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2009 Areawide Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas

As the designated water quality management planning agency, the North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) is required to undertake 208/201 coordination with the state agency (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality – TCEQ). NCTCOG is to evaluate and facilitate development and implementation of wastewater treatment management plans and practices to meet the goals of the Clean Water Act as amended, and to specifically coordinate with the state agency to ensure that plans developed under Section 208 fit with companion requirements under Section 201 which deals primarily with facility planning and funding of treatment facilities or infrastructure. The 208/201 coordination activities typically involve examination of facility plans submitted as part of funding applications. NCTCOG compares the facility planning information with regional goals and plans included as part of the current amended Areawide Water Quality Management Plan. As part of this ongoing process, NCTCOG prepares a response to TCEQ regarding facility planning proposals, and conformance with elements of the Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas. NCTCOG may make specific recommendations regarding proposals on an as-needed basis, and in some circumstances the planning information for specific facilities may be revised in the subsequent amendment of the regional WQMP.

This appendix indicates those entities for which NCTCOG has done 208/201 coordination activities in partnership with the TCEQ since the last amendment of the WQMP. NCTCOG has indicated, as needed, where specific adjustments to the WQMP have been made to accommodate any 208/201 evaluation.

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<p align="center">208/201 Coordination Activities 2008 Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas</p>		
<p align="center"><i>Since the 2008 Amendment of the Annual Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas, NCTCOG has addressed the following items for information on systems that are seeking funding for construction of infrastructure or facilities.</i></p>		
<p align="center">Planning Entity and Service Area</p>	<p align="center">NCTCOG Evaluation</p>	<p align="center">Conclusion and/or WQMP action</p>
<p>City of Commerce Corporate Boundary</p>	<p>Commerce proposed improvements to its wastewater collection system (CWSRF Project No. 72140). NCTCOG staff examined the current annual population estimates for Commerce as no NCTCOG projections are available for Commerce at this time.</p>	<p>Service area population estimates for the City of Commerce (corporate city limits) compared favorably with the proposed project population projections, and therefore NCTCOG responded to TCEQ that the available population estimates support those planning projections used for the project.</p>
<p>City of Commerce Corporate Boundary</p>	<p>Commerce proposed improvements to its wastewater collection system (CWSRF Project No. 72263). NCTCOG staff examined the current annual population estimates for Commerce as no NCTCOG projections are available for Commerce at this time.</p>	<p>Service area population estimates for the City of Commerce (corporate city limits) compared favorably with the proposed project population projections, and therefore NCTCOG responded to TCEQ that the available population estimates support those planning projections used for the project.</p>
<p>City of Aledo Corporate Boundary</p>	<p>The City of Aledo proposed improvements to its wastewater system that include increasing the capacity from .35 MGD to 0.60 MGD (CWSRF Project No. 72213). NCTCOG staff examined the 2030 population projections and the current annual population estimates for Aledo.</p>	<p>NCTCOG demographic projections for key benchmark years were above those proposed by use on this project, but within an acceptable range for planning purposes. NCTCOG recommended in its response to TCEQ/TWDB that they consider having Aledo target planning for higher population forecast projections.</p>

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<p>City of Arlington Service Area Boundary</p>	<p>The facility planning proposals for the City of Arlington were reviewed for consistency with NCTCOG demographic forecasts. The City of Arlington proposal was for improvements to its wastewater collection system (CWSRF Project No. 72313). Arlington has been recommended for designation for collection, and treatment is provided by the Trinity River Authority Central Regional Wastewater Reclamation Facility.</p>	<p>The engineering consultants for the City of Arlington proposed demographic projections that are above NCTCOG’s 2030 forecasts, but within acceptable ranges for facility planning purposes. NCTCOG responded to TCEQ (and TWDB through TCEQ) that the planning forecasts for the project are in conformance with the Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas.</p>
<p>City of Fort Worth Corporate Boundary</p>	<p>The facility planning proposals for the City of Fort Worth were reviewed for consistency with NCTCOG demographic forecasts. The City of Fort Worth proposal was for improvements to its wastewater collection system (CWSRF Project No. 72275). Fort Worth has been designated for treatment and collection.</p>	<p>The engineering consultants for the City of Fort Worth proposed demographic projections that are above NCTCOG’s 2030 forecasts, but a review of current estimates indicated that the project projections are within acceptable ranges for facility planning purposes. NCTCOG responded to TCEQ (and TWDB through TCEQ) that the planning forecasts for the project are in conformance with the Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas.</p>
<p>City of Hutchins Corporate Boundary</p>	<p>The facility planning proposals for the City of Hutchins were reviewed for consistency with NCTCOG demographic forecasts. The City of Hutchins proposal was for improvements to its wastewater collection system (CWSRF Project No. 72356). Hutchins has been recommended for designation to collect wastewater.</p>	<p>The engineering consultants for the City of Hutchins proposed demographic projections that are significantly above NCTCOG’s 2030 forecasts, but a review of current estimates combined with recognition of the dynamic state of development in Hutchins suggests that the project projections are within acceptable ranges for facility planning purposes, especially since it is for enhancements to the collection system. NCTCOG responded to TCEQ (and TWDB through TCEQ) that the planning forecasts for the project are in conformance with the Water Quality Management Plan for North Central Texas.</p>