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# SUMMARY

Flood Management Task Force  
Friday, June 29, 2018  
9:30 AM, Pitstick Conference Room  
NCTCOG Offices, CPII  
616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, TX 76011

1. **Welcome and introductions.**

The meeting began at 9:30 a.m. with introductions of all present.

## DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION/ACTION ITEMS

2. **Meeting Summary.** The April 20, 2018 meeting summary is available online for review. Comments will be sought at the meeting. (Mia Brown)

A motion to approve the summary as presented was carried.

3. **FY 2018 Trinity River COMMON VISION Work Program Activities Discussion.** NCTCOG staff will update the FMTF on FY 2018 Work Program activities. (Mia Brown)

- a. **NFIP and CDC Model Consolidation Team.** The FMTF will receive updates relevant to the Model Consolidation Team.

Mia Brown updated the Task Force that the Consolidation Team had held two meetings, and a third one was scheduled for July 12th. The team was working to complete tasks #1-6.

- b. **East Fork Update.** Mia Brown will update FMTF on the initiatives to bring additional communities along the East Fork Trinity into the Common Vision program.

Mia Brown told the Task Force that a meeting was held in Kaufman County on June 22nd for the East Fork communities. The meeting covered program requirements and estimated costs, and solicited feedback from attendees on the draft resolution and interlocal agreement presented to them. No feedback was received. The attendees indicated that they would like a training on the CDC manual and application process in late summer.

- c. **Process Improvements for LOMR Submissions.** NCTCOG staff will update the FMTF on progress on requested improvements to process issues with LOMR submissions and solicit any further input from the FMTF. (Mia Brown)

Mia Brown informed the Task Force that this item has no update, and that she will continue to work with FEMA to address the Task Force's concerns.

- d. **Early Flood Warning Detection Software Common Contract.** NCTCOG staff will give an update on progress toward the Early Flood Warning Detection Software Common Contract. (Mia Brown)

Mia let the Task Force know that the master services agreement between OneRain and NCTCOG has been executed. The website platform and servers are currently being set up. The North Texas SHARE contract will be ready for communities to sign up sometime in August.

- e. **Floodplain 101 Training.** The Floodplain 101 one-day course is scheduled for Wednesday, August 8<sup>th</sup>. Registration will open in July.

Mia Brown told the Task Force that registration is will open soon on the Texas Floodplain Management Association website.

#### 4. **FY 2019 Trinity River COMMON VISION Work Program Activities Discussion.**

NCTCOG staff will present the outline components of our upcoming FY 2019 work program and seek input from the Flood Management Task Force. (Mia Brown)

Mia Brown presented the draft FY19 work program to the Task Force. No comments were received. She informed them that voting would take place at the August meeting.

### INFORMATION ITEMS

#### 5. **Other Program Related Efforts**

- a. **CRS Users Group.** NCTCOG and the Texas Floodplain Management Association (TFMA) continue to hold meetings for floodplain administrators and CRS users throughout the region. The annual Combined Elected Officials Floodplain Seminar/CRS Users Group will be held Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018, from 11:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Mia Brown let the Task Force know that registration for the annual Combined Elected Officials Floodplain Seminar/CRS Users Group on July 18th had opened on the NCTCOG website, and that emails had been sent to the FMTF members as well as elected officials across the region.

- b. **16-County Watershed Management Planning Update.** NCTCOG staff will update FMTF on the 16-County Regional Watershed Management Initiative, as well as next steps. (Mia Brown)

Mia Brown informed the Task Force there is no update for this item.



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- c. **Cooperating Technical Partnership.** NCTCOG staff will provide an update on the CTP projects that are ongoing and newly submitted. (Mia Brown)

Fiscal Year 2016 flood risk projects in Tarrant County and Cleburne and the East Fork Discovery are in progress. East Fork Pre-Discovery Webinars were held June 26<sup>th</sup> and June 28<sup>th</sup>; recordings would be available online soon. Fiscal Year 2017 flood risk projects in Benbrook and Weatherford will kick off in July. Richland-Chambers Discovery will begin later this year. NCTCOG submitted their initial grant documents for FY 2018 projects, including the flood risk identification project on Marys Creek in Parker County.

- d. **Integrated Stormwater Management (iSWM) Program.** An update on iSWM activities will be provided by NCTCOG staff. (Mia Brown)

Mia Brown let the Task Force know that the cities of Irving and Stephenville are close to being certified as iSWM communities. Also, Halff Associates are working on updates to construction standard drawings as well as a post-construction workshop that is tentatively planned for October.

### OTHER BUSINESS AND ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

6. **CDC Applications.** NCTCOG staff will share CDC applications received since the last FMTF meeting and invite FMTF members to share any upcoming CDC applications. (Mia Brown)

Mia received two CDC applications since the April FMTF meeting: CAR 041718 for Elm Fork Water Treatment Plant Improvements, and FW 082515 for the Trinity Rail Express bridge on the West Fork Trinity. No upcoming applications were shared by the group.

7. **Roundtable Topics/Other Business.** The FMTF members and NCTCOG staff may share additional items as time allows.

Jessica Baker, TFMA, described the FloodSafe Workshop held at the Texas Public Works Association Conference on June 27<sup>th</sup>, which was taught by representatives from USACE, TFMA, and NCTCOG. She also reminded everyone about the upcoming TFMA Fall Technical Summit from August 28-31 in San Antonio.

Jon Bunner, Duncanville, noted that the city received their three-year TCEQ MS4 inspection.

8. **Schedule for the Next Meeting.** The next meeting date will be Friday, August 10, 2018, at 9:30 a.m., in NCTCOG's Pitstick Conference Room, CPII.
9. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Mia Brown by phone at (817) 695-9227, or by email at [MBBrown@nctcog.org](mailto:MBBrown@nctcog.org).

Thank you.

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