



FISCAL YEAR 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

TEXAS A&M ENGINEERING



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TRAIN. RESPOND. INNOVATE.

STATEMENT FROM THE DIRECTOR

Train. Respond. Innovate.

These three words define the work of the Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service (TEEX) and the people who carry out our mission each day. It's my privilege to serve as Agency Director and CEO of TEEX, and to witness the difference our team makes across the state and nation.

During fiscal year 2025, TEEX employees **trained** more than 230,000 participants, **responded** to unprecedented disasters and advanced **innovations** that address emerging challenges for public safety professionals.

This year, we demonstrated our commitment to serving the state. Through the TEEX Extension Program, we reached every corner of Texas, delivering no-cost training to rural communities that need it most. We also expanded workforce development training in the Rio Grande Valley and the Coastal Bend Region, improving opportunities for individuals and strengthening local economies.

This year also underscored TEEX's critical role in disaster response. Our teams deployed across the state to assist with disasters, including the Texas Hill Country floods, which became the longest deployment in the nearly 30-year history of Texas A&M Task Force teams.

We also prioritized initiatives to address safety challenges for first responders, including mental wellness and the risks associated with lithium-ion battery fires. At the same time, we embraced innovation, expanding the use of virtual reality in our training programs.

Over the past two years, TEEX has experienced unprecedented growth. To support this growth, we have made strategic adjustments to strengthen our workplace culture, enhance efficiency and better serve our employees.

We are grateful for the continued support of the Texas Legislature, the Texas A&M University System Board of Regents and federal grant partners.

Their investment in our mission allows us to enhance emergency preparedness and community resilience across the state.

As Texas communities continue to grow, so too do their infrastructure and preparedness needs. TEEX stands ready to prepare the next generation of community leaders and emergency responders.

Our mission says it clearly: TEEX provides training, develops practical solutions and saves lives. Fulfilling that mission requires dedicated people, strong partnerships and sustained resources. I am confident in the future of TEEX and our ability to continue to train, respond and innovate, because we are backed by the strength of our state and university system.

Thank you for your continued trust and partnership.

David Coatney, AGENCY DIRECTOR
Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service



TEEX OVERVIEW

Mission

TEEX makes a difference by providing training, developing practical solutions and saving lives.

Vision

TEEX is an adaptive and innovative service agency making a difference worldwide.

Values

Safety – We place safety and well-being above all by focusing on prevention and response.

Teamwork – We embrace collaboration and encourage involvement.

Adaptability – We rapidly adjust to the needs of our team members, our customers and our environment.

Respect – We value the unique skills and ideas of every individual.

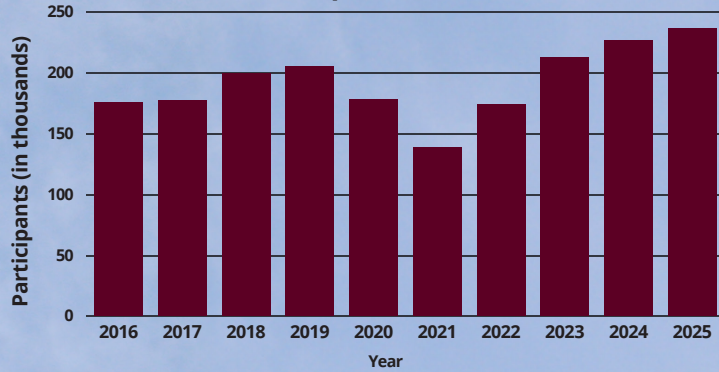
Stewardship – We commit to the wise management of our human, natural and material resources.



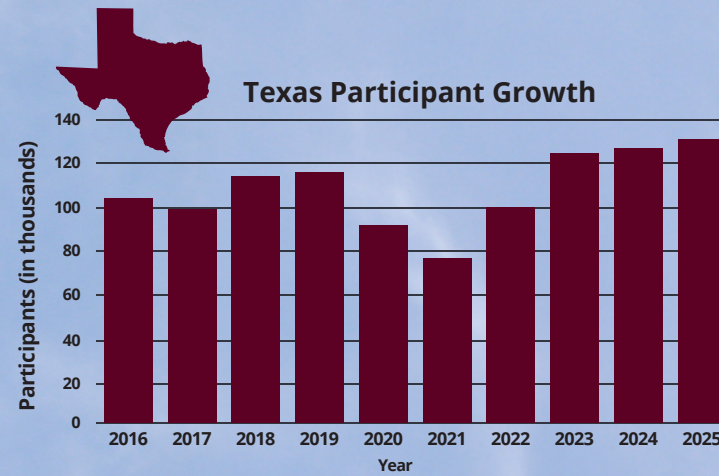
PARTICIPANT DATA

Ten-year trends show consistent growth, with increasing participation both globally and throughout Texas.

