

Required County Match

- The County will match the required funds of \$177,693.49 through Chapter 19 Funds.

Voting Processes

- Increase inventory of absentee balloting materials
- Purchase additional document scanners for absentee ballot by mail (ABBM) processing
- Purchase folding machines for ABBM ballots and inserts
- Purchase letter opening equipment for ABBM
- Upgrade of ExpressVote software that reduces the amount of time a voter will spend at the voting machine

Staffing

- Additional poll workers assigned to monitoring social distancing compliance, sanitizing voting equipment and supplies during voting hours and assisting with curbside voting functions
- Temps for warehouse preparation and securing polling site readiness
- Temps for increased mail balloting processes
- Temps for enhanced phone bank assistance
- Temps for providing mobile field tech assistance to polling places

Security and Training

- Establish training labs including videos and hands-on instructions on best practices for polling place operations, with emphasis on prevention processes
- Contract services to assist with pre-election and post-election cleaning of polling places

Communication

- Specialized signage at polling locations and outreach notifications of polling place processes and protections

Supplies

- Plexiglas protection shields to protect election workers at voter check-in stations
- Floor markers for directing voters on social distancing
- Face masks for each election worker
- Sanitizing wipes and accessories for cleaning voting equipment and supplies
- Hand gel sanitizer for election workers and voters
- Q-tips for voters hands-free contact on voting equipment
- Free-standing stanchions for routing voters in polling places
- Mobile phones for field response teams
- Laptops for expanded emergency help desk and phone bank functions
- Laptops for expanded ballot board ABBM functions
- E-Pollbook laptops and peripherals for voter check-in stations
- Supply bags for PPE for polling locations