



Texas Water Development Fund (DFund)

The DFund provides financing for various types of eligible infrastructure projects. This program enables the TWDB to fund projects with multiple purposes (e.g., water and wastewater) in one commitment.

Eligible Applicants

- Political subdivisions
- Nonprofit water supply corporations

Eligible Projects

Planning, design, acquisition, and construction of projects for:

- Water supply, including reservoirs and well fields
- Conservation
- Water quality enhancement
- Flood control
- Wastewater

Benefits and Terms

- Long-term fixed interest rates based on the TWDB's cost of funds
- 20- to 30-year repayment terms
- Subject to eligibility and Board approval, there is currently no maximum funding limit
- Access to funding on a periodic basis (please contact us to discuss project timeline and funding availability)

Program Requirements

- State-level environmental review
- Water supply projects must be consistent with the current state water plan
- Reservoir funding must be segmented or phased; permitting is required prior to a construction commitment
- Adoption of a water conservation and drought contingency plan (for entities receiving assistance greater than \$500,000)
- U.S. Iron and Steel requirements
- Review of legislative requirements regarding water loss threshold limits

For specific questions on the program, please contact

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Detailed information on the program is also available at

www.twdb.texas.gov/financial/programs/TWDF.