Participant Growth



Texas Participant Growth



2025 NUMBERS

236,167

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

125

PARTICIPANT COUNTRIES

9,033

NUMBER OF COURSE DELIVERIES

3.3 MILLION

CONTACT HOURS

TEXAS

129,152

PARTICIPANTS FROM TEXAS

2.1 MILLION

PARTICIPANT HOURS

99%

TEXAS COUNTIES TRAINED

Advance Tower Rescue

TEEX OVERVIEW Strategic Plan

In fiscal year 2025, TEEX unveiled an updated Agency Strategic Plan that guides organizational priorities, investments and operations in support of evolving training and workforce needs. The plan is structured around key imperatives that define how TEEX will strengthen and expand its training and service. These imperatives focus on increasing access to training, improving customer experience, advancing innovation and thought leadership, and supporting first responder wellness and resilience.

Strategic Plan | TEEX.org



Expand impact on customers and communities throughout the state by providing accessible and affordable training, technical assistance and response.

Expand TEEX's customer base to meet an expanding need across the state and nation.

Invest in improving the TEEX customer experience.

Establish TEEX as a thought leader by fostering innovation through collaborative projects and research.

Improve wellness and resilience for public service disciplines.



LEADERSHIP EXECUTIVE TEAM MEMBERS



David Coatney
AGENCY DIRECTOR AND
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Tony Crites
DEPUTY AGENCY DIRECTOR AND
CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER

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Tracy Foster
DEPUTY AGENCY DIRECTOR AND
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER



Christina Foley
ASSOCIATE AGENCY DIRECTOR AND
CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER

TRAIN

Regional and State Academies

TEEX academies train and prepare public safety professionals across the state, creating a pipeline of skilled Texans prepared to enter the workforce and impact Texas communities.

VOCATIONAL ACADEMIES



Basic Peace Officer Academy | TEEX.org



Emergency Medical Technician and Paramedic Academies | TEEX.org



Fire Academy | TEEX.org



Lineworker Academy | TEEX.org

“Attending the TEEX Police Academy gave me the opportunity to develop necessary skills to go into my agency with a solid knowledge base and succeed in field training and my subsequent career.”

