

## REGION H WATER PLANNING GROUP

Senate Bill 1 - Texas Water Development Board c/o San Jacinto River Authority P. O. Box 329, Conroe, Texas 77305 Telephone 936-588-1111 Facsimile 936-588-3043

## Notice of Public Meeting on Proposed Scope of Work and Notice of Application to the Texas Water Development Board for Financial Assistance to Update the Region H Regional Water Plan

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The 15-county Region H Water Planning Group (RHWPG) is preparing an updated Regional Water Plan which will be submitted to the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) in 2011. The TWDB will consolidate the reports from the 16 Regional Water Planning Areas and report to the Texas Legislature not later than January 2012.

To meet currently changed conditions, the RHWPG is preparing a Scope of Work to address items to include in the updated Regional Water Plan. The RHWPG is soliciting input from the public about the topics that should be addressed in the work.

A meeting to receive comments from the public on items that may be included in the proposed Scope of Work will be held at 10:00 a.m., May 28, 2008, preceding the regular RHWPG meeting at the SJRA offices, 105 Damsite Road, Conroe, Texas. Action on the Scope of Work may be taken at that meeting. Comments may also be submitted by mail to the SJRA at the address below, or by fax to 936-588-3043 within 30 days of the date of this notice.

Notice is also being given that the RHWPG is submitting an application for a grant from the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) for planning activities to address these changed conditions. The TWDB will consider the proposed grant application at an upcoming meeting. Region H has designated the San Jacinto River Authority (SJRA) to submit the application to the TWDB. Copies of the application may be requested from SJRA at the address below. Any comments on the application must be filed with the Executive Administrator of the TWDB (see the address below) and the SJRA within 30 days of this notice.

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The current Region H Water Plan is available for review on the TWDB website at <a href="https://www.twdb.state.tx.us">www.twdb.state.tx.us</a>. A draft of known proposed items for the Scope of Work will be available on the RHWPG website at <a href="https://www.regionhwater.org">www.regionhwater.org</a> about a week before the public meeting.

When completed, copies of the proposed Scope of Work and the Grant Application will be available for review at the offices of SJRA during regular business hours.

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