

AMERICAN EEL MONITORING

**VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITY**

**Earn Volunteer
Hours**

**Approved
Monitoring
Program**

**Assist TPWD
Collect Data on
American Eel**

**Bi-Monthly
Sampling for
Juvenile
American Eel**

**Help Conserve
This Unique
Species**



Texas Parks and Wildlife Department needs your help to collect data on juvenile American Eel to assist in the conservation and management of this unique species.

Sampling Equipment

Eel Mop



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Juvenile American Eel



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Sampling Timeline

1. Deploy eel mops at sites such as boat ramps, fishing piers or bulkheads in tidal streams and estuaries
2. Check eel mops every two weeks for American Eel
3. Record catch on provided datasheets
4. Email or mail datasheets to TPWD

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