Regional Feral Hog Conference

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Upper Trinity Regional Water District
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- Created in 1989 as a Water Conservation & Reclamation District.
- Provides regional water & wastewater services to municipalities & utilities.
- Serves Denton & portions of Collin Counties
### Upper Trinity Regional Water District
#### Members & Customers

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Water System Service Area & Sources

CHAPMAN LAKE
RAY ROBERTS LAKE
LEWISVILLE LAKE

EXISTING PIPELINE
PROPOSED LAKE RALPH HALL

Map of service areas and proposed water sources.
Population Growth

- Over 1 million expected in Denton County by 2030
- Watershed protection important prior to development
DENTON COUNTY GREENBELT PLAN
Greenbelts...

- Protect water quality
- Lessen flooding impacts
- Enhance the quality of life
- Provide nature-based educational opportunities and experiences
- Preserve wildlife and aquatic habitat
Greenbelt Plan:

✔ Guide preservation of greenbelts and related natural areas
✔ Identify strategic areas for establishing greenbelt corridors
✔ Advocate a common vision for multi-use greenbelts
✔ Provide a toolbox of implementation strategies
Greenbelt Opportunities

- Primary
- Secondary
- Limited
Implementation Strategies

- Completely Voluntary - - No Less Important
- For Municipal/County Leaders, Citizens, Developers, Land Owners and others
- Implementation tools
- Education – Protection – Funding
Coordinating Committee

- Representative of Various Stakeholder Interests
- Champion Greenbelt Preservation in the County
- Identify & Evaluate Projects
- Encourage Implementation among Stakeholders
Education and Outreach

- Logo
- Brochures
- Public Awareness Campaigns
- Ambassadors for Greenbelts
- Recognition Programs
- Others
Preservation/Protection Tools

- Ordinances
- Conservation Easements
- Alternative Development Ideas
- Green Infrastructure
- Private Land Owner Resources
The Trust is an established 501(c)3 land trust that can receive Conservation Easements.
Feral Hogs – Equal Opportunity Destroyers

Increasing contributor to water quality issues

- Bacteria
- Stream Channel Erosion
Questions?