Region H Water Planning Group 10:00 AM Wednesday February 3, 2021 Publicly Accessible Webinar/Telephone Conference (details below)

AGENDA

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Introductions.
- 3. Review and approve minutes of September 2, 2020 meeting.
- 4. Receive public comments on specific issues related to agenda items 5 through 16. (Public comments limited to 3 minutes per speaker)
- 5. Receive update on and discuss Regional Water Planning Group membership for the sixth round of regional water planning.
- 6. Accept the resignation of Jimmie Schindewolf as a voting member of the Region H Water Planning Group (RHWPG) representing Water Districts, declare a vacant position, and consider taking action to appoint a new voting member representing Water Districts.
- 7. Discuss and elect officers and members of the Executive Committee of the RHWPG.
- 8. Review Region H committee and liaison assignments for development of the 2026 Region H Regional Water Plan (RWP).
- 9. Discuss and consider taking action authorizing the San Jacinto River Authority to use funds from the Region H Local Contribution Account to pay for renewal of Directors and Officers Liability Insurance for RHWPG members.
- 10. Receive update regarding the schedule and milestones for the development of the 2026 Region H RWP.
- 11. Receive presentation from Texas Water Development Board regarding the process for and preparation of an application for a Regional Water Planning Grant from the Texas Water Development Board for funding of the sixth round of regional water planning for Region H.
- 12. Receive presentation on the submittal of an application for funding and the scope of work for the Sixth Cycle of Regional Water Planning (2022-2026).
- 13. Discuss and consider taking action authorizing the San Jacinto River Authority to provide public notice and hold a pre-planning public meeting to obtain public input on development of the 2026 RWP and 2027 State Water Plan.
- 14. Receive presentation from Texas Water Development Board regarding the activities and recommendations of the Interregional Planning Council.
- 15. Receive report regarding recent and upcoming activities related to communications and outreach efforts on behalf of the RHWPG.
- 16. Agency communications and general information.
- 17. Receive public comments. (Public comments limited to 3 minutes per speaker)
- 18. Next Meeting: April 7, 2021.
- 19. Adjourn.

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