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City of Beaumont Gets \$75,000 Grant for Water Recycling Study

The State Water Resources Control Board has approved a \$75,000 grant to help the City of Beaumont conduct a study to plan its water recycling facilities.

Funding for the grant comes from the Safe, Clean, Reliable Water Supply Act of 1996. This bond issue established the Water Recycling Subaccount for low-interest loans for design and construction of water recycling projects and for grants for facilities planning of recycling projects.

The city's study will investigate potential uses for reclaimed water, including landscaping irrigation and groundwater recharge. The study will evaluate alternatives servicing various combinations of reclaimed water users.

The State Water Resources Control Board is a member of the California Environmental Protection Agency.

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