– Officer Meredith Paul of the College Station Police Department



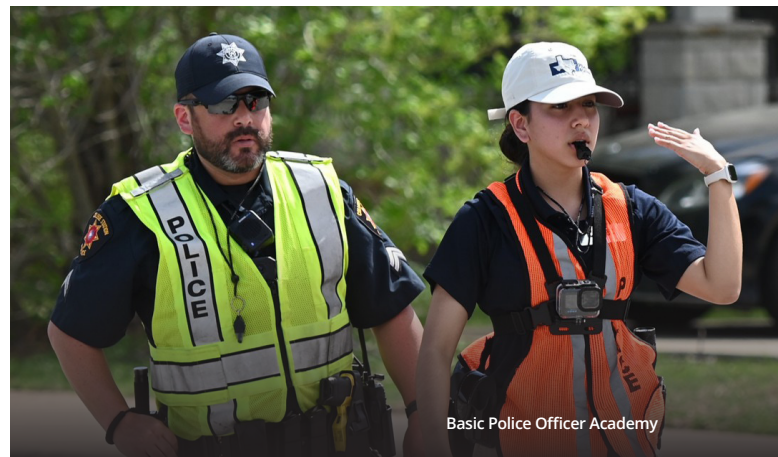
Basic Police Officer Academy



Lineworker Academy



Emergency Medical Technician and Paramedic Academies



Basic Police Officer Academy

ACADEMY DATA

ENROLLED PARTICIPANTS
in TEEEX Academies

601

86% FROM TEXAS

518 PARTICIPANTS



30% FROM BRAZOS VALLEY

183 PARTICIPANTS



18



Average number of weeks
to complete a certificate

\$67,430



Texas academy graduate
salary averages

Bureau of Labor Statistics 2024



TRAIN

Extension Program

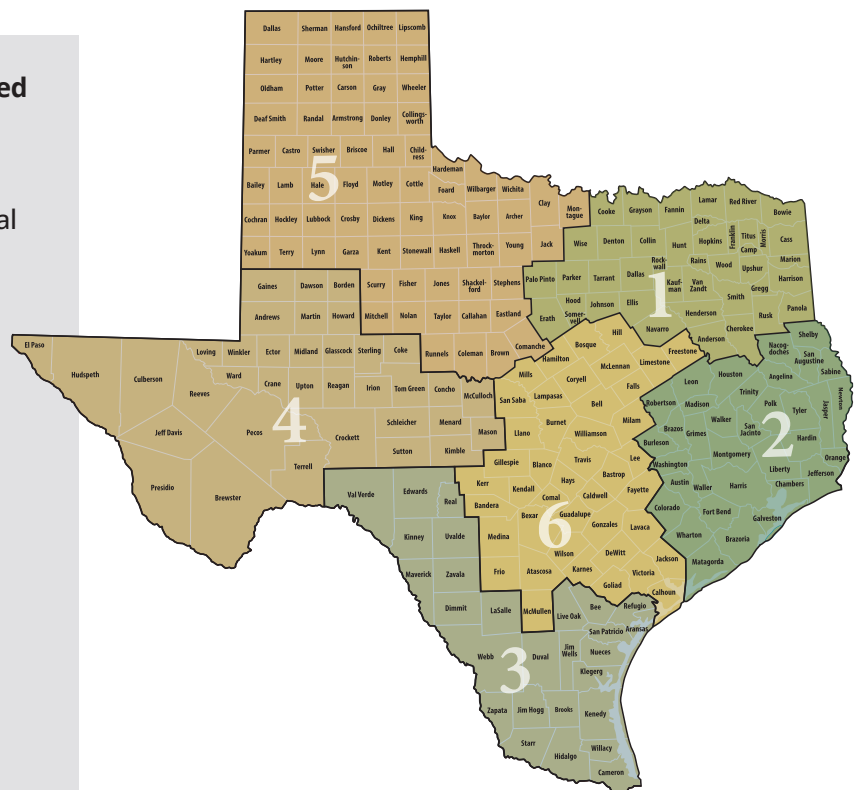
TEEX is committed to the Texas A&M University System’s Land-Grant mission to serve the state of Texas by providing affordable and accessible training and service opportunities that empower individuals to build their futures and enhance the resilience of their communities. As part of this mission to serve Texas, TEEX brings public safety training to all regions across the state.

Texas Communities Benefit from the Expanded Services of TEEX’s Extension Program

TEEX expanded its Extension Program throughout Texas to offer training and technical assistance in three critical disciplines essential to Texas communities: Fire and Emergency Services, Law Enforcement and Protective Services, and Critical Infrastructure/Water and Wastewater Management and Recovery.

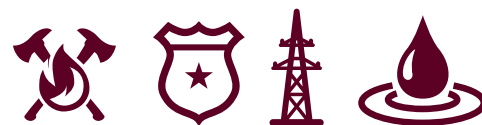
The program provides state-funded classroom instruction, hands-on training, and on-site technical assistance to prepare communities for local and statewide emergencies. It also addresses high-demand areas such as responder safety, emerging hazards, mental health, wellness and leadership.

TEEX provides services through six regions covering Texas, staffed by local managers and coordinators who live where they work. These seasoned leaders are well-versed in the specific requirements of local emergency response organizations and agencies.



24,132 participants

1,032 Texas communities



Extension Program | teex.org

“TEEX’s Extension Program has played a crucial role in advancing the readiness and capabilities of the San Angelo Fire Department. Through comprehensive training and educational programs, they have equipped our first responders with the necessary skills and knowledge to effectively tackle the diverse challenges faced by the fire service today. Their efforts ensure that our team is prepared, resilient and responsive in any emergency.”

– Patrick Brody, Fire Chief, San Angelo Fire Department

TRAIN Public Safety Wellness

TEEX Launches Mental Health Program for Texas First Responders

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, law enforcement officers and firefighters are more likely to die by suicide than in the line of duty. TEEX is seeking to change this trend by delivering mental health and wellness training and assistance to first responders through its Public Safety Wellness Program.

Through this program, which launched in 2023, TEEX provides mental health and wellness training, customized technical assistance and a counseling center to support public safety professionals throughout Texas. Through the training course Support that Saves: A Guide to Building and Sustaining Peer Support, TEEX provides agencies and departments with recommendations and assistance for developing their own peer support teams.

Public Safety Wellness | TEEX.org

“Participating in this groundbreaking training was not just professionally enriching; it was transformational. TEEX delivered more than education; it delivered a comprehensive mission centered around resilience, accountability and authentic human connection within first responder communities. The class has guided me to become a better leader, sparked open conversations, reduced stigma and helped us take tangible steps toward building a culture where it is okay to ask for help and doing so is seen as a mark of strength, not weakness.”

– Steven W. Ray, Health and Safety Division Chief, Klein Fire Department



Peer Support Teams Training with Task Force Members at Disaster City



Staged First Responder Counseling Session



Through Support That Saves, TEEX has trained nearly **150 agencies** in peer support and first responder wellness strategies.

To date, the Public Safety Wellness Counseling Program has served **more than 65 first responder clients**, with participants reporting an average **48% reduction in post-traumatic stress symptoms**. In addition to direct service delivery, the program is helping expand access to culturally competent mental health care by training counselors to better understand first responder culture, trauma exposure and occupational stressors.

TRAIN

Areas of Training

Business and Cyber Solutions

TEEX helps organizations strengthen performance, workforce capability and cybersecurity readiness through training and technical assistance in workforce development, process improvement, manufacturing practices and cyber resilience.

