

May 22, 2026  
PUBLIC NOTICE  
CITY OF TRINITY  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT  
2024 DISASTERS LOCAL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM

The City of Trinity is giving notice and soliciting comments on its intent to submit an application to the Texas General Land Office for Community Development Block Grant – Local Communities Program (CDBG-LCP) funding. This application will be submitted in response to the Texas Severe Storms, which included Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding (DR-4781) and Hurricane Beryl (DR-4798), also known as the 2024 Disasters. The application is to provide citywide sewer system improvements for a total of \$5,000,000 in grant funds and \$250,000 in local funds. Application details, including project description, locations, budget, schedule, and project beneficiaries, are available for review beginning May 22, 2026, on the City’s website at <https://www.cityoftrinity.com/> or in person at the Trinity City Hall during regular business hours, Mon.-Fri., 8:00am to 5:00pm. The City plans on submitting the application on June 12, 2026. Written comments may be made prior to 5:00pm, June 11, 2026, by contacting City Hall (101 West Madison Street, Trinity, Texas 75862) or emailing [jpriddy@cityoftrinity.com](mailto:jpriddy@cityoftrinity.com). Para obtener una copia en español, comuníquese con City of Trinity al 936-594-2507.

**City of Trinity**  
Community Development Block Grant  
2024 Disasters Local Communities Program  
**Summary of Project Need, Scope, Budget, Schedule & Beneficiaries**

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During the 2024 Disasters, which included Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding (DR-4781) and Hurricane Beryl (DR-4798), the City of Trinity's wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) exceeded its flow limits improperly treated effluent. This was due in part to damaged and/or deteriorated components at the WWTP, as well as to inflow and infiltration (I&I) throughout the City's sewer collection system during these heavy rain and flooding events.

As a result, the City has determined that it must reconstruct areas of the City's sewer collection system, including replacing existing sewer lines and manholes, and rehabilitating sewer lift stations. Additionally, improvements are needed at the WWTP, including replacing key components and reconstructing areas within the existing treatment system.

These sewer facility improvements will occur throughout the City and at the WWTP located approximately one-half mile (2,800 feet) east of Emory St. on the south side E. Pegoda Road (also known as Farm-to-Market 356), with coordinates of latitude 30.943520° and longitude -95.360634°. A map is attached.

To fund this much-needed project, the City intends to submit an application on June 12, 2026, to the Texas General Land Office (GLO) for funding under the Community Development Block Grant – Local Communities Program (CDBG-LCP). The City intends to request \$5,000,000 in grant funds and will contribute \$250,000 in City funds.

