



## North Central Texas Council of Governments

# SUMMARY

### **TMDL I-Plan Wastewater Technical Subcommittee Meeting**

Tuesday, November 19, 2019, 9:30 AM

Tejas Conference Room 2, NCTCOG Offices, CP111  
600 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, Texas 76011

1. **Welcome and Introductions.**

### **ACTION ITEMS**

2. **Wastewater Subcommittee Meeting Summary.** The [May 29, 2019 meeting summary](#) was presented for approval.

The subcommittee approved the [May 29, 2019 meeting summary](#).

### **DISCUSSION**

3. **Subcommittee Project Discussion.** NCTCOG will present the status of current projects pertaining to On Site Sewage Facility (OSSF - Task 5.2) Education Efforts for Real Estate Agents, Property Inspectors, and Homeowners.

NCTCOG hosted a workshop for homeowners on July 25, 2019, in Burleson that included presentations from Ryan Gerlich, Texas A&M, and Becca Grassl-Petersen, Tarrant County, covering the basics of living with septic systems and the legal requirements for septic systems in Tarrant County. There were seven attendees and presentations are available [online](#).

NCTCOG presented the draft OSSF educational brochure for homeowners. This brochure will be posted online with additional information for homeowners, including information on Designated Representatives in the North Central Texas region. NCTCOG will begin creating educational materials for home inspectors and real estate agents.

NCTCOG is currently coordinating with the Houston-Galveston Area Council to host an OSSF Workshop for Home Inspectors in early 2020. This training will require a site visit and will be free to attendees.

4. **NCTCOG Staff Updates**

The Fourth Quarter TMDL Newsletter is now [available online](#).

Annual Holiday Grease Roundup continues through January 6, 2020. For a list of participating collection sites and more information, visit [defendyourdrainsnorthtexas.com](http://defendyourdrainsnorthtexas.com).

The Upper Trinity River Basin Coordinating Committee meeting will be held **February 11, 2020 at 9:30am** in the Metroplex Conference Room.

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The next TMDL Coordinating Committee meeting will be held **Thursday, June 18, 2020 at 9:30am** in the Regional Forum Room.

## **ROUNDTABLE**

5. **Roundtable Discussion.** NCTCOG will provide general updates and members will have an opportunity to share what is happening in their communities.

The City of Arlington mentioned that attendees of the WATER Pretreatment Industrial Inspector Training found the course to be valuable and informative.

The City of Fort Worth and Trinity River Authority discussed current monitoring trends and requirements for total phosphate ranges at Wastewater Treatment Plants. TCEQ does not currently have a state-wide requirement for monitoring this parameter but is gathering information and may implement limits in the future.

6. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or summary items, please contact Hannah Allen at (817) 695-9215, or by email at [hallen@nctcog.org](mailto:hallen@nctcog.org)

If you plan to attend this meeting and you have a disability requiring special arrangements, please contact Barbara Bradford at (817) 695-9231 or [bbradford@nctcog.org](mailto:bbradford@nctcog.org), 72 hours prior to the meeting. Reasonable accommodations will be made to assist your needs.

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