

Air Quality

Average number of "Good" air quality days in Louisiana's 9 Core-Based Statistical Areas (CBSAs)

Importance

 Good air quality lessens the risk of various respiratory illnesses as well as heart attacks, strokes, and premature death.

Year-Over-Year

2023: 145 days2024: 170 days





"Good" Air Quality in 2024

Source

Air Quality Index Report,
 Environmental Protection Agency

Safe Drinking Water

Number of water systems in Louisiana with health violations

Importance

 Safe drinking water is a necessity for all people.

Year-Over-Year

2023: 356 2024: 465





Health Violations in 2024

Source

 State Drinking Water Dashboard, Environmental Protection Agency

Quality of Water Systems

Number of waters systems in Louisiana out of compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act

Importance

Compliance with the U.S. Safe Drinking Water Act ensures that the state's more than 1,300 community water systems are meeting health requirements, testing for water safety, and properly reporting information to the public.

Year-Over-Year

2023: 4662024: 533





Out of Compliance in 2024

Source

 State Drinking Water Dashboard, Environmental Protection Agency

Energy Production

Total energy production in Louisiana from all sources

Importance

 Energy production has long been a vital component of Louisiana's economy.

Year-Over Year

2021: 4,105 Trillion BTU
 2023: 4,998 Trillion BTU





Total Energy Production in 2023

Ranked 6th highest in the U.S.

Source

 State Energy Data 2021, U.S. Energy Information Administration

Renewable Energy Production

Percentage of Louisiana's energy production from renewable sources

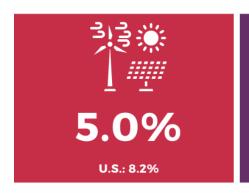
Importance

 The energy sector is changing as demand for renewable energy sources continues to grow.

Year-Over Year

2021: 4.5% 2023: 5.0%





Renewable Energy Production in 2023

Source

 State Energy Data 2023, U.S. Energy Information Administration

Coastal Projects Funding

Projected annual expenditures on coastal projects and programs

Importance

 Stabilizing our coastal area, fortifying infrastructure against storm damage and protecting the energy sector and fisheries are vital to Louisiana's economy.

Year-Over Year

2025: \$1.71 B2026 \$1.98 B





Total Projected
Expenditures
in Coastal
Programs
2026

Source

 Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority, 2026 Annual Plan