



*Memorial Day Flooding 2015*

***It's important to us to be clear about what we do. These are our support teams that help in every area of recovery.***

*Case Management*

*Volunteer Coordination*

*Donations*

*Construction Management*

*Public Information*

*Spiritual and Emotional Support*

## **Who We Are**

On Saturday May 23rd 2015, Memorial Day Weekend, a massive storm system stalled over the Texas Hill Country and caused historical flooding of the Blanco and San Marcos Rivers. In response to this flood Hays, Blanco, Caldwell, and Guadalupe counties collaborated and the BR3T was formulated.

The Blanco River Regional Recovery Group was designed to aid in long term recovery for all disasters in these four counties. The BR3T has a wide network of national and community partners that are utilized in time of disaster. We work with all of these organizations to ensure that all of our clients needs are facilitated for. The BR3T will continue to prepare for future disasters to ensure that all of the citizens in our counties are taken care of in a time of crisis.

### **Contact Us**

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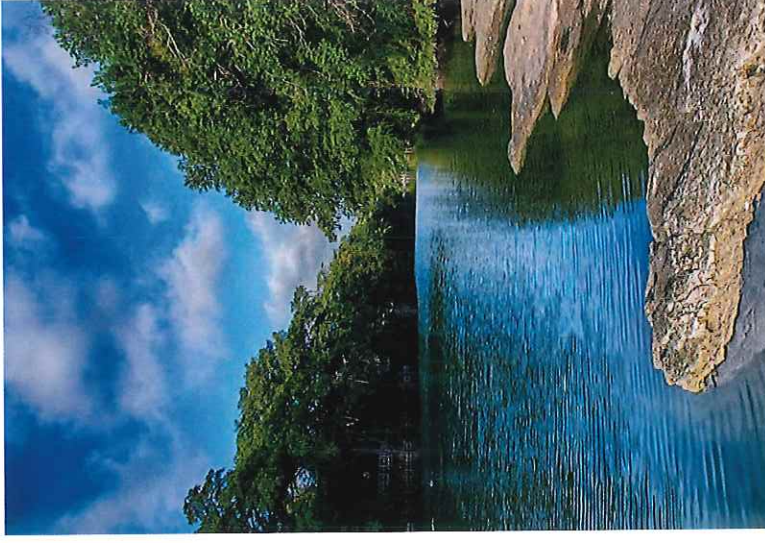
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## How can you contribute to our efforts?

### Here are a couple of ideas...

The BR3T is constantly looking for volunteers to assist in event coordination, fundraisers, debris removal, and a variety of construction related work. Donations are always appreciated and are directly attributed to helping our clients. Donations can be made through our PayPal link on our website at: [www.br3t.org](http://www.br3t.org).

### Current Progress

After the flooding there were over 1,400 case files that needed assistance. In January of 2018 there were still 25 cases that were still in need of full remodels in their homes. In 2018 we have coordinated and utilized over \$200,000 in volunteer labor. In that time, we were able to complete construction on all of our open cases.

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*"The BR3T built us a new home when we were at our lowest morale. They saved my families life, we cannot thank them enough."*

*-Martindale Homeowner*

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### Progress Continued

The BR3T has raised over \$100,000 in 2018 that have been directly applied to closing out our final cases from the Memorial Day floods. BR3T is still taking on cases. If you know of any flood survivors that are still in need of assistance, please contact our offices.



*Debris removal after the 2015 Memorial Day Flooding*

### LONG-TERM COMMUNITY RECOVERY IS:

Community driven and locally controlled Project-oriented, focused on projects that contribute to community recovery and that mitigate future disasters. A partnership among local agencies, jurisdictions, officials and the state and federal government.

The Blanco River Regional Recovery Team aims to help communities develop sustainable, ecological, simple, easy-to-maintain systems to get assistance to everyone who needs it. The length of time for recovery will depend on the resources available and the amount of damage sustained. In most cases it takes years.