



North Central Texas Council of Governments

SUMMARY

Regional Stormwater Management Coordinating Council

Wednesday, May 21, 2025

9:30 am CST

Microsoft Teams

Chair: Perry Harts, City of Frisco

Vice Chair: Jeff Shiflet, City of Irving

1. Welcome and Introductions.

ACTION ITEMS

2. **Regional Stormwater Management Coordinating Council (RSWMCC) Meeting Summary.** The February 25, 2025, [draft meeting summary](#) is available on the website for viewing.

A motion was made by Jeff Haynes to approve the meeting summary as written; the motion was seconded by Jason Longbine.

DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION ITEMS

3. **Trinity River National Water Trail Master Plan Update.** NCTCOG, in coordination with the Water Trail Task Force and Trinity Coalition, developed a small-scale Master Plan to identify long-range actions and resources to support and advance the Trail. NCTCOG will give an overview of the Plan.

Erin Blackman with NCTCOG provided an overview of the Trinity River National Water Trail Master Plan Update.

4. **Addressing Stormwater Needs in the TSI Study.** The study team for the integrating Transportation and Stormwater Infrastructure (TSI) study will seek input on how TSI tasks related to erosion, erosion control, and sedimentation can address RSWMCC needs.

NCTCOG presented on the TSI study and requested feedback. Feedback was provided by RSWMCC members, including a need for guidance on composition of engineered soils for infiltration in bioswales. The TSI study would be accepting feedback on these tasks through the end of July.

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5. **89th Texas Legislative Session Update.** NCTCOG will present a slate of relevant legislative bills.

NCTCOG provided an update on the current bills up for consideration, and it was noted that HB517 had been sent to governor for signature.

6. **FY26 RSWMCC Appointments and Reappointments.** NCTCOG will remind the committee about the upcoming appointment and election process for the Watershed Representatives to the Regional Stormwater Management Coordinating Council for the FY2026-2028 term, beginning October 1, 2025.

NCTCOG presented information regarding upcoming appointments and reappointments of the Watershed Representatives. There was a question on whether certain seats were up for reappointment and if terms had been completed.

7. **FY26 Work Program.** NCTCOG staff will request input and discussion on the draft Work Program for the FY2026 Regional Stormwater Management Program.

NCTCOG facilitated the discussion with the RSWMCC members on the FY2026 draft Work Program, and several recommendations were discussed.

First, the committee discussed the Work Program Committee, which was comprised of representatives of each subcommittee and the Executive Committee of the RSWMCC. The committee discussed the history and purpose of the Work Program Committee as a subcommittee designed to facilitate consistent communication between all interested parties relating to RSWMCC members and the participants in the subcommittees. It was requested to reinstate the Work Program Committee in FY26.

Additionally, there was a discussion regarding the content that has been developed by the RSWMCC Work Program over recent years, and how it has not provided as much value as in years past. It was discussed that content being produced is redundant or not relevant due to growth in stormwater management practices over time. It was brought up that there is a need to update the Work Program in the future to address these issues and provide deliverables that are new or at least provide more value to the RSWMCC members in the current state of stormwater management programs.

Lastly, there was a brief discussion on the budget of the RSWMCC Work Program, and, specifically the need for transparency on budgetary items.

Jeff Shiflet also nominated Kristen Tanz with Burleson for the Vice Chair position opening up in FY26.

INFORMATION ITEMS

8. **FY2025 Work Program.** The NCTCOG staff will discuss on-going, and planned task force activities and other components of the regional stormwater management program. Topics include:

- General program activities
- FY2025 Cost Share participation
 - The Cost Share for FY25 is 90% funded as of May 13, 2025