Fire and Emergency Services

TEEX provides hands-on, scenario-driven training and technical assistance for fire, rescue, emergency medical and public safety professionals worldwide in areas such as structural firefighting, rescue, hazardous materials response, emergency medical services and incident command.

Infrastructure and Safety

TEEX delivers workforce training and technical assistance in programs that include heavy equipment operations, water and wastewater systems, traffic safety, and environmental health and safety.

Law Enforcement and Protective Services

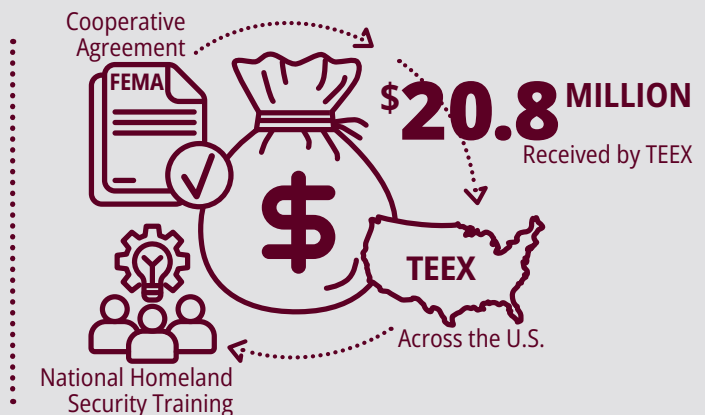
TEEX provides instruction for law enforcement and security professionals, offering a broad range of courses, including crash reconstruction, forensic investigations, firearms, tactical operations, defensive tactics, active-threat response and evidence management.

Homeland Security

As a founding member of the National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (NDPC), TEEX's National Emergency Response and Recovery Training Center (NERRTC) has been a leader in homeland security training since its inception in 1998. Congressionally mandated by the U.S. Congress, NERRTC provides local, state, tribal and territorial jurisdictions with high-quality, hands-on, scenario-driven leadership training. Homeland Security National Training Program courses are funded through the Department of Homeland Security (DHS)/Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and are offered at no cost.

NERRTC HAS TRAINED MORE THAN
ONE MILLION
RESPONDERS SINCE 1998

ALL 50 STATES U.S. TERRITORIES
THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



Homeland Security | TEEX.org

National Labs

TEEX provides advanced professional development, technical assistance and exercises for the organizations that form the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Nuclear Security Enterprise (NSE).

In 2025, TEEX developed a course to train facility, building and operations managers to keep labs, buildings and projects operational and safe, meeting the needs of researchers and engineers.

TEEX HAS EARNED THE TRUST OF OVER 20 NATIONAL LABORATORIES, NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING SITES, NUCLEAR WEAPONS PLANTS AND PRODUCTION FACILITIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

Nuclear Power Specialists from 11 Countries Train at TEEX for Nuclear Power Plant Emergencies.

In October 2024, TEEX hosted and supported an International Atomic Energy Agency training event, the Interregional Training Course on Establishing Arrangements and Capabilities for Emergency Preparedness and Response, at the TEEX Emergency Operations Training Center in College Station, Texas. Eighteen participants representing eleven countries attended to strengthen their country's capability for emergency preparedness and response to severe conditions at a nuclear power plant.

International Atomic Energy Agency Event | [TEEX.org](https://www.teex.org)



Public Information Officer Training During International Atomic Energy Agency Event



International Atomic Energy Agency Event Participants



Round Table Exercise During International Atomic Energy Agency Event

“Through this course, TEEX, Argonne National Laboratory and the International Atomic Energy Agency strengthened global capabilities for handling nuclear emergencies. By equipping experts from around the globe with the knowledge and tools they need to respond effectively to nuclear emergencies, the international community is more prepared to prevent accidents at facilities and mitigate their potential impacts.”

– Marianne Nari Fisher, Argonne National Laboratory

Response Team Training TEEX-Led Exercises Test FEMA Urban Search and Rescue Team Readiness

In February 2025, approximately 650 members from Texas A&M Task Forces 1, 2, and 3, alongside urban search and rescue teams from Tennessee, Utah, and Florida, participated in two Operational Readiness Exercises (OREs). These exercises were designed to prepare responders for large-scale, multi-state disasters, such as the back-to-back landfall of Hurricanes Milton and Helene in 2024. This marked the first ORE to simulate a single disaster impacting two states. The exercise commenced at TEEX's Disaster City® in College Station before transitioning to Florida for its second phase.

“Earlier this year, I was able to put TEEX training to the test when my search and rescue team deployed to Kerrville, TX, to respond to the July Fourth floods. I put a lot of those skills to the test down there, and the knowledge of command structure, primary searches and recovery efforts were invaluable”

– Thomas Hogan, Texas Rescue Patrol, Northwest County VFD

Texas A&M Task Force Collaborates with State Agencies in Houston Helicopter Search and Rescue Exercise

In May of 2025, Texas A&M Task Force 1 collaborated with state, federal and military agencies from across Texas and the nation to conduct a large-scale aviation search and rescue exercise in and around Houston. The exercise included helicopters and fixed-wing aircraft rescuing groups of “victims” and assisted search-and-rescue aviation to develop better coordination mechanisms for hurricanes and other natural disasters.

