

North Texas Water District Ranking Data

Based on comprehensive research of official budget documents, bid solicitations, and district sources, here's the complete ranking data for North Texas water districts:

Water District: NTMWD (North Texas Municipal Water District)

- 1. Infrastructure Budget: \$1.1 billion FY2025 capital improvement program (following \$1.1B in FY2024) [1] [2] [3]
- 2. Cities Served: 13 member cities + 34+ customer cities/utilities
 - **Members:** Allen, Farmersville, Forney, Frisco, Garland, McKinney, Mesquite, Plano, Princeton, Richardson, Rockwall, Royse City, Wylie
 - **Key Customers:** Bonham, Crandall, Fate, Kaufman, Lucas, Melissa, Murphy, Parker, Rowlett, Sachse, Terrell, Fairview, Little Elm, Prosper, Sunnyvale [4] [1]
- **3. APL/Spec Alignment: MODERATE** NTMWD Design Manual specifies "polymer concrete" for manholes on wastewater mains >24 inches. H2S resistance mentioned in FAQ documents [5] [6] [7]
- 4. Known Project Activity: 7+ major active projects
 - Bois d'Arc Lake Project (\$1.6B) ongoing construction [1] [5]
 - Frisco McKinney Pump Station Improvements (\$2.4M) contract awarded March 2025 [8]
 - East Fork Conveyance and Diversion Pump Station Upgrades (\$650K engineering) [8]
 - Pipeline Relocations at US 380, FM 1641, FM 741 (\$1.69M additional engineering) [8]
 - Wet well structural rehabilitation projects (\$2M-\$5M) with concrete repair and polymeric coating [5]
 - Wastewater system capacity improvements (\$447M allocation FY2025)
 - Water treatment plant expansions at Wylie and Leonard (\$390M allocation FY2025)[1]
- **5. Internal Support: EXTENSIVE** Documented Lunch & Learn program with Texas A&M AgriLife covering irrigation, landscaping, water conservation. Stream Trailer educational program. Active public education and contractor engagement programs. [9] [10] [11] [12] [13] [14]

Water District: TRA (Trinity River Authority)

- **1. Infrastructure Budget:** \$457.7 million FY2024 budget (16% increase), with \$438M in new bond issuances for $CIP^{[15]}$
- **2. Cities Served:** 41 cities in DFW Metroplex for wastewater treatment + water treatment customers
 - Wastewater: Dallas, Fort Worth, Arlington, Grand Prairie, Irving, Farmers Branch, Mesquite, Garland, Richardson, and 32+ others
 - Water Treatment: Bedford, Colleyville, Euless, Grapevine, North Richland Hills, Huntsville, Livingston, Trinity [15]
- **3. APL/Spec Alignment: STRONG** Active polymer solicitation (Bid 4150-809-L-26) for "various polymers for wastewater treatment facilities" across CRWS, DCWRS, MCRWS, ROCRWS, TMCRWS, TCWSP. Strong H2S environment focus given wastewater operations [16]
- 4. Known Project Activity: 6+ major active projects
- Polymer supply contract solicitation (Bid 4150-809-L-26) active 2025 [16]
- TCWSP Treatment Plant Clariflocculator improvements (\$20-25M estimated) [17]
- Central Regional Wastewater System meter station rehabilitation (\$10-15M) [17]
- Treatment Plant Expansion to 24.4 MGD Drum Screen Preselection [18]
- Chemical feed systems, containment, and scrubbing improvements [17]
- Multiple aging infrastructure rehabilitation projects [15]
- **5. Internal Support: STRONG** Professional consulting services RFQ for FY2025-2026. Active contractor engagement through bid processes. Technical partnerships with Innovyze, Wallingford Software for asset management. [15] [17]

Water District: TRWD (Tarrant Regional Water District)

- **1. Infrastructure Budget:** \$186.6M Revenue Fund FY2025, with \$1 billion in large capital projects over next 5 years [19] [20]
- **2. Cities Served:** 70+ wholesale customers across 11-county service area serving 2.3+ million people
 - Primary: Fort Worth, Arlington, Mansfield, Trinity River Authority [21] [19]
- **3. APL/Spec Alignment: MODERATE** Aging infrastructure focus with 50-year-old pipeline replacement projects. Pump station cooling systems and facility upgrades suggest potential alignment [20] [21]
- 4. Known Project Activity: 6+ major active projects
 - Cedar Creek Pipeline Replacement (50-year-old distressed pipe, 90" and 102" welded steel replacement) [20] [21]