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- **Public Education Task Force**
 - Doo the Right Thing social media phot contest and campaign will open from May 1st – June 30th.
 - The North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge is running from March 1st – May 31st with a reporting deadline of June 30, 2025. The 2025 Mayors' Challenge will also run from March 1st – May 31st.
 - Project deliverables in progress include Yard Waste outreach materials for both Homeowners and Landscape companies.
 - Show & Tell event scheduled for the July 23, 2025 PETF Meeting.
- **Pollution Prevention Roundtable**
 - Special projects include continuation of refresh for Municipal Pollution Prevention BMP Posters.
 - Survey results indicate desire for a BMP "Show and Tell" Roundtable which will be scheduled in FY2025.
 - Upcoming Joint Meeting with IDDE Roundtable on July 10, 2025 at NCTCOG Offices.
- **Illicit Discharge Detection & Elimination Roundtable**
 - Fish Kill Workshop scheduled for June 18, 2025 at City of Carrollton.
 - Dry Weather Screening Workshop will be hosted in September 2025.
 - Special Project for FY2025 includes finalizing doorhanger for Yard Waste and other Illicit Discharges.
- **Stormwater Monitoring Program**
 - Last update received from TCEQ on approval of Fifth Term Proposal was received in March 2025.

9. Other NCTCOG Program activities:

- **Integrated Stormwater Management (iSWM) Program**
 - Next iSWM Subcommittee Meeting scheduled for July 15, 2025 at NCTCOG Offices.
 - The next meeting will include deciding short and long-term goals of iSWM manual and website updates and voting on FY26 Work Program.
- **Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Program**
 - Annual TMDL Coordination Committee Meeting is scheduled for July 17, 2025 via MS Teams.
- **Wastewater and Treatment Education Roundtable (WATER)**
 - Upcoming Meeting scheduled for July 24, 2025 at NCTCOG Offices.
 - 2025 Holiday Grease Roundup has New Dates: November 1, 2025 – January 31, 2026. Marketing materials to be distributed in August 2025. Accepting partners through October 2025.
- **Integrated Transportation and Stormwater Infrastructure (TSI) Initiative**
 - Recent stakeholder engagement efforts include a Technical Advisory Group Meeting, a presentation to the North Central Texas Economic Development District Board, and site visits to individual communities.

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- To participate in the Technical Advisory Group or schedule a site visit to discuss your community's flooding challenges and development email tsi@nctcog.org.

10. News and Resources. NCTCOG staff will provide informational items from related programs and details of upcoming events and conferences.

OTHER BUSINESS AND ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

11. Future Agenda Items. RSWMCC Members and NCTCOG staff may suggest future agenda items.

Future Agenda items include

- Frisco presentation on Stormwater Week
- Onboarding/Presentations to RSWMCC, including a history of NCTCOG and related RSWMCC Task Forces and activities

12. Roundtable Discussion. Discussion of activities within individual jurisdictions as time allows.

Irving – Officially begun Bacteria Source Tracking with testing for human based markers at four impaired sites.

Plano – One vacant position posting soon for environmental specialist.

Arlington – Recent comprehensive audit with TCEQ and received administrative letter that there were no issues. Interested to hear other MS4s experience with levying stormwater related inspection fees.

Dallas – Environmental coordinator position open soon; still working on TMDL Program.

Mesquite – Finalized stormwater permit but still haven't received permit. Placed in high risk category and requested any information regarding pesticide discharge management plans from other MS4s.

Fort Worth – Finishing annual report for June 7 deadline; in process looking for replacement to lead RBA program.

Lewisville – While submitting for Phase II permit, one segment had been listed for cadmium which is odd; had been listed similarly in the past for sulfates which was bad data and subsequently delisted. Hoping for similar outcome with cadmium listing. First illicit discharge investigation in 25 years with Lewisville that was reported through state hotline and was directed to EPA; was cleaned up.

Carrollton – Have not heard anything back from TCEQ on MS4 Permit; recently completed LEED for Cities certification.

DART – Recently submitted new MS4 permit and annual report but online status still lists on-hold.



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Mansfield – MS4 Permit on-hold, reached out to TCEQ and did not receive clarification. Will be updating iSWM criteria.

Weatherford – Working with NCTCOG on TSI Program and working on other pilot study that is related to the project.

Frisco – TCEQ recently conducted inspection of stormwater program, with an emphasis on construction. Have not yet received reply on NOI filing for MS4 Permit. New employees starting soon.

Trinity River Authority – FIFA is coming, with groups pushing for large scale cleanup on June 13.

13. Schedule for the Next Meeting. The next meeting date is scheduled for Wednesday, August 20, 2025. The meeting will be held in person at NCTCOG offices.

