

**Texas Groundwater Protection Committee (TGPC)**  
**Legislative Report Subcommittee**  
**Status Report**  
**April 24, 2024**

The TGPC's Legislative Report Subcommittee was re-activated at the last TGPC meeting in order to prepare the *Activities and Recommendations of the Texas Groundwater Protection Committee: A Report to the 89<sup>th</sup> Texas Legislature* ("*Legislative Report*").

The subcommittee met on March 20, 2022, to work on the *Legislative Report*.

Meeting summary:

- Reviewed the process and timeline for the completion of the *Legislative Report*.
- The subcommittee reviewed the statute that created the TGPC and worked on various recommendations that pertain to the protection of groundwater quality in the state.
- The draft recommendations file has been distributed to the subcommittee members, and we plan to continue reviewing the existing recommendations at the next subcommittee meeting. We will also discuss the TGPC White Papers that were approved in FY2023 and 2024. The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for June 5, 2024.
- The subcommittee will finalize the draft *Legislative Report*, update the TGPC's activities and route it to the members before the next TGPC meeting in July 2024.
- The final draft *Legislative Report* will be presented for member approval at the next TGPC meeting. TCEQ staff seeks member agencies' management review and concurrence before August 31.
- If there is a need for the subcommittee to work on any new recommendation(s), TCEQ staff will schedule a meeting for the subcommittee to meet again in September 2024.
- The final version of the *Legislative Report* will be presented at the TGPC meeting in October for approval before TCEQ staff send the report to Agency Publications.
- TCEQ staff will seek approval during the October TGPC meeting to make any non-substantive changes required during the publication process.
- The subcommittee plans to distribute the final report to the Legislature in December 2024 before the session begins in January 2025.