

# **FACILITY PROFILE**

Warden: Jerry Rayford | Capacity: 1,980 Residents | Security Level: Minimum Location: 3900 W. Loop 571 | Henderson, TX 75652 | Phone: (903) 655-0880

### **Mission Statement**

Giving people hope, skills, and opportunities for a better life.

# **Providing Education and Training to Reduce Recidivism**



#### RESIDENT RESULTS

50 certificates earned in educational, career training, substance abuse treatment, and life-skills programs in the last year.

#### Valuing the Community

MTC is proud to be a part of the community in Rusk County. Through donations and community service, staff and residents partner with various non-profit organizations and other groups to benefit their community. Representatives from local government, business, and civic organizations also serve on the facility's community relations council, where facility leaders share important updates and collaborate on issues important to the community.

More than 50 volunteers provide valuable classes and programs to help rehabilitate the men at the Bradshaw State Jail. These programs include education, life skills, and religious services to help residents improve their lives.

# Hiring and Supporting the Local Community



244 dedicated employees preparing residents for re-entry



\$1,226,387 spent supporting local businesses



Education and training lowers recidivism by up to 43%\*



For every \$1 spent on education and training, \$5 is saved for future law enforcement and corrections costs\*

\* Davis, Lois M., Robert Bozick, Jennifer L. Steele, Jessica Saunders and Jeremy N. V. Miles. (2013). Evaluating the Effectiveness of Correctional Education: A Meta-Analysis of Programs That Provide Education to Incarcerated Adults (p. 3). Santa Monica, CA: RAND Corporation. Retrieved from http://www.rand.org/pubs/research\_reports/RR266.html

# Nationally-Recognized Corrections and Safety Accreditations

Bradshaw State Jail is accredited by the American Correctional Association—achieving 100% compliance for mandatory and 99.5% non-mandatory standards in its most recent audit. The facility is also certified by the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA).





# **Rehabilitation Programs**



- General Education Development (GED)
- High School Diploma
- Higher Education



Changes



- MTC Chaplain
- Volunteer Programs

# **Community Relations Council**

- Mayor John "Buzz" Fullen Henderson City
- Judge Joel Hale Rusk County
- Sheriff John Wayne Valdez Rusk County
- Chief Chad Taylor
   Henderson Police Department

- Chief Rusty Chote
   Henderson Fire Department
- Executive Director Bonnie Geddie
   Henderson Chamber of

Commerce

- John Clary
   Henderson Economic
   Development Corporation, GM
- Drew Butler
   Henderson ISD School Board