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BRYAN TEXAS UTILITIES NEWS

HOLIDAY CLOSURES:

Thanksgiving

Thursday, November 27 - Friday, November 28

BILL PAYMENT

KIOSKS

Locations accepting credit cards, cash and checks:

HEB	1609 N. Texas Ave.
HEB	725 E. Villa Maria
BTU Drive-Through Open 24 hours	205 E. 28th St.
BTU Drive-Through Open 24 hours	2611 N. Earl Rudder Fwy

Bring your BTU account number, BTU bill, keycard or reminder letter.

OVER THE PHONE

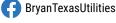
Payments can be made 24 hours a day via the "e-payment" option by calling 979.821.5700. Account number and credit card required.

ONLINE BILL PAY

To register your account, view, and/or pay your bill online, visit:

btutilities.com

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Office: 979.821.5700

Primary Address:

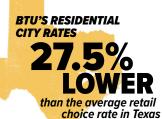
2611 N. Earl Rudder Fwy, Bryan, TX 77803

Mailing Address:

PO Box 8000, Bryan, TX 77805



Public power utilities across the U.S. celebrate Public Power Week the first full week of October every year to help customers and stakeholders understand how they can benefit from the offerings of their community-owned utility. Bryan Texas Utilities has been publicly-owned by the City of Bryan since 1909. Here are just a few reasons why publicly-owned utilities are beneficial to the communities they serve.



Lower Bills

Public power residential customers saved an average of \$191.97 on their electric bills compared to customers of other utilities in 2023. That's \$4.2 billion public power residential customers save each year across the U.S. from rates alone! Locally, BTU's residential city rates were 27.5% lower than the average retail choice rate in Texas in June 2025!

Less Disruption

Public power customers have more time with the lights on. The average customer enjoys 72 more minutes with their creature comforts provided by reliable electricity each year. BTU, in particular, boasted an average interruption duration of 39 minutes in 2024, even lower than the national public power average of 74 minutes.

Community Support

Nationally, public power utilities give 9% more to their communities than for-profit utilities. In 2024, BTU gave more than \$120,000 back to those it serves through charitable donations, including the Bryan/College Station Chamber of Commerce, Brazos Valley Food Bank, Salvation Army, and our yearly scholarship programs.

Embedded Where We Serve

When you get your power from a public utility, you can trust that every decision is made locally and overseen by people who live and work in your community. There are no special interests or shareholders to appease, and our revenues directly benefit you through reinvestment in your utility. BTU has served the Brazos Valley for 116 years, and we intend to be here for the next 116 and beyond.

Publicly-owned electric utilities are a cornerstone of community wellbeing. They prioritize affordability, reliability, and local engagement, shaping a brighter and more resilient future for everyone who calls the communities we serve home.







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Dec. 7 4-7 p.m.

Walk through history this holiday season with a self-guided tour of one of Bryan's oldest neighborhoods.

Start at Heritage Park to pick up a free guide and map, then explore the charm of the East Side Historic District and view historic home exteriors beautifully decorated for the season.

LEARN MORE

bryantx.gov/HolidayPorchStroll



ONE **BIG DAY.** ONE **BIG THANKS.** ONE **BIG EVENT.**



Since its introduction in 1982, The Big Event has become the largest one-day, student-run service project in the nation. Each spring, tens of thousands of Texas A&M University students come together to say "Thank You" to the residents of Bryan+College Station.

The Big Event will be held March 21, 2026! Job requests open Oct. 15.
To learn more, please visit: **bigevent.tamu.edu**

CONSERVATION TIPS



Energy Conservation Tip:

Decorating for Halloween? Skip inflatables and plug-in props that run nonstop. Instead, go for homemade spooky silhouettes, upcycled decorations, or glow-in-the-dark paint to make your house fun, festive, and energy-free!



Water Conservation Tip:

As temperatures cool and daylight shortens in the fall, your lawn and landscape need far less water. Adjust your irrigation schedule accordingly to save water and protect your plants from disease.