



SAN ANTONIO
RIVER AUTHORITY

UTILITY FACT SHEET

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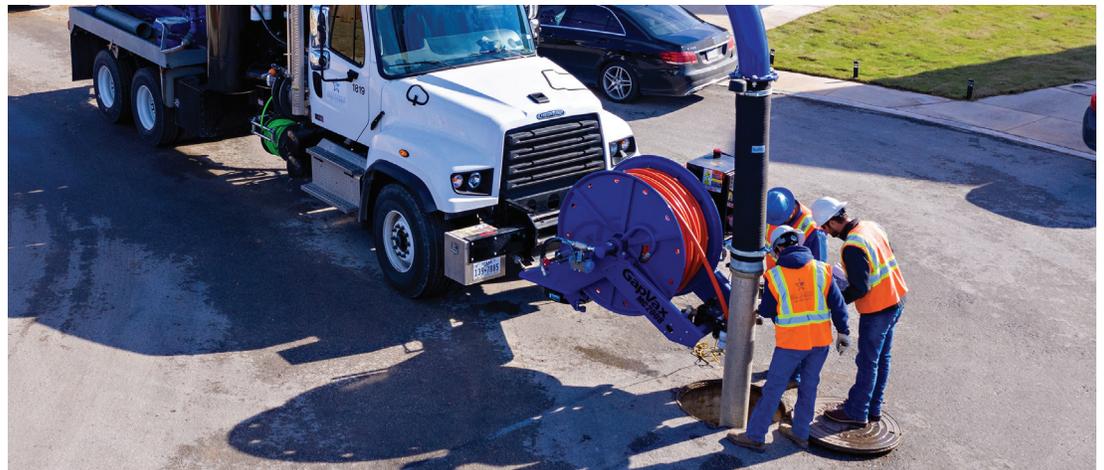
The State of Texas has empowered the San Antonio River Authority (River Authority) to preserve, protect and manage the resources and environment of the San Antonio River and its tributaries. Our district spans Bexar, Goliad, Karnes and Wilson counties, yet our concern for the quality and quantity of water extends our focus beyond these boundaries, as factors outside the district contribute to the health and well-being of the river and our communities. Through the knowledge and skill of professional and technical staff, we continue to develop and sustain the expertise needed to fulfil our service mission.

UTILITY SERVICES

The River Authority is a full-service wastewater utility provider within its district. The River Authority recognizes that communities are finding it increasingly difficult to meet their water and wastewater needs: as a result, the River Authority offers the following services to partnering communities:

- Wholesale and retail wastewater service
- Construction, operation and maintenance of wastewater collection systems
- Emergency and routine wastewater treatment system
- Quality training programs
- Development, sale and implementation of re-use water

The River Authority began providing wastewater utility services in 1966, and has five permitted active wastewater treatment plants (WWTP) (Salitrillo, Upper Martinez, Martinez II, Martinez IV, First Responders Academy) which have a combined capacity of over 15.04 million gallons per day (MGD). These plants utilize the latest technology to produce a high quality effluent and to preserve the ecosystems into which the effluent is returned.



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WASTEWATER SERVICES

The River Authority's Utility Services Department provides wholesale wastewater services through the Salitrillo Wastewater Treatment System to approximately 17,000 residences and 750 commercial customers in the cities of Converse, Live Oak, Universal City. The River Authority also provides wholesale wastewater services through the Martinez IV Wastewater Treatment System to approximately 1,377 residences in both the City of Schertz and Green Valley Special Utility District's service area.

The River Authority's Utility Services Department provides retail wastewater services to parts of the City of San Antonio and Bexar County (approx. 100-150k customers) through the San Antonio River Authority Wastewater Treatment System.

PLANT EXPANSIONS

The Salitrillo WWTP is currently in construction and will increase the current 5.83 MGD capacity to 7.33 MGD. This is a progressive design-build project and is expected to be completed in 2024. The current cost of construction is \$27.6M.

The Martinez IV WWTP expansion project increased the plant's treatment capacity to 2.0 MGD capacity. Additional capacity will be required in the future to address the rapidly developing service area.

AWARD WINNING FACILITIES

- 2023 WEAT Operations Team of the year
- 2023 WEAT Outstanding Operator of the Year
- 2020 ACEC of Texas Engineering Silver Excellence Award for Martinez IV WWTP
- 2019 Institute for Sustainable Infrastructure Silver Envision Award for Martinez IV WWTP
- 2017 FRA WWTP of the Year, Category 1 (<1 MGD)
- 2015 WEAT Municipal WWTP of the Year, City of Goliad WWTP Category 1 (<1 MGD)
- 2014 WEAT Municipal WWTP of the Year, City of La Vernia WWTP Category 1 (<1 MGD)
- 2014 WEAT Municipal WWTP of the Year, Upper Martinez WWTP Category 2 (1-15 MGD)
- 2012 WEAT Sidney L. Allison Award for Outstanding Operation and Maintenance of the Wastewater Collection System
- 2010 WEAT Municipal WWTP of the Year, Salitrillo WWTP, Category 2 (1-15 MGD)
- 2009 WEAT Municipal WWTP of the Year, City of Somerset WWTP Category 1 (<1 MGD)
- 1996 EPA Excellence Award, Martinez II WWTP

Treatment Plant	Capacity In Millions Of Gallons Per Day (MGD)	
Salitrillo	<i>Average Daily Flow</i>	<i>Permitted Flow</i>
	4.555 MGD	7.33 MGD
Upper Martinez	<i>Average Daily Flow</i>	<i>Permitted Flow</i>
	1.353 MGD	2.21 MGD
Martinez II	<i>Average Daily Flow</i>	<i>Permitted Flow</i>
	2.457 MGD	3.50 MGD
Martinez IV	<i>Average Daily Flow</i>	<i>Permitted Flow</i>
	1.175 MGD	2 MGD
First Responders Academy	<i>Average Daily Flow</i>	<i>Permitted Flow</i>
	0.000 MGD	0.025 MGD

