

TEXAS STATE AQUARIUM[®]

ENGAGING people with animals, **INSPIRING** appreciation for our seas, and **SUPPORTING** wildlife conservation

Texas State Aquarium - Today

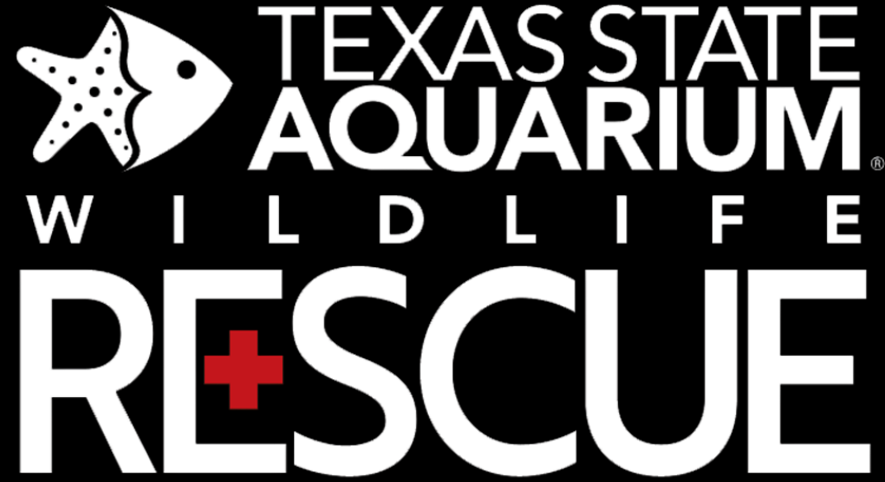
- Official Aquarium of Texas
- Largest aquarium in Texas
- Voted 5th best aquarium in the US
- 514,000 guests in 2022



Aquarium's Economic Impact

- \$151 million economic impact on the Corpus Christi area in 2021
- Supported 1,186 area jobs with \$42.9 million in salaries
- \$11.6 million in revenues for city, county, and other taxing districts
- \$7 million in tax revenues for state





Vision

Wildlife Resiliency on the Texas Gulf Coast

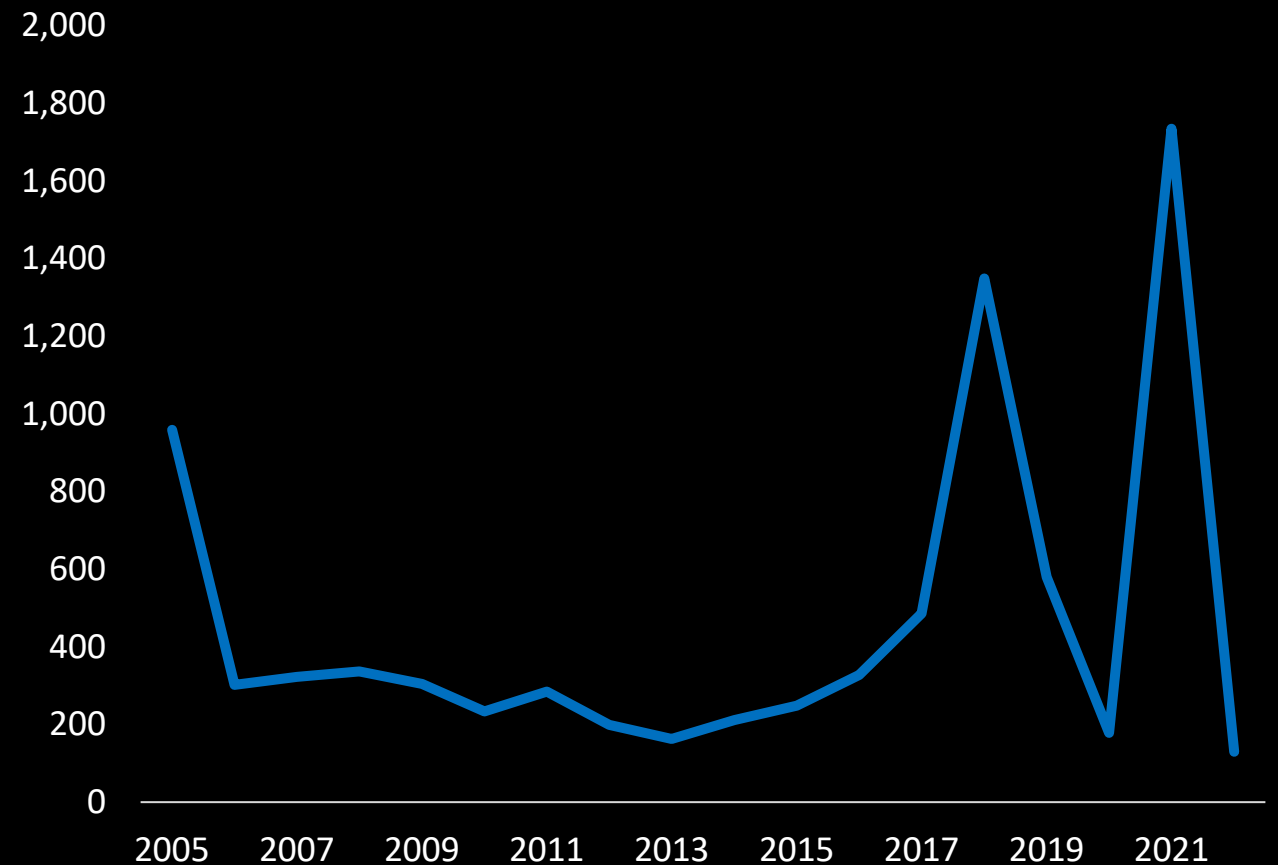
Mission

*Conserving Wildlife and Developing Science Advocates to Build a
Resilient Texas Gulf Coast*

Wildlife Rescue Along the Texas Gulf Coast

- Prepare – develop wildlife professionals to respond to wildlife disasters
- Respond – operate the most comprehensive wildlife rescue center in Texas
- Recover – build resilient wildlife habitats and populations

Wildlife Rescue Patients



Wildlife Rescue Program

- Largest coastal center in Texas
- Only Texas facility permitted for marine mammals, birds, & sea turtles
- Have released over 3,869 animals back into the wild

Rescue Patient Numbers 2005-2022

	Intake
Marine mammals	23
Aves	5,007
Sea turtles	<u>3,383</u>
	8,413



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Port of Corpus Christi Center for Wildlife Rescue

- Wildlife Operations Center
- 3,000 sea turtle capacity
- Wildlife CT scanner
- Manatee Rescue Partnership







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SAVE THE DATE

for the Official Grand Opening of

the Port of Corpus Christi Center
for Wildlife Rescue at the
Texas State Aquarium

03.02.23 at 10.30 a.m.

