



**A RESOLUTION OF THE  
BRAZOS VALLEY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
ADOPTING ITS 2025 FEE SCHEDULE  
No. 12-12-24.4**

**WHEREAS**, the Brazos Valley Groundwater Conservation District (“District”) is charged by the Texas Legislature with providing for the conservation, preservation, protection, and prevention of waste of groundwater, and of groundwater resources in Brazos and Robertson counties, Texas, under §36.0015, Tex. Water Code;

**WHEREAS**, the District is authorized to make and enforce fair and impartial rules to manage groundwater resources as scientifically necessary to conserve and protect groundwater resources in the area under §36.101, Tex. Water Code;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the District’s Enabling Act, adopted in 2001 by the Texas Legislature and codified in Chapter 8835, Texas Special District Local Laws Code, and District Rule 9.1, the District may impose a reasonable production fee on each District-permitted well, as well as an export fee on applicable wells, within the legal limits.

**WHEREAS**, the District’s Enabling Act authorized an initial production fee of \$0.25/acre-foot for agricultural use or steam electric stations, and \$0.0425 for each thousand gallons for all other water uses. The initial fee is authorized to be increased at a cumulative rate not to exceed three percent for each year, allowing for a maximum 2025 rate of \$0.3775/acre-foot for agricultural and steam electric uses, \$0.064175 for each thousand gallons for all other water uses, and an export fee rate of \$0.17/1000 gallons authorized minus the applicable water production fee (water not transported) or \$0.206/1000 gallons exported.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE BRAZOS VALLEY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT THAT**

The District adopts the attached Fee Schedule for 2025.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 2024.

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Jayson Barfknecht, President      Date

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Jeff Kennedy, Secretary      Date



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### 2025 FEE SCHEDULE

#### Production Fees

Public/Municipal/RWPS Non-Exempt	\$0.01465/1000 gals.	Authorized Production
All Other Non-Exempt	\$0.01465/1000 gals.	Authorized Production
Agriculture Use	\$0.1975/ acre-foot	Authorized Production
Steam Electric Generation	\$0.31/acre-foot	Authorized Production
Overproduction	\$0.036/1000 gals. overproduced	
Export Fee	Tier 1 Rate*	Authorized Production
Export Fee	Tier 2 Rate**	Metered Production

#### Application Fees

Operating	\$100.00	Per Application
Drilling/Operating	\$100.00	Per Application
Amendment	\$100.00	Per Application
Transport	\$100.00	Per Application

#### Other Fees

Staff Time	\$50.00	Per Hour
Returned Check Fee	\$25.00	
Copies	\$.10/copy	
Mailings	Postage	
Recording of Board Meeting on CD	\$5.00	Per CD

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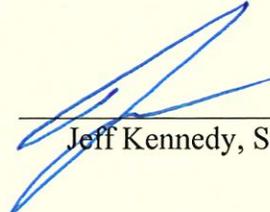
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\*\*\* If compliance is not achieved and over production occurs in any subsequent year(s), then the Board may set reasonable civil penalties against any person for breach of any rule of the District not to exceed \$10,000 per day per violation, and each day of a continuing violation constitutes a separate violation. § 36.102, Texas Water Code and District Rule 15.4.