Texas A&M Task Force Assists with Hurricanes Helene and Milton

Texas A&M Task Force members also deployed to North Carolina and Florida for more than three weeks to assist with Hurricanes Helene and Milton. More than 140 personnel and six canines from the urban search and rescue task force, the swiftwater and flood rescue strike team, the helicopter search and rescue team and the FEMA incident support team deployed.



Operational Readiness Exercises



Forklift Training

Advanced Workforce Training

The advanced workforce training program is based in the Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Valley regions of Texas. Training is customized to regional needs, employer demands, demographic data and labor trends. TEEK programs create pathways to opportunities through flexible, industry-aligned training.

“Students here will be prepared for in-demand jobs and receive hands-on instruction on real-world projects that are often encountered by workers on the job. They will get the experience and training they need to excel in cutting-edge manufacturing jobs here in the Rio Grande Valley and throughout Texas.”

– Greg Abbott, Governor of the State of Texas

Workforce Development | TEEX.org



AC/DC Training

89th TEXAS LEGISLATIVE SESSION



\$10M

2026-27 BIENNIUM

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT



\$40M

THE TEXAS A&M

UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

FACILITIES INVESTMENT

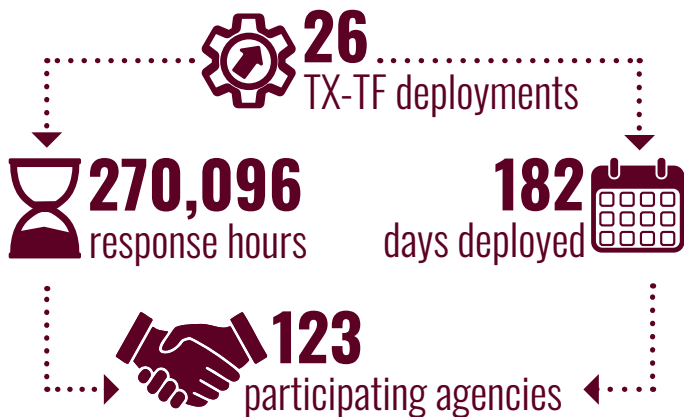
RESPOND

State Response Teams

Texas A&M Task Force (TX-TF) Teams

TX-TF1 (College Station), TX-TF2 (Dallas) and TX-TF3 (Rio Grande Valley) provide state and regional support throughout Texas. Additionally, TX-TF1 is one of FEMA's Urban Search and Rescue teams that deploy nationwide to assist during disasters. Together, they create a scalable response system that strengthens disaster operations at every level.

Team members include firefighters, engineers, canine handlers, medical professionals and logistics specialists.



Public Safety Wellness Response Team

As a member of the Disaster Behavioral Health Consortium, the TEEEX Public Safety Wellness team deploys to disasters to address the mental and emotional needs of first responders by:

- Establishing a First Responder Assistance Center near the incident command post.
- Conducting one-on-one check-ins with responders during and after operational periods.
- Offering peer support coordination and guidance.
- Identifying individuals who may need higher levels of care and coordinating referrals.

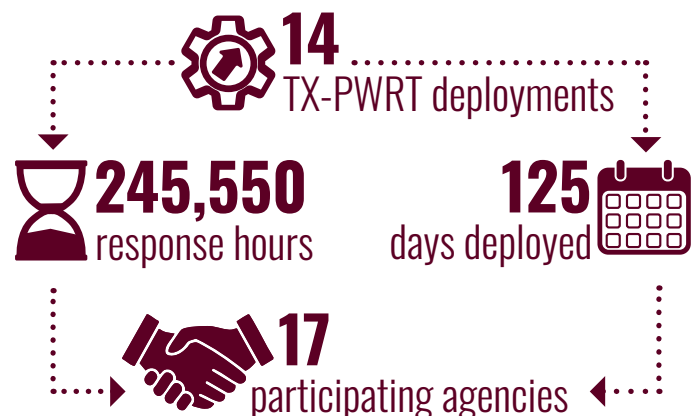


TX-PWRT Member Assists in Clearing Debris

Texas A&M Public Works Response Team

Texas A&M Public Works Response Team (TX-PWRT) is a response team sponsored by TEEEX with experienced members who support local jurisdictions in their response to a catastrophic event by providing critical public works services as needed to facilitate recovery.

During fiscal year 2025, members deployed to the Cities of Rocksprings, Laredo and Marlin to assist their public works with chlorination system installations, thermal imaging leak detection and repairs, inspections, backflow prevention assembly tests and code enforcement.



