



North Central Texas Council of Governments

# AGENDA

Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Task Force

9:30 am Wednesday, May 27, 2020

WebEx Link:

<https://nctcog-agency.webex.com/nctcog-agency/onstage/g.php?MTID=e486ee018c421c0d81f31d1113eca5c01>

Optional Call-in

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Access code: 668 917 193

1. **Welcome and introductions.**

## DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION/ACTION ITEMS

2. **Meeting Summary.** December 12, 2019, meeting summary is available online for review. Comments will be sought at the meeting. (Sydni Ligons)

*The meeting summary was approved, as presented.*

3. **FY 2020 Training.** NCTCOG staff will give updates or solicit input for FY 2020 training events (Sydni Ligons)

- a. **Basic Dry Weather Field Screening Training.** NCTCOG staff will solicit input for training dates, locations, and instructors.

*The task force asked COG to look into opportunities for virtual training in late July or early August. NCTCOG staff will coordinate the effort and send out the information accordingly.*

- b. **Industrial Inspectors Workshop.** NCTCOG staff will open discussion on options for training this year.

*The task force decided to cancel this year's industrial training and conduct another one next year in FY21.*

4. **Case Study Presentation.** The City of Arlington will present a case study to the group.

*The City of Arlington presented on tracing mysterious blueish-green water, and a white foaming substance in Crystal Canyon. Arlington staff determined that the color and white foam were due to natural geochemical reactions.*

## ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION AND OTHER BUSINESS

616 Six Flags Drive, Centerpoint Two  
P.O. Box 5888, Arlington, Texas 76005-5888  
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[www.nctcog.org](http://www.nctcog.org)

5. **Roundtable Topics.** The IDDE Task Force members and NCTCOG staff will share additional items as time allows.

The City of Arlington – The city asked the group if other cities are experiencing an increase in calls citizen complaints. The city is also working towards bringing a high-risk industrial program online within the next year.

The City of Plano – The city is also experiencing a higher influx of calls. City stormwater staff are also working to fix an SSO at the Circle K and a crack in their water line. TCEQ is now involved and is working with the Circle K owners to remediate the spill, and Plano construction crews are working to patch the waterline.

The City of Carrollton – The city is also experiencing an increase in citizen complaints and reports about grass clippings.

The City of Fort Worth – The city is working towards finishing their annual stormwater report.

The City of Dallas – Has also seen an increase in lawn waste, and members of the Cities Spill Response Mitigation team are working with the cities stormwater monitoring team.

Many other cities on the call reported an increase in citizen complaints and lawn waste.

6. **Schedule for the Next Meeting.** The next meeting date tentatively scheduled for July 30, 2020, at 9:30 am
7. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Sydni Ligons by phone at (817) 608-2360, or by email at [sligons@nctcog.org](mailto:sligons@nctcog.org).



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Meeting Attendees

Name	City
Jasmine Ferrell	City of Mesquite
Devan Jones	City of Carrollton
Lauren Betz	City of Lewisville
Julian Holmes	City of Mansfield
Sean Aucoin	City of Frisco
Kevin Hurley	City of Dallas
Shawn Cheairs	Town of Addison
Moss Fennell	NTTA
Gregg Moss	City of Grapevine
Cathy Matthews	City of Fort Worth
Cody Cash	City of Irving
Nixalis Benitez	City of Fort Worth
Andrew Shaw	City of Dallas
Brigitte Gibson	City of Arlington
Renee Cosgrove	City of Frisco
Duy Vu	City of Cedar Hill
Greg Ked	City of Cedar Hill
Radwan Dula	City of Dallas
James House	Town of Prosper
Keith White	City of Plano
Trenisha Williams	City of Arlington
Mike Glover	City of Dallas
Echo Rexroad	City of Plano
Jeff Shiflet	City of Irving
Howard Redfern	City of Mansfield
Chandani Rana	City of Grand Prairie
Teri McBride	City of Richardson