



## North Central Texas Council of Governments

# SUMMARY

### **Wastewater and Treatment Education Roundtable**

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

10:00 AM, Metroplex Conference Room

NCTCOG Offices, CPII

616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, TX 76011

Chair: Duy Vu, City of Cedar Hill

Vice Chair: Elijah Dorminy, City of Irving

1. **Welcome and Introductions.**
2. **Meeting Summary.** The [February 12, 2019 meeting summary](#) is available online for review.

### **DISCUSSION**

3. **Regional Training Update.** NCTCOG will provide an update on the development of the training for October 2019.
  - a. Elijah Dorminy, City of Irving, will present the results of his research on potential Grease Trap Trainings.

Attendees discussed topics for the upcoming October 2019 training and what specific items they would like covered. NCTCOG was contacted by the Grease Interceptor Whisperer to conduct a training in January or February 2020. Attendees discussed the grease interceptor pamphlet that was created in FY2015.

4. **Promotional Activities Update.** NCTCOG will provide an update on promotional activities and provide analytics from the Defend Your Drains website, Facebook, and Twitter. Additionally, NCTCOG will provide the new "Wipes Campaigns" deliverables and discuss the progress of the wipes explainer video.

NCTCOG presented promotional materials for Defend Your Drains, including a door hanger, bill insert, and handout. These deliverables will be shared with cost sharing members and have been translated into Spanish. NCTCOG presented social media and website analytics from February 2019 to May 2019.

NCTCOG is in the process of executing a contract with a vendor for the 30-second explainer videos. Attendees discussed the draft script, which is [available online](#) for review.

5. **FY2020 Work Program Notice.** NCTCOG will provide information on the FY2020 Work Program development and new online cost-sharing commitment form.

NCTCOG presented the new online interface that allows members to commit electronically for the next fiscal year. Paper versions of the FY2020 Commitment Form will be made available to those that require it. Please contact Hannah Allen at [hallen@nctcog.org](mailto:hallen@nctcog.org) if you have any questions or concerns.

6. **Member Highlight Presentation: City of Southlake.** Ashley Carlisle will present Southlake's efforts related to the proper disposal of Fats, Oils, and Greases.

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Ashley Carlisle, City of Southlake, presented an overview of the city's Fats, Oils, and Grease (FOG) Program. She also shared "Welcome to Southlake" folders that are provided to each new restaurant owner that include brochures and other information about Southlake's Environmental Services Department, permitted waste haulers, and FOG best management practices.

7. **General Updates.** NCTCOG will provide general updates on relevant programs and events.

The North Texas Watershed Stakeholder Meeting is scheduled for June 25, 2019 at 9:30 AM.

The Draft 2019 Water Quality Management Plan Public Comment Period ends on July 9. A public hearing is scheduled for July 9 at 10:00 AM in the Tejas Conference Room. The Draft WQMP can be found [here](#).

NCTCOG's Regional Recycling Educational Campaign launched on June 3, 2019. For more information on how your entity can get involved or request recycling education printed materials, please visit the [campaign website](#) or contact Cassidy Campbell at [ccampbell@nctcog.org](mailto:ccampbell@nctcog.org).

8. **Roundtable.** The group will share what is happening in their communities.

The City of Denton is on track to inspect 200 grease trap facilities per year, and since the regulation of FOG generators, SSOs have decreased.

The City of Frisco's grease trap inspections will be moved from the Health Department to the Sewer Department, starting in January 2020. Eagle Scouts are conducting pickups for fats, oils and grease. These collections seem very effective; last week they collected 90 gallons.

The City of Southlake will now conduct inspections on grease traps only when new buildings are built, not for re-occupying.

The City of Irving has 1,400 generators for one inspector that works with the Health Department on grease trap inspections. The City of Irving is also working on updating a new ordinance and has 28 approved liquid waste haulers in the city.

The City of Mansfield is hoping to work with Eagle Scouts and Environmental Clubs to find new ways to educate the public and will be hosting a water event in July.

9. **Schedule for the Next WATER Meeting.** The next WATER meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 4, 2019 at 10:00 AM in the Tejas Conference Room, NCTCOG Offices, CPIII, 600 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, Texas 76011.

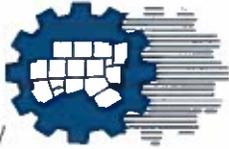
Please note that this meeting will be in a different location due to building renovations. Please come to the third floor of CPIII. NCTCOG staff will direct you to the meeting room once you arrive on the third floor.

10. **Adjournment.**

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

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

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**Wednesday, June 6, 2019 – 10:00 AM**  
**Metroplex Conference Room**

## Member Sign-in Sheet

NAME	SIGNATURE	ORGANIZATION
Sean Aucoin		City of Frisco
Oleksandra Bikman		City of Keller
Remy Brown		Trinity River Authority
Bobbi Bryan	<i>Bobbi Bryan</i>	North Texas Municipal Water District
Ashley Carlisle	<i>Ashley Carlisle</i>	City of Southlake
Martha Cavazos Fipps		City of McKinney
Elijah Dorminy		City of Irving
David Dunn		City of Duncanville
Joe Gildersleeve		City of Arlington
Jake Gilliland		City of Rowlett
John Glover	<i>John Glover</i>	City of Denton
Katelyn Hearon		City of Lewisville
Denise Hickey	<i>Denise Hickey</i>	North Texas Municipal Water District
Megan Iancu		City of Southlake
Brian Kelm		Upper Trinity Regional Water District
Gregg Kidd	<i>Gregg Kidd</i>	City of Cedar Hill
Edwin King		City of Irving
Jimmy Knipp		City of Allen
Teri McBride		City of Richardson Health Department
Valerie McKito	<i>Valerie McKito</i>	City of Frisco
Tuan Ngo		City of North Richland Hills
Brooke Noack		North Texas Municipal Water District
Michelle Wood-Ramirez		Trinity River Water District
Howard Redfearn		City of Mansfield
Echo Rexroad		City of Plano
Lorrie Reeves		City of Garland
Rebecca Sales	<i>Rebecca Sales</i>	City of Mansfield
Linden Shultz		City of Arlington
Ray Silva-Reyes		City of Colleyville
Onyekachi Udeka		City of Plano
Duy Vu	<i>Duy Vu</i>	City of Cedar Hill

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*City of Garland*