TEEX Responds to Texas Hill Country Floods

On July 4, 2025, Texas Hill Country experienced one of the deadliest floods in American history. Torrential rain near the Guadalupe River caused water levels to rise over 26 feet in 45 minutes.

TX-TF deployed swiftwater rescue teams, urban search and rescue teams, helicopter search and rescue technicians and canines to assist with search and rescue.

TX-PWRT deployed personnel to assess, support and mitigate damage to water and wastewater systems.

The TEEX Public Safety Wellness Team deployed for the first time and set up a First Responder Assistance Center, where they provided crisis intervention and mental health first aid to responders. The team has continued to provide counseling services, peer support engagement and referrals to specialized treatment providers when appropriate.



754
PEER SUPPORT INTERACTIONS

..... ♥
provided to responding personnel during Texas Hill Country flooding



INNOVATE

New Offerings and Response to Emerging Needs

Safeguarding Texas Water Systems: New Cybersecurity Course Launches for Critical Infrastructure Protection

TEEX launched a new course, Introduction to Cybersecurity for Water and Wastewater Systems, in 2025, amid growing cyber threats targeting critical infrastructure. Developed in partnership with the Texas Department of Information Resources, the course is designed to help information technology personnel and utility workers protect systems that directly affect public health, safety and economic stability.

“We partnered with TEEX to launch a successful cyber incident investigation training, and the hope with this new targeted training is that it will achieve similar success and address the unique cybersecurity needs of the water and wastewater sector in Texas, especially since threat actors have been targeting these facilities more frequently,”

– Tony Sauerhoff, Texas State Chief Information Security Officer

Heavy Equipment Simulator

The heavy equipment simulator offers hands-on training in operating six types of commonly used equipment, including backhoe loaders, dozers and excavators. The course combines classroom instruction and simulator practice, using real-world scenarios to build essential skills for specific maneuvers.

New TEEX Course Integrates Cyber Experts into the Incident Command System

In partnership with the National Cybersecurity Preparedness Consortium, TEEX has created a new course, Cybersecurity Incident Response and Management, to integrate cybersecurity experts into a community's Incident Command System. A cybersecurity attack at the local level could affect a city or county's emergency services, water supply, transportation and other critical services. Because of the increase in cyber attacks, technology personnel, risk managers and emergency managers must know how to work together to respond to, manage and report incidents.



INNOVATE

Research and Strategic Initiatives



Augmented Reality Fire Helmets

TEEX-Tested®

TEEX assembles a panel of subject-matter experts to test and evaluate products in realistic environments where they would likely operate. TEEX-Tested® reports provide emergency response personnel with unbiased information about the product's performance, functionality and reliability in the field. In fiscal year 2025, TEEX became eligible to conduct research within the Texas A&M University System. Products tested in fiscal year 2025 included:

- Augmented reality fire helmets.
- Fire protection coating for industrial steel beams.
- Geolocation trackers for first responders.
- Hands-free hazmat alerting system.
- Augmented reality emergency medical responder training system.



Industrial Fire Robot Testing

INNOVATE Engagement

TEEX hosts major summits for public safety professionals, featuring top names and industry experts

Cyber Readiness Summit

TEEX equips public- and private-sector organizations with practical tools and strategies to identify, protect against, detect and recover from increasingly complex cyber threats.

Cyber Readiness Summit | TEEX.org

First Responder Summit

TEEX convenes national fire service leaders and technical experts to address the growing challenges associated with electric vehicle and energy storage system fires, sharing emerging research, operational best practices, and unresolved safety needs.

First Responder Summit | TEEX.org

Leadership Development Symposium

TEEX brings together first responders from across Texas for its Leadership Development Symposium, providing education, networking, and insight focused on strengthening decision-making and leadership at every level of an organization.

Leadership Development Symposium | TEEX.org

Safety Summit

TEEX provides hands-on training and professional development across critical disciplines that support community resilience and operational excellence.

Safety Summit | TEEX.org



Heavy Equipment Training at the 2025 Safety Summit

Board Member and Committee Seats

Chairmanship of the National Domestic Preparedness Consortium

Central Texas Police Academy Advisory Board

Texas Economic Development Council Workforce Development Committee

FEMA Urban Search and Rescue Advisory Organization

North American Fire Training Directors

International Association for Identification, Texas Division

Criminal Justice Academy Advisory Board

“The symposium fills a need that isn’t being filled anywhere else. We have certifications, formal education and fire service education conferences, but we don’t have anything fully devoted to building better leaders.”

– Les Stephens, Fire Chief, City of San Marcos



2025 Leadership Development Symposium



2025 Cyber Readiness Summit



2025 Electric Vehicle and Stored Energy Conference

INNOVATE Collaboration

TEEX and Texas Economic Development Council Launch Certification Program for Texas Economic Development Professionals

Texas Economic Development Council (TEDC) launched the Certified Texas Economic Developer Program in 2025. This expert-led certification features an eight-course curriculum tailored to state needs. The initiative builds on a 60-year training partnership between TEEX and TEDC.

