



## MOUNT ROGERS PLANNING DISTRICT COMMISSION

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Mount Rogers Disability Services Board (DSB) is accepting applications for the Rehabilitative Services Incentive Fund (RSIF) grant program. RSIF grant funds are provided through the Virginia Department of Rehabilitative Services and are used as stimulus funding designed to promote investment in meeting the needs of Virginia residents with physical and/or sensory disabilities. RSIF funds are to be used as seed money, encouraging investment from other sources into a project aimed at improving the lives of individuals with physical and/or sensory disabilities. To be eligible for funding, a project must address one of the critical needs listed in the 2006 Mount Rogers DSB Needs Assessment Report, which will be provided on request.

The state award will not exceed \$15,000. This must be accompanied by a 10% local match for a total proposed project budget not to exceed \$16,666.

RSIF funds cannot be used to pay for services or accommodations that are required under a state or federal law, such as the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Public or private organizations located in the counties of Bland, Grayson, Smyth, Washington, and Wythe, and the Cities of Bristol and Galax are eligible for funding.

For an application package or to determine if your project is eligible for funding, contact Brian Martin or Gena Elam at:

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A completed electronic version of the grant application and ten (10) hard copies must be received at the above address by 5 P.M. on April 6, 2007.