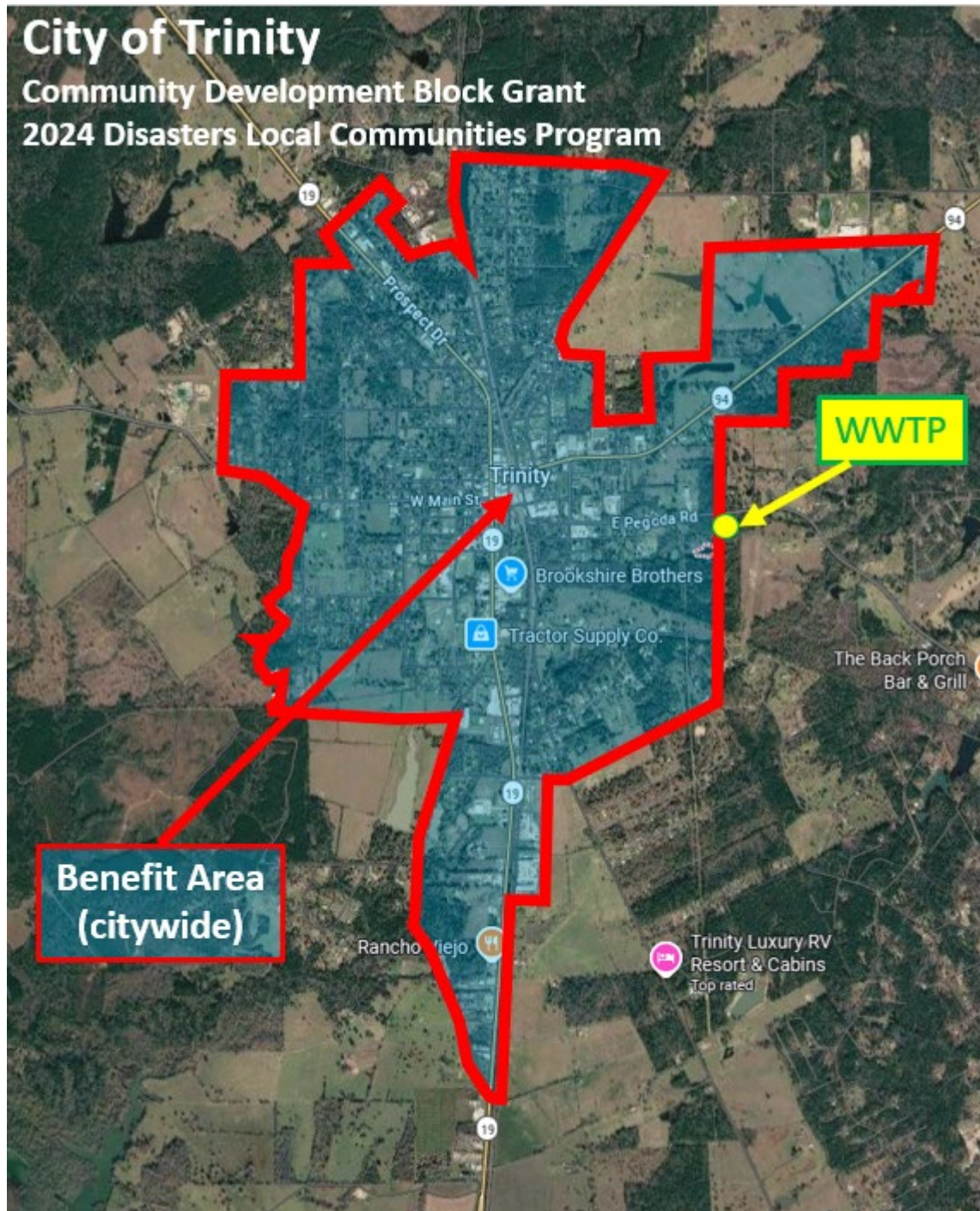
This budget includes \$4,217,500 for construction, \$632,500 for engineering services, \$364,000 for administration services, and \$36,000 for environmental services.