Certified Texas Economic Developer (CTED) Program | TEEX.org

“This new Texas-specific certification program for economic development professionals supports our state’s ongoing, record-breaking achievements in economic development. In Texas, economic development is a team effort, and our success is thanks to the highly qualified economic developers across Texas who are dedicated to attracting new and expanded businesses to our state while creating new job opportunities for hardworking Texans.”

– Adriana Cruz, executive director, Texas Economic Development and Tourism Office, within the Office of the Governor.

TEEX Hosts Texas A&M Health Science Center Disaster Day

TEEX hosted the Texas A&M Health Science Center’s 17th annual Disaster Day at Disaster City®. More than 600 students participated in the simulation, which provides students with critical life-saving skills required in disaster situations. They engaged in patient care at mock field hospitals and mental health care assessments at an evacuation shelter.



TEEX and TEDC Employees Pose With the First Graduating Class of the Certified Texas Economic Developer Program

TEEX Collaborates with Texas A&M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory to Prepare for Infectious Animal Disease Outbreaks

TEEX and Texas A&M Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory (TVMDL) partnered on an 18-month project to prepare for infectious animal disease outbreaks like Avian Flu and West Nile Virus. The initiative includes four regional and one statewide tabletop exercise focused on response and public health safety. Training began in mid-November in Gonzales, Texas.

TEEX Assists Texas A&M School of Public Health with Adoption of National Guidelines for Field Trauma Triage

TEEX is assisting the USA Center for Rural Public Health Preparedness, based at Texas A&M University, with a four-year project to help first responders nationwide adopt the latest guidelines for field trauma triage. The team is addressing the obstacles in implementing the 2021 guidelines and will assist Emergency Medical Services agencies in deploying the guidelines efficiently and help their communities enhance disaster preparedness and resilience.

USA Center for Rural Public Health Preparedness selected to lead national emergency response project | VitalRecord.tamu.edu

TEEX Hosts Meeting of Emergency Managers

TEEX hosted a meeting and workshop for emergency managers from around The Texas A&M University System. Although all Texas A&M University System agencies and universities have emergency managers and plans, no systemwide plan currently exists. TEEX provided this workshop at no cost in order to improve emergency management at the system level.

“The A&M System is so grateful to have a world-class group of emergency management educators at TEEX. This first-of-its-kind opportunity for emergency managers from across all 11 universities and eight state agencies to participate in an A&M System-level exercise only helps to improve the resilience of the A&M System, our campuses and their communities.”

– Maeci Hoffman, Texas A&M University System Director of Environment, Safety and Security

TTI and TEEX Deliver First-of-Its-Kind Texas First Responder Guide for Automated Vehicles

A joint team from the Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) and TEEX completed and delivered the Texas First Responder Guide to Interactions with Automated Vehicles to the Texas Department of Transportation’s Research and Technology Implementation Division. The team developed a Texas-specific catalog of scenarios and best practices, along with practical guides for identifying AVs and contacting vehicle operators.



Texas A&M Students Hosted and Participated in the 2025 Disaster Day Training at TEEX Disaster City

Texas First Responder Guide for Automated Vehicles |
TTI.tamu.edu



TEEX and TTI Representatives Met For a Two-Day Summit

INNOVATE

Capital Improvements and Facilities

New Burn Tower

The new five-story burn tower at Brayton Fire Training Field is a high-rise firefighting training facility. It features interior and exterior stairwells to simulate evacuation and access scenarios. Live-fire training takes place on the third through fifth floors, and a smoke generator is incorporated to simulate various fire conditions. Two inset balconies provide additional space for training exercises involving rescue and aerial operations.

C-130 Hercules Aircraft Prop Arrives at Disaster City®

TEEX received a new training prop, a C-130 Hercules aircraft that was placed at Disaster City. The aircraft will be used to train air medics, first responders and urban search and rescue professionals. This will be one of the only C-130 Hercules aircraft for civilian training in the United States.





**Public Service
Training Complex**



**Public Service
Training Complex**

From Left, Kelly Templin, Former Director of Texas A&M-RELLIS; Chris Gable, TEEX Director of Infrastructure and Safety; John Sharp, Former Chancellor of the Texas A&M University System; David Coatney, TEEX Agency Director; Stephen Fuchs, TEEX Director of Facilities and Construction; Bill Long, TEEX Director of Law Enforcement and Protective Services; and Gordon Lohmeyer, TEEX Assistant Agency Director, Turn Ceremonial Shovels During a Groundbreaking Ceremony for the Public Service Training Complex.

TEEX Breaks Ground on Public Service Training Complex at Texas A&M-RELLIS

In 2025, TEEX celebrated the groundbreaking of the Public Service Training Complex, located at Texas A&M-RELLIS campus. The facility will provide training for public safety professionals in law enforcement and protective services and infrastructure and safety.

