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Following Hurricane Harvey, the Texas Fire Chief's Association joined forces with WPI Firefighter's Fund to raise money for the firefighters and fire departments who were affected by the storm. On behalf of WPI Firefighters Fund and the Texas Fire Chief's Association, Chief Mike Wisko presented a \$10,000 check to Alvin Fire Chief, Rex Klesel. "These funds will help in the continued recovery and future preparedness for events like Harvey", stated Chief Klesel.

"The Texas Fire Chiefs are happy that we were able to be part of assisting departments and individual firefighters. These professionals dedicate their lives to serving their communities, even when they are subject to the same devastation as those they serve", stated Chief Wisko, during the check presentation. Lisa Ivie Miller, Founding Board Member of WPI, added that, "WPI Firefighter's Fund has been assisting firefighters for almost twenty years and it is always good to know we are helping the heroes who help us every day. Our foundation's founder, Della Williams, partnered with Dana Wisko, to make sure those affected have the resources they need to rebuild. It is important for our foundation to help those who respond to others every day in Texas and across the country."