TEXAS GROUNDWATER PROTECTION COMMITTEE
RECORD OF MEETING
Committee Work Session, Fiscal Year 2014

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MEETING HANDOUTS

1. Agenda for Texas Groundwater Protection Committee Work Session on March 5, 2014
MEETING RECORD OF MARCH 5, 2014

This meeting was a work session for the Committee members and their staff to discuss the revision of the Texas Groundwater Protection Strategy (http://www.tceq.state.tx.us/assets/public/comm_exec/pubs/as/188.pdf).

No public testimony or comment was accepted.

Below was the meeting agenda.

I. Review policy framework for Groundwater Protection, State groundwater protection goal, water planning process, and groundwater conservation and management.

II. Review Aquifer mapping, major minor aquifer delineations, and groundwater management area designations.

III. Review roles and responsibilities of the Texas Groundwater Protection Committee, Subcommittees, and member agencies and organizations. Discuss various programs within each agency that protect, remediate, and conserve groundwater.

IV. Discuss groundwater data management and groundwater research needs and efforts.

V. Discuss groundwater public education initiatives by each agency and public participation initiatives.

VI. Discuss short- and long-term groundwater protection planning.

VII. Discuss additional recommendations on how to implement the Texas Groundwater Protection Strategy.