



## Final reports now posted for Blossom, Nacatoch, and Lipan aquifers

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) has published final reports for the Blossom, Nacatoch, and Lipan aquifer studies. To provide stakeholders an opportunity to review the findings of the studies and the evaluations of potential production areas, the final reports are posted at [www.twdb.texas.gov/innovativewater/bracs/HB30.asp](http://www.twdb.texas.gov/innovativewater/bracs/HB30.asp). Stakeholders may provide written comments to the TWDB until **February 28, 2018**.

Although contractors will not change the final reports, TWDB staff will consider stakeholder comments when developing recommendations to the Board. In early 2018, the TWDB will begin a detailed review of study findings, consider stakeholder comments, and subsequently make recommendations for the designation of brackish groundwater production zones. The Board will consider the Executive Administrator's recommendations for brackish groundwater production zone designations at a TWDB Board meeting in May 2018. Stakeholders will receive an email notification about the meeting in advance.

The TWDB has been busy this past year presenting at local meetings held within the vicinity of each of the three aquifers. Presentations from the stakeholder meetings are available at their respective project websites or [www.twdb.texas.gov/innovativewater/bracs/HB30.asp](http://www.twdb.texas.gov/innovativewater/bracs/HB30.asp). Stakeholder participation continues to be critical to the success of these projects, and we encourage everyone to participate.

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We look forward to receiving your comments on the final reports by **February 28, 2018**.

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