

A fishing boat is shown on the water at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright orange and yellow glow that reflects on the water. The boat is white with a dark cabin and is moving towards the right, leaving a small wake. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and light blue. The overall scene is peaceful and scenic.

Texas Sea Grant

Supporting coastal communities, businesses and Texans

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Texas Sea Grant is a unique partnership that unites the resources of the federal government, the State of Texas and universities across the state to create knowledge, tools, products and services that help coastal communities, marine industries and the people of Texas.

We support practical research that provides solutions to real-world problems, and our extension team works directly with coastal stakeholders and residents to help them adopt the resulting tools and techniques to benefit themselves and their communities.

Inspired by the Land Grant agricultural extension model, we have served the State of Texas for 46 years from our headquarters at Texas A&M University in College Station and our extension field offices in counties and cities along the Texas coast.

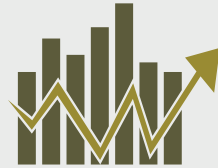
Texas Sea Grant 2017 Impacts



Provided training and tools to

29 communities

to protect them from storms and other coastal hazards



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Every state dollar invested in Texas Sea Grant returns more than \$24 to the Texas economy.



31,299 K-12 students

reached through informal education programs



\$3.2 million

in fuel savings for the shrimp fishing industry



7,500 copies of the Texas Homeowner's Handbook

to Prepare for Coastal Natural Hazards, in English and Spanish, distributed in the affected areas after Hurricane Harvey



Mobilized

79,893 hours

of volunteer time valued at \$1.9 million



188 businesses

created or sustained and 874 jobs created or sustained



1,225 acres

of coastal wetlands, dunes and prairie restored



87 university students

supported through grants and fellowships