

# How Wichita Runs Water

Wichita gets its drinking water from Cheney Reservoir and the Equus Bed Aquifer. Water travels from these locations via large transmission pipes to the water treatment plant. Once treated, the water is distributed to homes, businesses and wholesale customers. Wastewater is then collected and sent to the sewage treatment plant, where it is cleaned and then sent to the Arkansas River.

Cheney Reservoir

Equus Bed Aquifer

## Water Treatment

The City treated over 19 billion gallons of water last year

CARLOS' CANTINA  
MEXICAN RESTAURANT

## Water Distribution

The City has over 2,500 miles of water lines that deliver water

## Sewer System

The City has over 2,100 miles of sewer lines that collect waste

## Sewage Treatment

The City treated over 10 billion gallons of wastewater last year

Arkansas  
RIVER