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Elk members representing the Kerrville and San Angelo Elks Lodges, the Southwest District, TESA Disaster Relief Committee and the Texas Elks President and President Elect, presented checks to the Ingram Little League and Ingram Police Department (left) and the East Concho and Dove Creek Volunteer Fire Departments (right).

On behalf of Texas Elks State Association President Matt Williams and all Texas Elks, THANK YOU for your generous donation to the disaster relief fund to assist those affected by the tragic flooding in the San Angelo and Kerrville areas last year. President Williams felt that it was important that donors were updated and assured that your donations have made a significant impact in the affected communities.

There were several Elk members who were directly impacted by the flooding and had significant property damage and loss. Those were the first to be assisted, as immediate housing and essential needs were a high priority. Over \$30,000 was distributed to them.

In addition to the cash donations, many Texas Lodges funneled supplies through the San Antonio Lodge (a staging area) to get to the Kerrville Lodge, which became a distribution point to relief entities and the affected community residents.

Thankfully, because of the personal situations of the members and the donation of almost \$100,000 in total relief, Texas Elks were able to identify local entities that used their resources in rescue and recovery efforts and others community organizations that were significantly impacted for distribution of the remaining funds.

The Texas Elks Disaster Relief Committee has a diligent process for identifying needs and distributing funds and feel that the best use of your donated dollars has been achieved. Again, thank you for your generous support and supporting the efforts of Texas Elkdom.

Matt Williams, TESA President