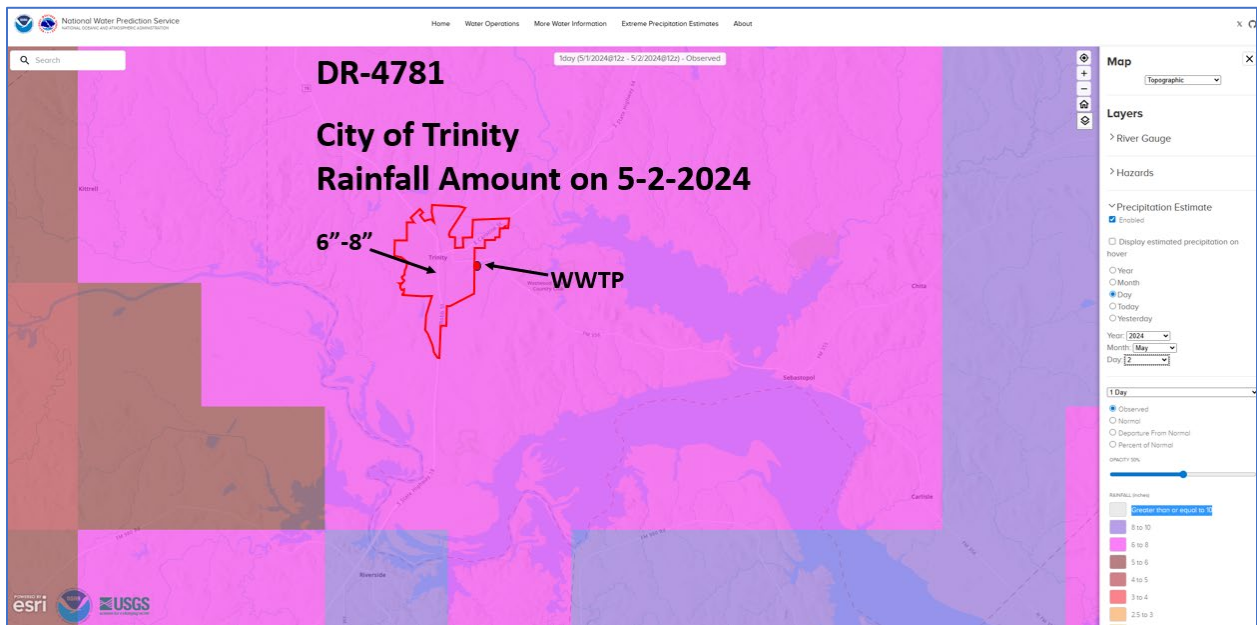
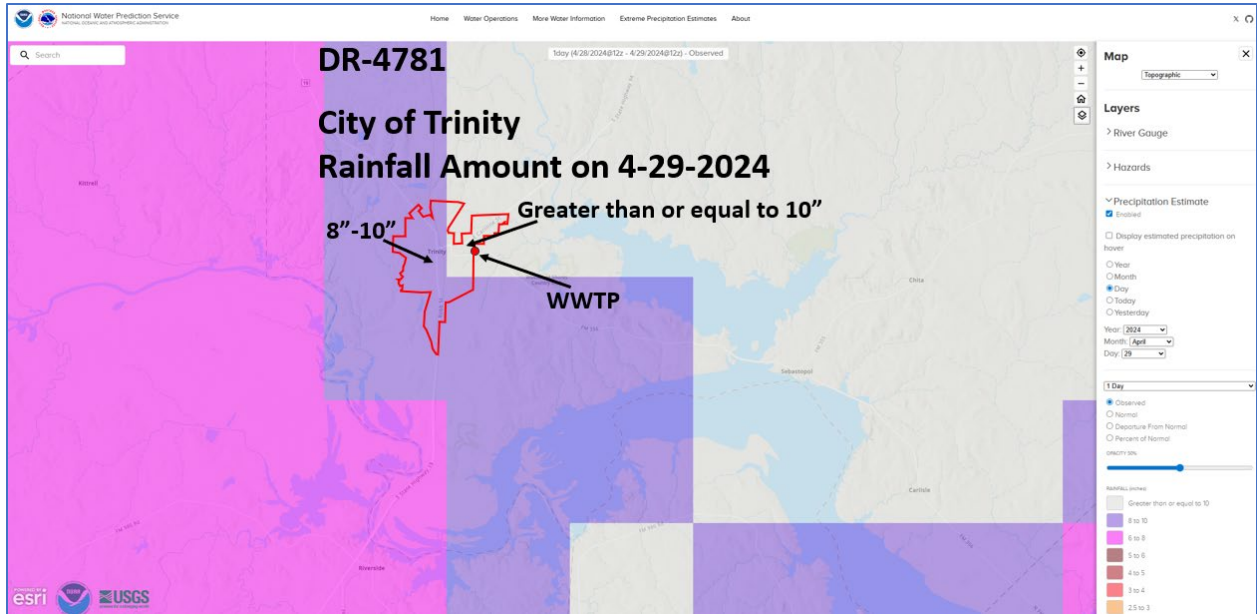
It is anticipated that all activities with this project will be completed approximately 24 months after receiving an executed contract from the GLO. This will allow for 6 months of engineering design and environmental review and 18 months of construction.

