

Water Utility System

The Water Utility System delivers treated surface and ground water to customers through a series of storage tanks, pump stations, transmission and distribution mains. This potable water is sold to domestic, commercial, industrial, governmental, and other customers in the Houston metropolitan area. In addition, untreated surface water is delivered for sale to governmental, industrial and agricultural customers. The System provides water to the residents of Houston as well as municipalities, municipal utility districts, and water authorities outside the City limits. The service population is approximately 4 million.

The System relies on 86% Surface Water and 14% Groundwater sources. Surface water is sourced from Lake Conroe and Lake Houston in the San Jacinto River System and Lake Livingston in the Trinity River System. In aggregate, these supplies are sufficient to meet the City's expected water demands beyond the year 2060. However, additional water supply strategies have been developed to meet the long-term needs. In addition, the System continues to shift its supply source from groundwater to surface water in accordance with state mandates.

The Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) provides an estimate of delivery by fiscal year for the next five years. The FY2023-2027 CIP includes approximately \$1.5 billion of Water Utility System improvements financed by a combination of payas-you-go, revenue bonds and proposed contributed capital.

Highlights of the Fiscal Year 2023-2027 CIP:

- Begin work to replace East Water Purification Plants 1 and 2.
- Continue to construct surface water transmission lines to access and deliver expanded treated surface water supplies for Houston and surrounding water authorities
- Continue funding for replacement of neighborhood water mains to improve fire protection, water quality, system reliability and assure compliance with Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) regulations

- Install chloramination chemical systems at 30 groundwater pump stations
- Rehabilitate wells, ground storage tanks and pump stations as part of long range asset management

Project Allocation			2023-2027				
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Planning							
Acquisition-Land		28,066	4,407	550	550	550	34,123
Design		74,235	12,950	10,200	10,100	19,100	126,585
Construction		211,211	471,566	242,856	192,310	158,199	1,276,141
Equipment Acquisition		5,498	5,500	5,500	21,555	5,500	43,553
Salary Recovery							
Other		5,200	3,950	4,750	3,950	3,950	21,800
	Total Allocation	324,210	498,373	263,856	228,464	187,299	1,502,202
Source of Funds					·		
4042 - DDSRF CAPITAL FUND-DRAINAGE CHARGE							
5430 - Federal State Local - HPW Pass thru DDSR							
8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd		302,361	425,224	239,946	228,464	187,299	1,383,294
8509 - HPW-SETL Capital Contribution		16,450	60,359	20,992			97,801
8510 - HPW-SETL Construction Fund		5,399	12,790	2,917			21,106
	Total Funds	324,210	498,373	263,856	228,464	187,299	1,502,202

Some projects in this section are related to the impact of Hurricane Harvey DR4332 and it is the City's intent to seek reimbursement from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and any other eligible sources for such expenditures, with the FEMA share being 75% or 90% of eligible costs.

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CIP No.	Project		Fiscal Year Planned Appropriations					
		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2023-2027	
S-000019	Emergency Needs for Water Utility		<u> </u>				,	
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	552	550	550	550	550	2,752	
	Project Total	552	550	550	550	550	2,752	
S-000020	Miscellaneous Water Needs							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	264	194	293	194	249	1,195	
	Project Total	264	194	293	194	249	1,195	
S-000035	Neighborhood Water Main Replacement							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	45,964	34,500	38,500	29,500	38,500	186,964	
	Project Total	45,964	34,500	38,500	29,500	38,500	186,964	
S-000056	East Water Purification Plant							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	40,000	108,500	100,000	100,000	100,000	448,500	
	Project Total	40,000	108,500	100,000	100,000	100,000	448,500	
S-000100	New / Replacement Ground Water Wells							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	5,075	9,000	7,750	1,250	1,250	24,325	
	Project Total	5,075	9,000	7,750	1,250	1,250	24,325	
S-00019A	Real Estate Annual Appropriation							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	552	550	550	550	550	2,752	
	Project Total	552	550	550	550	550	2,752	
S-000200	Water Well Renewal Program							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	2,864	5,000	8,915	5,000	5,000	26,779	
	Project Total	2,864	5,000	8,915	5,000	5,000	26,779	
S-000500	Water Improvements under M/N							
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	20,926	20,414	24,017	2,666		68,022	
	Project Total	20,926	20,414	24,017	2,666		68,022	

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		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	
S-000521	Water Main Replacement by Other Govt						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	2,440	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	8,040
	Project Total	2,440	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400	8,040
S-000600	Water Storage Tank Rehabilitation						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	5,410	13,520	8,000	8,000	8,000	42,930
	Project Total	5,410	13,520	8,000	8,000	8,000	42,930
S-000700	Water Main Grid Extensions Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	17,483		7,500	30,000	6,000	60,983
	Project Total	17,483		7,500	30,000	6,000	60,983
S-000701	Lg Diameter Water Line Rehab						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	21,411	16,540	7,000	19,000	7,000	70,951
	Project Total	21,411	16,540	7,000	19,000	7,000	70,951
S-000702	Valve Replacement & Installation Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	4,416		4,500		4,500	13,416
	Project Total	4,416		4,500		4,500	13,416
S-000800	Sponsor Participation-Water Mains Prog.						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	2,208	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	10,208
	Project Total	2,208	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	10,208
S-000890	Lake Houston Dam Projects						
	4042 - DDSRF CAPITAL FUND-DRAINAGE CHAR		10,699				10,699
	5430 - Federal State Local - HPW Pass thru DDSR		32,097				32,097
	Project Total		42,796				42,796
S-000894	San Jacinto River Authority						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	841	800	800			2,441
	Project Total	841	800	800			2,441

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S-000895	Trinity River Authority						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	10,000					10,000
	Project Total	10,000					10,000
S-000900	Surface Water Transmission Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	70,225	168,791	8,281			247,297
	8509 - HPW-SETL Capital Contribution	16,450	60,359	20,992			97,801
	8510 - HPW-SETL Construction Fund	5,399	12,790	2,917			21,106
	Project Total	92,074	241,940	32,190			366,204
S-000901	Condition Assessment and Rehabilitation						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	3,547	11,050	5,500	5,500	5,500	31,097
	Project Total	3,547	11,050	5,500	5,500	5,500	31,097
S-000956	Automatic Meter Reading Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd				16,055		16,055
	Project Total				16,055		16,055
S-000958	Meter Replacement & Upgrade Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	5,498	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	27,498
	Project Total	5,498	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	27,498
S-001000	Pump Station Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	35,916	25,615	7,590			69,121
	Project Total	35,916	25,615	7,590			69,121
S-002015	Water Substitute Service Program						
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	276	300	300	300	300	1,476
	Project Total	276	300	300	300	300	1,476

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		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2023-2027	
S-900001	Upgrades to CUS-Owned Support Facilities				·			
	8500 - HPW-W&S Syst Consolidated Constr Fd	6,493	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	10,493	
	Project Total	6,493	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	10,493	
S-NA0000	Funding Offset							
	4042 - DDSRF CAPITAL FUND-DRAINAGE CHAR		-10,699				-10,699	
	5430 - Federal State Local - HPW Pass thru DDSR		-32,097				-32,097	
	Project Total		-42,796				-42,796	
	Total Appropriations:	324,210	498,373	263,856	228,464	187,299	1,502,202	

