

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) will conduct a public hearing in accordance with Texas Water Code §16.053(r) and 31 Texas Administrative Code §357.51(f) and §358.4(a) on Monday, June 29, 2015 to receive public comment on proposed amendments to the 2012 State Water Plan, *Water for Texas 2012*. The public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. in Room 1-100, William B. Travis Building, 1701 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78701.

The Board seeks to receive public comment related to the incorporation of changes adopted by the Region C regional water planning group to its adopted regional water plan on April 20, 2015. Specifically, Region C proposed to add project details and capital costs to the water loss components of the previously recommended conservation water management strategy for the cities of Bedford and Fort Worth. On May 5, 2015, TWDB received the 2011 Region C regional water plan amendment materials and request for approval. These materials were reviewed by TWDB staff and the amendment to the regional water plan was approved by the Board on May 19, 2015.

The Board also seeks to receive public comment related to the incorporation of changes adopted by the Region L regional water planning group to its adopted regional water plan on April 2, 2015. Specifically, Region L substituted an alternative water management strategy of the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority's Lower Basin Storage Project for the previously recommended configuration of the Lower Basin Storage Project. The Executive Administrator approved the water management strategy substitution on November 3, 2014.

Interested persons are encouraged to attend the hearing to present comments concerning the proposed amendments. Those who cannot attend the hearing may provide written comments on or before June 29, 2015 to Mr. Les Trobman, General Counsel, Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13231, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 or by email to rulescomments@twdb.texas.gov. The TWDB will receive public comment on the proposed amendments until close of business at 5 p.m. on June 29, 2015. Copies of the proposed amendments are available for inspection during regular business hours at the Stephen F. Austin Building from the Water Use, Projections, and Planning Division, Texas Water Development Board, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78701. If you want to view these documents, please call (512) 475-2057 for arrangements to view them. A copy of the proposed amendments will also be available on the Board's web site at <http://www.twdb.texas.gov/waterplanning/swp/2012/index.asp>.