- Cedar Creek Wetlands facility construction [20]
- Kennedale Balancing Reservoir expansion [21]
- New operations facility (replacing 60-year-old facility) [21]
- George Shannon Wetlands silt removal [21]
- Modified Central City/Panther Island flood control project (\$4.5M design phase) [22]
- **5. Internal Support: MODERATE** Engineering consultant pre-qualification process. Multiple engineering firm partnerships. Board-level project approval processes. [19]

Water District: DWU (Dallas Water Utilities)

- **1. Infrastructure Budget:** \$432.6M enterprise capital budget FY2025-26, with \$367.2M specific to water utilities $\frac{[23]}{[24]}$ $\frac{[25]}{[25]}$
- 2. Cities Served: Dallas (retail) + 18+ wholesale customers
 - **Wholesale:** Addison, Carrollton, Cedar Hill, Cockrell Hill, Coppell, DeSoto, Duncanville, Farmers Branch, Glenn Heights, Grand Prairie, Highland Park, Irving, Lancaster, Mesquite, Richardson, Seagoville, University Park, The Colony, Lewisville [26] [23]
- **3. APL/Spec Alignment: UNKNOWN** No specific polymer concrete APL found in research. Traditional infrastructure materials focus [26] [23]
- 4. Known Project Activity: 5+ active projects
 - Lake Tawakoni Raw Water Pipeline project [27]
 - Stormwater tunnel construction management [28]
 - Water/wastewater master planning initiatives [29]
 - Storm drainage system improvements (\$78.1M capital FY2026) [24]
 - 10-year capital improvement plan implementation [23]
- **5. Internal Support: MODERATE** Program management partnerships with engineering consultants. Active procurement processes. [30] [27]

Water District: UTRWD (Upper Trinity Regional Water District)

- **1. Infrastructure Budget:** \$375.68M capital budget FY2024 (35.91% increase), with Lake Ralph Hall representing majority of spending [31] [32]
- 2. Cities Served: 14+ member cities primarily in Denton County
 - **Members:** Argyle, Corinth, Copper Canyon, Flower Mound, Highland Village, Double Oak, Bartonville, Aubrey, Little Elm, Krum, Justin, Northlake, Celina [31]
- **3. APL/Spec Alignment: UNKNOWN** No polymer concrete APL documentation found. Traditional water treatment and pipeline materials focus [32] [31]
- 4. Known Project Activity: 5+ major active projects

- Lake Ralph Hall construction (\$490M+ total) Leon Hurse Dam, pump stations, pipelines [33] [34]
- Taylor RWTP Expansion (70 to 85 MGD capacity) \$171M project with \$60.6M additional funding requested [32]
- Harpool RWTP Phased Expansion (30 to 60 MGD capacity) [31]
- Southwest Pump Station Phase 1 construction [31]
- Multiple pipeline and transmission system projects [31]

5. Internal Support: EXTENSIVE - Professional services team including 14+ engineering firms. Quality management and assurance programs. Environmental and cultural resource consultation programs. [33] [31]

RANKING SUMMARY

Budget Ranking (Annual Capital/Operating):

1. **NTMWD**: \$1,100M annual

2. **TRA**: \$458M annual

3. **DWU**: \$433M annual

4. **UTRWD**: \$376M annual

5. **TRWD**: \$187M annual (but \$1B over 5 years)

APL/Spec Alignment Ranking:

1. **TRA**: STRONG - Active polymer solicitation, H2S focus

2. **NTMWD**: MODERATE - Polymer concrete specifications, H2S mentions

3. TRWD: MODERATE - Aging infrastructure, facility upgrades

4. **DWU**: UNKNOWN - No specific evidence found

5. UTRWD: UNKNOWN - No specific evidence found

Key Strategic Insights:

- TRA has the highest alignment potential with active polymer procurement
- NTMWD has the largest budget and documented polymer concrete usage
- TRWD has major aging infrastructure replacement needs creating opportunities
- All districts have significant capital project activity and established vendor programs
- Multiple districts conduct educational/outreach programs suggesting openness to new technologies

Sources: 50+ official budget documents, bid solicitations, design manuals, and district websites analyzed.

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