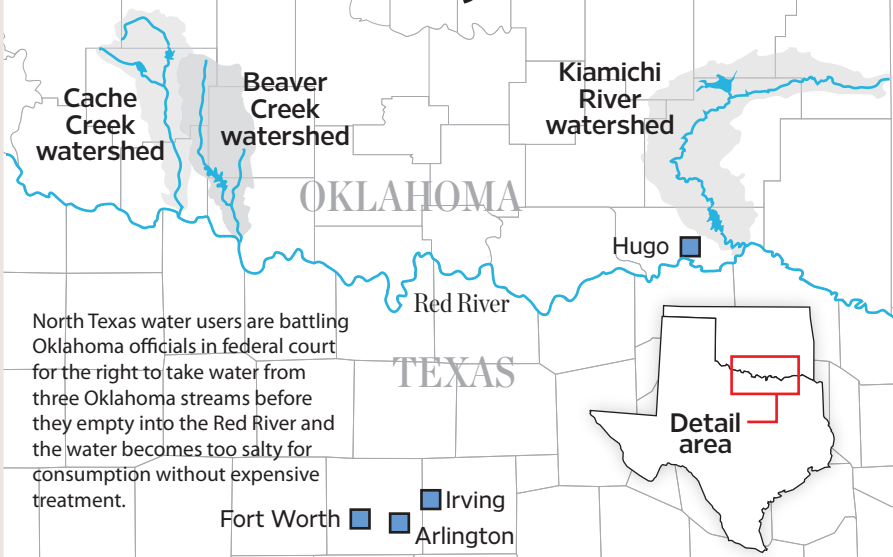


# Red River water rivalry



North Texas water users are battling Oklahoma officials in federal court for the right to take water from three Oklahoma streams before they empty into the Red River and the water becomes too salty for consumption without expensive treatment.