



TMDL Wastewater Technical Subcommittee Meeting

Wednesday, May 29, 2019

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Action Items

2. Meeting Summary. The May 3, 2018 meeting summary will be presented for review.

3. Subcommittee Project Discussion

Task 5.2 OSSF Education Efforts for Real Estate Agents, Property Inspectors, and Homeowners

- Ryan Gerlich, Texas A&M, will be providing a training in late summer 2019 for homeowners that will cover the basics of living with an OSSF and how to maintain it properly.
- On September 13 and 14, 2019: the National Association of Wastewater Technicians is hosting a Septic System Training in Arlington
 - More information at:
<http://retsllc.wildapricot.org/event-3192326>
- NCTCOG will look to host a similar training later in FY2020

3. Subcommittee Project Discussion – Next Project

Strategy	2017 Committee Priority Level	NCTCOG Status as of May 2019
1.0 Wastewater treatment facility effluent limits	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG has reviewed the wastewater treatment plants in the I-Plan area and has reached out to these treatment facilities for information regarding permit renewals
1.1 Evaluation of non-participants in Sanitary Sewer Overflow Initiative (SSOI) and Capacity, Management, Operation, & Maintenance (CMOM) programs	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG received an updated list of current SSOI participants for the I-Plan from TCEQ NCTCOG received TCEQ SSO Data from FY2011-FY2017 and is updating the I-Plan map of SSO discharges SSO reporting and increasing the city participation in SSOI program is a high priority for the subcommittee

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1.2 Lift station evaluation	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NCTCOG acquired the TCEQ Lift Station checklist and made it available in the BMP Library • Lift stations/BMPs/SOPs to be discussed at one-on-one meetings
1.3 Regional Participation in Fats, Oils, and Grease program	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FY2019 – 17 cities participated in the Wastewater And Treatment Education Roundtable (WATER) • Since 2014, the Holiday Grease Round Up has collected and diverted approximately 17,100 gallons of grease.
1.4 Sanitary sewer overflow reporting	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NCTCOG developed a map of SSOs from FY2011-FY2017 as a tool for studying frequency and volume of SSOs in the I-Plan area. This has been added to the I-Plan.

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1.5 Funding opportunities for repair/replacement of sanitary sewer lines	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG has compiled and shared available funding information through www.nctcog.org/TMDL and through the Quarterly Newsletters.
1.6 Relocation of sewer mains from waterways	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 TMDL area stakeholders reported that their entity has acted to relocate sewer mains away from waterways since 2013.
1.7 Liquid waste management and liquid waste hauler program expansion	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG has included multiple SOP documents into the BMP Library Discussion at previous technical committee meetings relayed that additional BMPs for worksites with port-a-pottys are needed; NCTCOG will follow up with DART/TCEQ for any SOPs/materials

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5.0 Funding for failing OSSFs	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NCTCOG has included multiple funding opportunities for failing OSSFs in the BMP Library
5.1 Aerobic treatment unit maintenance*	Low	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NCTCOG included TCEQ model ordinances in the BMP LibraryNCTCOG will continue to recommend to TCEQ to support continued maintenance from service providers
5.2 OSSF education efforts for real estate agents, property inspectors, and homeowners	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NCTCOG has tentatively scheduled an OSSF Workshop for Homeowners for July 2019.NCTCOG will be working to schedule an OSSF Workshop for Real Estate Inspectors in FY2020.

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5.3 Property inspections and document review*	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG will recommend to TCEQ that realtors disclose if a property has an OSSF per TAC §535.233
5.4 Service to annexed areas*	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG will host one-on-one meetings with communities in TMDL I-Plan area to discuss areas that have yet to be annexed
5.5 Replacement and conversion of poorly functioning OSSFs*	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCTCOG will host one-on-one meetings with communities in TMDL I-Plan area to discuss Capital Improvement Projects (CIPs) and additional efforts to replace and convert OSSFs

** OSSF Implementation Strategies identified as not initiated in the 2017 Annual Report*

3. TMDL I-Plan Program Summary

- Draft is [available online](#) for review and comment
- Final version will be brought to TMDL-CC for final approval on June 13



I-Plan Updates

TMDL I-Plan

- Inclusion of Sycamore Creek TMDL into the I-Plan
- Approved by TCEQ Commissioners on January 16, 2019
- Will be presented to the TMDL Coordination Committee for approval on June 13, 2019



Figure 1. Overview map showing the Sycamore Creek Segment/AU, watershed, and TCEQ water quality monitoring station.



Roundtable

It's your turn!
What's going on in your community?

4. Staff Updates and Roundtable Discussion

- Second Quarter TMDL Newsletter

Upcoming TMDL Meetings

- **TMDL Stormwater Technical Subcommittee Meeting:**
 - June 4, 2019, 9:30 AM, Metroplex Conference Room, NCTCOG Offices
- **TMDL Coordination Committee Meeting:**
 - June 13, 2019, 9:30 AM, Regional Forum Room, NCTCOG Offices

Upcoming Workshops and Meetings



North Texas Watershed Stakeholder Meeting:

June 25, 2019, 9:30 AM,
William J. Pitstick Executive
Board Room, NCTCOG Offices
Register [here](#)



2019 EPA Region 6 Stormwater Conference (Denton):

July 28 – August 1, 2019, more
information available [here](#)



NCTCOG Feral Hog Forum:

August 13, 2019, 9:00 AM,
Tejas Conference Room,
NCTCOG Offices
Register [here](#)



UTRB Coordinating Committee Meeting:

August 22, 2019, 9:30 AM,
Tejas Conference Room,
NCTCOG Offices

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