners Court and available funds.** County will involve Iris Energy in the discussions of awarding EPP grants, but the decision on how the County awards the EPP grants each year is within the County’s sole and absolute discretion. EPP Grants are competitive and will be awarded until funds are depleted each year. The maximum amount an applicant can receive in one year is \$10,000.00.

Applicant shall provide all supportive documents related to their request at the time of submission. Omissions or submission of incorrect information could render this application invalid. Applicant must apply, timely provide all required information and documentation, and obtain approval from the County Commissioners Court. If the Applicant fails to do all these, the application shall be deemed withdrawn and the opportunity for grants is waived.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant’s Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant’s Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Contact (if Applicant is an entity): \_\_\_\_\_

## GRANT REQUEST

What type of grant are you seeking?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Student Scholarship | <input type="checkbox"/> School Referral Program     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff Scholarship   | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Expense         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff Training      | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Lawful County Purpose |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile Justice            |

What is your total grant request (in dollars)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe how you would use the Grant: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**CERTIFICATION**

I certify the information contained in this application (including all supportive documents attached as exhibits) to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the County may require submission of additional supportive documents or information as part of this application, and I agree to provide any requested document or piece of information.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_