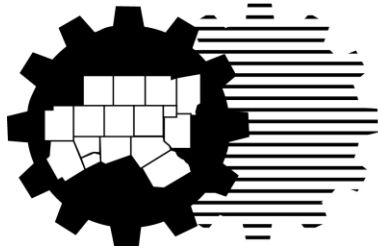
14. Adjournment.

A motion to adjourn was made by Jeffrey Shiflet and Seconded by Jeff Haynes to adjourn the meeting.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Crysta Guzman at (817) 695-9107, or by email at cguzman@nctcog.org.

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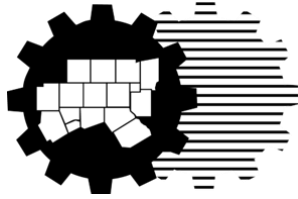
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Member Sign-In Sheet

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Officers		
Perry Harts (Chair)	City of Frisco	
Jeff Shiflet (Vice Chair)	City of Irving	X
Kevin Hurley (Past Chair)	City of Dallas	
Phase 1 Entities		
Nixalis Benitez	City of Fort Worth	
Brigette Gibson	City of Arlington	X
Kevin Hill	City of Dallas	X
Amitis Meshkani	NTTA	
Echo Rexroad	City of Plano	X
Jeff Shiflet	City of Irving	
Mitchell Talley	City of Mesquite	X
Mike Wilson	City of Garland	X
East Fork Watershed		
Bridell Miers	Collin County	
Danea Newman	City of Richardson	
William Nahas	City of Allen	X
Elm Fork Watershed		
Perry Harts	City of Frisco	
Jason Longbine	City of Lewisville	X
Krista Pender	City of Carrollton	X
Mainstem Watershed		
Jeff Haynes	DART	X
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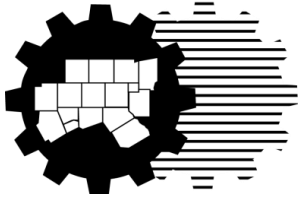
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Jeff Ballew		City of Edgecliff Village
Heather Berryman	X	City of Fort Worth
Oleksandra Bikman		City of Haltom City
Jack Brothers		City of Plano
Allen Brown		City of Duncanville
Mitchell Carpenter		County of Tarrant
Cody Cash	X	City of Irving
Jody Cason	X	City of Grand Prairie
Staci Cervini		City of Bedford
Chip Clark	X	City of Canton
Mandy Clark	X	TNP
Dahalia Coone		City of Dallas
Mayra Cordova		TRA
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Radwan Dalu		City of Dallas
Robert Diaz		City of Farmers Branch
Greg Dickens		City of Hurst
Lisa Duelo		City of Burleson
Madisson Dunn		City of Southlake
Renee Esses		City of Coppell
Heather Firn	X	TRA
Crystal Flannery-Bachicha		City of Frisco
Joan Flowers	X	LJA Engineering
Lauren Foust	X	City of Cedar Hill
Luis Gatica		City of Aledo
Brandon Ginn		DFW Airport
Adam Gotlib		NTTA (Atkins)
Chad Griffs		City of Haltom City
Jason Heflin	X	City of Grand Prairie
Duan Hengst		City of Hurst
Joaquin Hernandez		City of Dallas
James House		City of Prosper
Wesley Layfield		City of Bedford



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Andie McClure		City of Carrollton
David McKee		City of Grand Prairie
Joshua Moore	X	TNP
Stephen Moore	X	Denton County
Maria Moreno		County of Tarrant
Eric Mueller		City of Farmers Branch
Nusrat Munir		City of Dallas
Carlos Navaro-Servin	X	City of Dallas
Tuan Ngo		City of North Richland Hills
Brianna Nisi		City of McKinney
Nicholas Nix	X	City of Forney
Dalton Norris		DFW Airport
Kale Oakley		City of Irving
Megan Paliwoda	X	City of Fort Worth
Zac Peterson		City of Denton
Lauren Plunk		NTMWD
Brent Redd		City of Irving
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Lissa Shepard		County of Dallas
Annalyn Smart		City of Southlake
Bill Smith	X	City of Weatherford
Joshua Spencer		City of Dallas
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Kristen Tanz		City of Burleson
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