

Texana Groundwater Conservation District Meeting Notice and Agenda

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code and Section 36.064 of the Texas Water Code that the Texana Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors will hold a meeting on July 20, 2023, at 8:30 AM at the County Services Building, 411 N. Wells, Edna, Texas.

AGENDA

1. Call the meeting to order and welcome guests.
2. Receive public comments.
3. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater management including the efforts and activities of the District regarding permitting, complaints, investigations, violations, and enforcement cases associated with permitting.
 - a. Continuation of Permit Hearing - Mr. Darryl R. Hammond for The Ranches at Mustang Creek, LLC seeks, under permitting request case PRC-20220928-01, a historic use production permit authorizing production of groundwater for irrigation of crops and lake maintenance at rates not to exceed 2,500 gallons per minute or 945 acre-feet per year from grandfathered well GW-00569. The subject well is located on a 322.65-acre tract of land near the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 North and County Road 202 in Jackson County, Texas.
 - b. Continuation of Permit Hearing - Mr. Reed Bowers for Bowers and Saha Aquaculture LLC seeks, under permitting request case PRC-20230321-01, amendments to waiver WV-20191219-01 to revise the monitoring requirements, the performance criteria, and performance responses, and curtailment requirements established within the waiver. The subject well field is located near the intersection of County Road 477 and County Road 479 in Jackson County, Texas.
 - c. Mr. Michael Skalicky seeks, under permitting request case PRC-20230620-01, a production permit authorizing the production of groundwater for commercial uses at rates not to exceed 20 gallons per minute or 0.168acre-feet per year. The subject well of the production permit will be located on a 463.58-acre tract of land near the intersection of FM 710 and FM 260in Jackson County, Texas.
 - d. Enforcement proceedings, including consideration of remedies provided for under Section 36.102 of the Texas Water Code, related to enforcement case violation ECV-20230421-01 finding Candido Saenz failed to report groundwater production for calendar year 2022 for non-exempt-use well GW-00547 as required by Rule 2.6: REPORTING REQUIREMENT RELATED TO NON-EXEMPT USE WELLS.
 - e. Enforcement proceedings, including consideration of remedies provided for under Section 36.102 of the Texas Water Code, related to enforcement case violation ECV-20230421-02 finding The Ranches at Mustang Creek, failed to report groundwater production for calendar year 2022 for non-exempt-use well GW-00569 as required by Rule 2.6: REPORTING REQUIREMENT RELATED TO NON-EXEMPT-USE WELLS.
 - f. Enforcement proceedings, including consideration of remedies provided for under Section 36.102 of the Texas Water Code, related to enforcement case violation ECV-20230421-07 finding Alice M. Combs, failed to report groundwater production for calendar year 2022 for non-exempt-use well GW-00363 as required by Rule 2.6: REPORTING REQUIREMENT RELATED TO NON-EXEMPT-USE WELLS.

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- g. Enforcement proceedings, including consideration of remedies provided for under Section 36.102 of the Texas Water Code, related to enforcement case violation ECV-20230421-08 finding Alice M. Combs, failed to report groundwater production for calendar year 2022 for non-exempt-use wells GW-00357, GW-00359, GW-00360 and GW-00361 as required by Rule 2.6: REPORTING REQUIREMENT RELATED TO NON-EXEMPT-USE WELLS.
4. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater protection including complaints, investigations, violations, and enforcement cases related to groundwater contamination and waste.
5. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater monitoring.
6. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater conservation.
7. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater resource planning including Groundwater Management Area 15 Joint Planning and regional water planning.
8. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to groundwater policy including the Management Plan of the District and the Rules of the District.
9. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to administration and management including the minutes of previous meetings, the annual budget of the district, bank accounts, investments, financial reports of the district, bills and invoices of the district, management goals and objectives of the district, administrative policies, staffing, consultant agreements, interlocal cooperation agreements, and support services provided to and from other groundwater conservation districts.
10. Consideration of and possible action on matters related to legal counsel report.
11. Adjourn.

The Texana Groundwater Conservation District may close the meeting, if necessary, to conduct private consultation with legal counsel regarding matters protected by the attorney-client privilege pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Government Code or to discuss matters regarding personnel pursuant to Section 551.074 of the Government Code. The Texana Groundwater Conservation District will return to open meeting, if necessary, to take any action deemed necessary based on discussion in closed meeting pursuant to Section 551.102 of the Government Code.

In Accordance with Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act, we invite all attendees to advise us of any special accommodations due to disability. Please submit your request as far as possible in advance of event you wish to attend.

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Katherine R. Brooks, Clerk of County Court
JACKSON COUNTY, TEXAS
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