

We are holding the second Stakeholder Advisory Forum to present and discuss the draft conceptual and numerical models for the project. This meeting will be held **online**, via GoToMeeting, on **Friday, December 10, 2021, at 10:00 AM (CST)**. TWDB staff will discuss the Groundwater Availability Modeling program, review the conceptual model for the project, discuss model design, and present calibration results for the draft groundwater availability model. We encourage your input, questions, and discussion on these topics at the meeting. If you wish to attend the meeting, please **RSVP to me at Shirley.Wade@twdb.texas.gov by November 30, 2021**. A follow-up email will be sent out approximately one week before the meeting with information on how to join the meeting.

Following the stakeholder meeting, the presentation and minutes will be posted on the website.

Stakeholder participation is critical to the success of the GAM program and the development of the models. This includes participation at all levels of the public and private sector. Anyone interested in the development of this model is encouraged to attend. If you know of others that may be interested please feel free to forward this invitation to them as well.

The draft conceptual and numerical model reports as well as supporting data and model files have been posted for review on the TWDB Groundwater webpage: (<http://www.twdb.texas.gov/groundwater/models/gam/blsm/blsm.asp>). We will consider incorporating comments on the draft model report in the final report if the comments are received **by January 4, 2022**. After that time it will be difficult to consider major comments in the final report, but we will be happy to continue to receive comments. Please submit comments concerning the model in writing to Shirley.Wade@twdb.texas.gov. For additional information I can also be reached at (512) 936-0883. If you do not wish to receive these emails, please reply and let me know.

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