



Clean Rivers Program Contract Renewal

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Texas Clean Rivers Act

- **Texas Water Code, Section 26.0135**
- **Passed in 1991, reauthorized in 1997**
- **Goals**
 - **Comprehensive water quality planning and management**
 - **Ensure state has a safe, clean water supply**
 - **Requires on-going assessment of water quality**
- **Mandates that river authorities participate with TCEQ in the program**



Tasks BRA Performs for CRP

- **Generate quality-assured water quality and stream biology data**
- **Identify and evaluate water quality issues**
- **Conduct cooperative watershed planning for monitoring activities**
- **Recommend water quality management strategies**
- **Perform outreach to basin stakeholders regarding water quality in the basin**



Contract Terms

- **2-year term covering FY 2026 & FY 2027**
- **Total amount to BRA \$948,176**
 - **Split evenly across FYs**
- **No match required**
- **Effective date: September 1, 2025**





“BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Brazos River Authority hereby authorizes the General Manager/CEO to enter into an agreement with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), whereby TCEQ will provide funding, in the amount of \$948,176 to the Brazos River Authority to perform water quality monitoring services and other activities under the Texas Clean Rivers Program for Fiscal Years 2026 and 2027.”



Brazos River Authority



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