Regional Water Planning Group Chairs Call
February 22, 2021, 2:00 pm
Agenda

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1. Introductions, Opening Comments, and Agenda Order (Sarah Backhouse)

2. Fifth Cycle Wrap-up (Sarah Backhouse)
   a) All plans approved 1/19
   b) Final invoicing reminders
   c) Chairs feedback

3. Interregional Planning Council (Temple McKinnon)
   a) Update on recommendations from the Interregional Planning Council
   b) Chairs feedback

4. Regional Water Planning Program Updates (Sarah Backhouse/Temple McKinnon)
   a) TWDB Regional Water Planning website demo
   b) Working schedule for 2026 Regional Water Plans [Handout A]
   c) Input on communications
   d) Member feedback survey
   e) Regional Water Planning Area boundary review
   f) 2022 State Water Plan development
   g) TWDB Legislative Priorities Report [Handout B]
   h) Chairs feedback

5. Regional and State Water Planning Rulemaking (Sarah Backhouse)
   a) Current rulemaking for Regional Water Planning Grants and Public Notice and Participation [Handout C]
   b) Upcoming rulemaking regarding State Water Planning Guidance Principles and other revisions to Regional Water Planning rules
   c) Chairs feedback
6. **Sixth Cycle of Regional Water Planning Initial Activities** (Sarah Backhouse)
   a) Request for applications and initial contracting timeline
   b) Initial contract tasks
   c) Subcontractor procurement
   d) Expectations and guidance for pre-planning and coordination meeting
   e) Chairs feedback

7. **Chairs Discussion** (Chairs)
   a) Future format of Chairs calls
   b) Any other feedback or discussion from Chairs

8. **Wrap-up and next call topics and date** (Sarah Backhouse)

**Handouts:**
A. [Sixth Cycle of Regional Water Planning working schedule](#)
B. [TWDB Priorities for the 87th Texas Legislative Session](#)
C. [Proposal for publication of proposed amendments related to regional water planning](#)