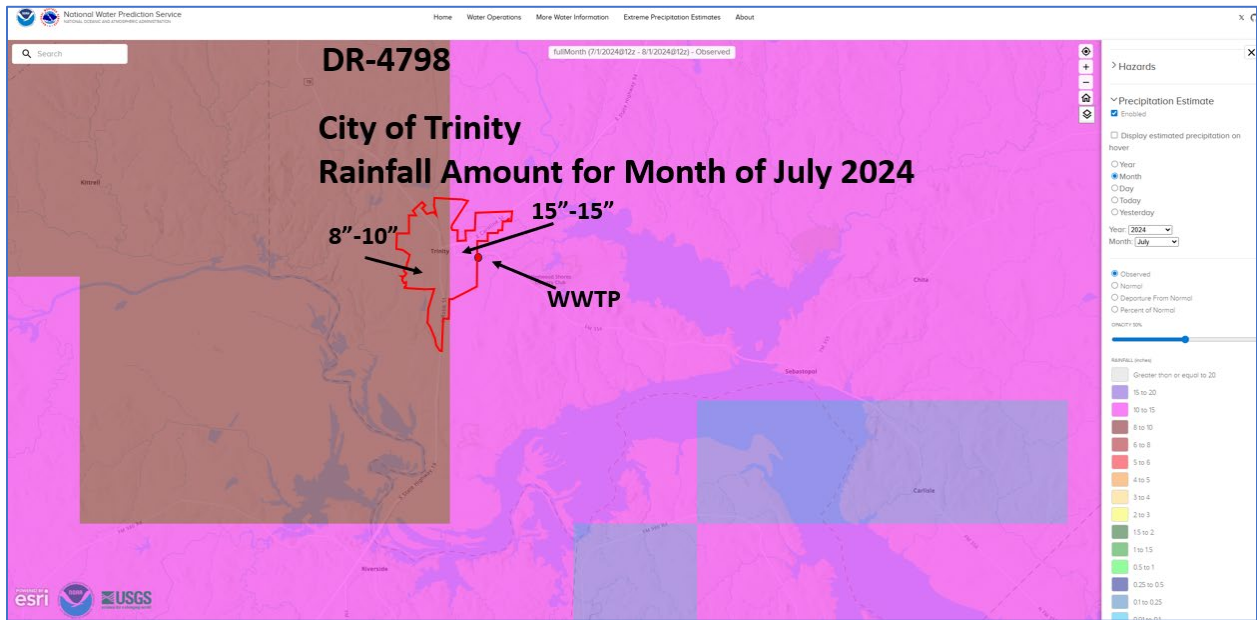
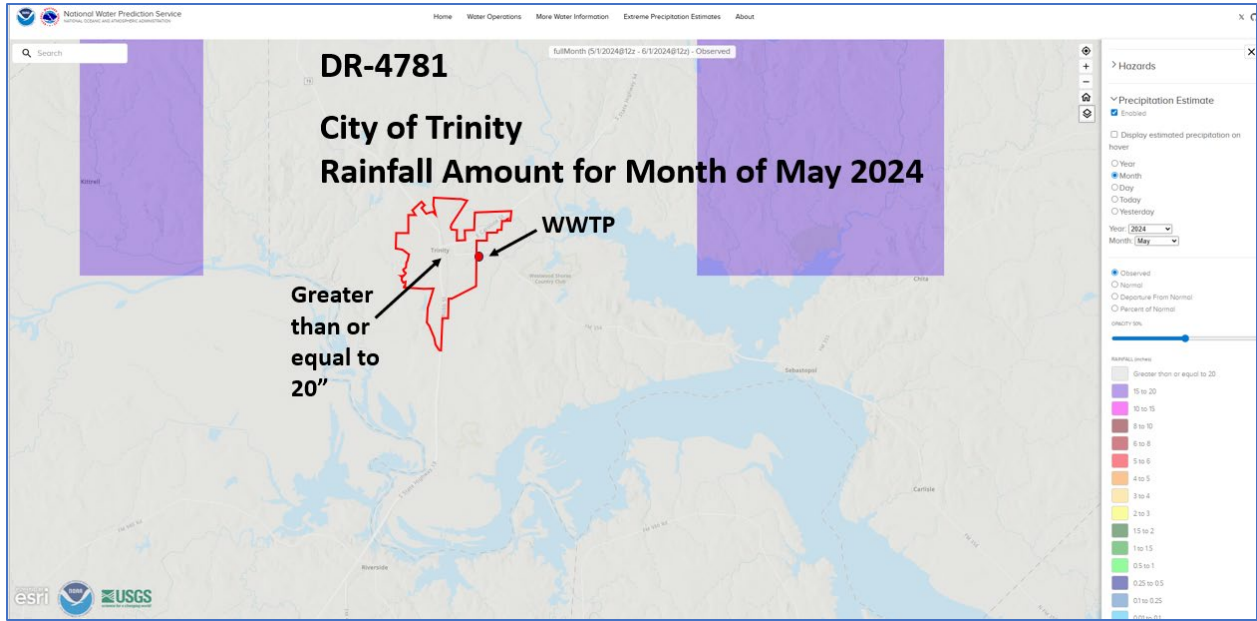
These improvements will benefit the entire City of Trinity. Using data from the State Median Income Waiver granted by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in 2025, this project will benefit 2,413 people, of whom 1,720, or 71.28%, are low- to moderate-income.

# City of Trinity

## Community Development Block Grant 2024 Disasters Local Communities Program







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## Evacuation order issued in Trinity County following EF-1 tornado, flash flooding

NWS Monday evening confirmed an EF-1 tornado passed through the Rock Creek Subdivision in Trinity Sunday, destroying a home owned and occupied by Conroe Police Department Lieutenant James Waller and his wife, who both sustained injuries following the storms.