Complex includes:

- An urban grid that simulates a city environment.
- Utility poles for lineworker training.
- A skills pad for commercial drivers and heavy equipment operators.
- A drive track for emergency vehicle training.
- A pit for explosive identification and handling.
- Upgraded classroom and laboratory spaces.

FUNDING APPROVED BY
THE BOARD OF REGENTS

\$27.3 MILLION

TOTAL ACRES

86

COMPLETION DATE

MAY 2026



Public Service Training Complex



Rendering of the Brownsville Facility

Advanced Workforce Training Facilities

In 2025, TEEX began construction of facilities that will expand access to specialized workforce training programs in Corpus Christi and Brownsville. These facilities provide workforce development training in areas such as cybersecurity, heavy equipment, machine maintenance, manufacturing, OSHA, process improvement and professional skills.

Coastal Bend (Corpus Christi, TX)

The third floor renovation of the Chaparral Building in downtown Corpus Christi will include classroom and laboratory space.

CONSTRUCTION COSTS

\$10.7 MILLION

SQUARE FEET

15,000

ESTIMATED
COMPLETION DATE

AUGUST 2026

Rio Grande Valley (Brownsville, TX)

This new facility, located near the Port of Brownsville will include classroom and laboratory spaces, as well as ample outdoor space for hands-on training.

RENOVATION COSTS

\$30 MILLION

SQUARE FEET

32,844

ESTIMATED
COMPLETION DATE

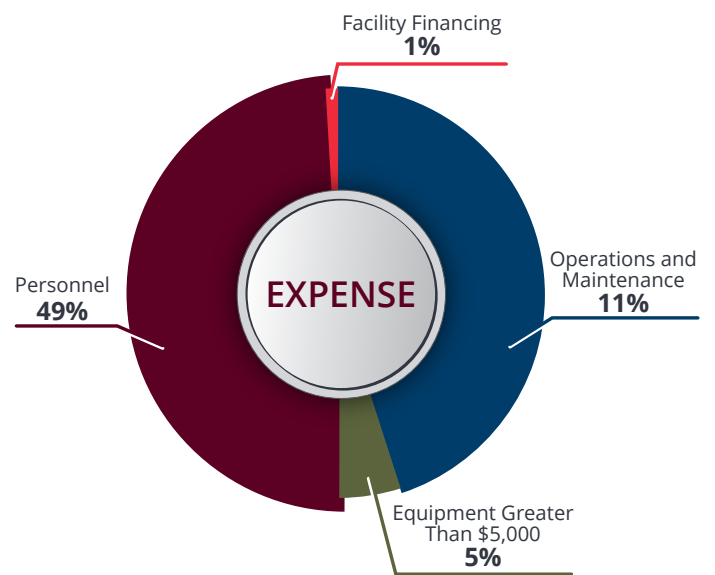
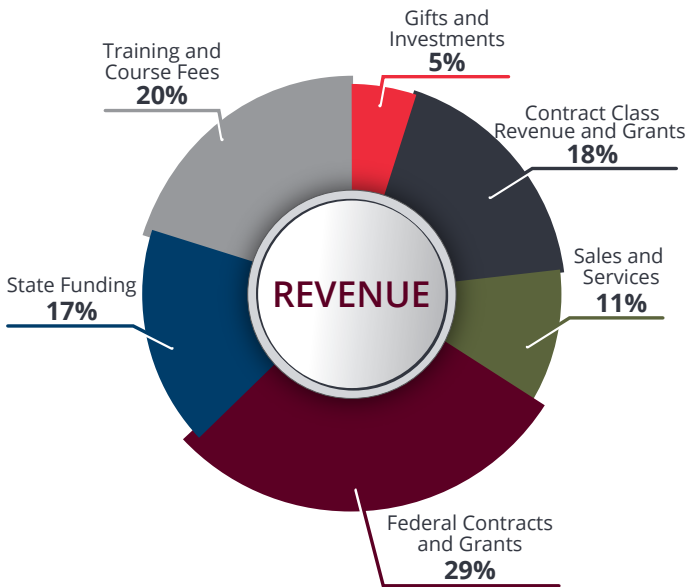
FEBRUARY 2027



Student Flex Space Rendering in the Chaparral Building, Corpus Christi

Financials

In fiscal year 2025, TEEEX prioritized programmatic excellence and organizational health, supported by federal contracts and grants that comprised 29% of revenue. Training fees accounted for 20% of funding, contract classes and grants for 18%, and state funding for 17%. To ensure a strong future, the agency allocated its largest budget share, 49%, to personnel. TEEEX also allocated 11% to operations and maintenance, 5% to equipment costing over \$5,000, and 1% for facility financing to bolster its mission and service delivery. The total agency budget for the fiscal year amounted to \$126.1 million.



TEEX Employees Celebrating the Groundbreaking of the Public Service Training Complex

Public Service Training Complex



Public Service Training Complex



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