Sarah Grunau | April 30, 2024, 8:23 AM



Trinity County Sheriff Woody Wallace

Polk County officials yesterday issued a mandatory evacuation order for areas along the Trinity River near Lake Livingston Dam after nearly 11 inches of rainfall and strong winds pushed through the area late Sunday night.

Flash flooding stretched across Trinity and Polk Counties north of Houston that night, leaving streets underwater and homes damaged, according to Facebook videos posted by Trinity County Sheriff Woody Wallace.

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Polk County, just east of Lake Livingston, is about 40 miles southeast of Trinity County.

Polk County Judge Sydney Murphy issued a local disaster declaration for low-lying unincorporated areas along the Trinity River Monday morning. Those locations are more vulnerable to flooding as discharge from the dam increased Monday, according to a press release from the Polk County Office of Emergency Management.

"We urge these residents to take precautions and heed the Mandatory Evacuation Order and to avoid travel at night when visibility is limited," according to the office. "Local and state water rescue resources have been staged in the county should they be needed."

County officials Monday opened a shelter at Dunbar Gym in Livingston, 1103 Dunbar Ave., for evacuees with limited access to shelter.

Wallace said the water sitting atop Doug Bell Road in Trinity Monday afternoon was roughly three feet deep.

"This is just off the Trinity River so this water is expected to continue to rise over the next few days and as we have more chances of rain coming up, we are expecting even more," he said in a Facebook video.

The rain won't slow down any time soon, according to weekly weather predictions from the National Weather Service.

There's a chance of showers and thunderstorms Wednesday night, throughout Thursday and into Friday in Trinity County, according to NWS.

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# Trinity begins cleanup of damage left behind by Beryl



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Trinity County first responders went out on dozens of calls Monday after Beryl made landfall in East Texas.

By [Mariela Gonzalez](#)

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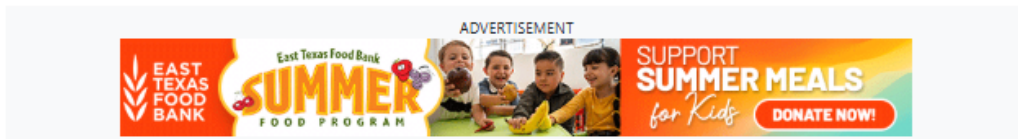
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TRINITY, Texas (KTRE) - First responders in Trinity County were cleaning up after Beryl's winds and rain blew through on Monday.

"Just stay home unless you have to be out," said Trinity Fire Asst. Chief Keith Johnson.

Since noon, first responders in Trinity County have been responding to dozens of calls related to storm damage.

Officials will closely watch roads like FM 356 in case of flooding.



"If it falls over a lengthy period of time we're okay, but if it falls in a couple of hours, we'll have major street flooding, so right now we're hoping we don't get that," said Johnson.

Trinity Fire Department responded to downed power lines on Kelly Street and removed trees from roadways across the city.

Johnson said as strong winds continue, "old trees that are rotten, limbs coming out of the top of them, we're having some issues with that."

While on the road, Johnson received two calls of trees on homes.

Multiple power outages on the north side of town and at the Harbor Point subdivision also caused problems.





## DECLARING A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER

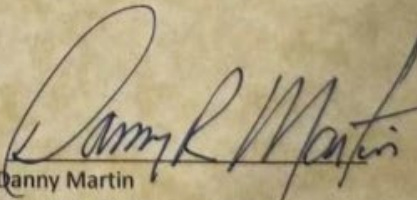
Whereas, the County of Trinity on the 28th day of April, 2024 has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from tornados and continuous rains and flooding of county roads and damage to infrastructure; and

Whereas, the Judge of the County of Trinity has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property;

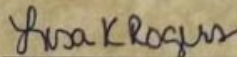
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE JUDGE OF THE COUNTY OF TRINITY:

1. That a state of disaster is declared for the County of Trinity.
2. That Trinity County's Emergency Management Plan has been implemented.
3. That this state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days of the date hereof, unless the same is continued by consent of the Commissioners Court of the County of Trinity, Texas.
4. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 29th day of April, 2024.

  
Danny Martin  
County Judge

ATTEST:

  
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Lisa K Rogers

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at 9:45 o'clock **A** M

**APR 29 2024**

SHASTA BERGMAN  
COUNTY CLERK, TRINITY CO., TEXAS  
