

MINUTES COMAL TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Monday, June 16th, 2025 131 Bulverde Crossing, Bulverde, TX 78163 Mammen Family Public Library

NOTICE is hereby given that the Comal Trinity Groundwater Conservation District (CTGCD) Board of Directors will meet in regular session on Monday June 16th, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. This is an open meeting, open to the public, subject to the Open Meetings Law of the State of Texas, and as required by law, notice is hereby posted providing time, place, date, and agenda thereof.

Agenda of the Regular Session of CTGCD Board of Directors:

- 1. President Hull called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.
- 2. A quorum was declared with the following in attendance. Hull, Johnson, Davenport, Jackson, and DiPasquale.
- 3. The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.
- 4. Hull recognized Davenport and Johnson for their years of service on the Board as this is their last meeting as Board Members.
- 5. Public Comment: Marisa Bruno with the Hill Country Alliance requested that the District consider imposing production limits on non-exempt wells. Jenni Jaeger Johnson voiced her concern for the number of wells being drilled in the Spring Branch area.
- 6. The Consent Agenda, consisting of the following items, were considered.
 - a. Board Meeting Minutes, February 24, 2025.
 - b. Financial Statements and Expenditures for the First Quarter of 2025.

Johnson moved to approve the Consent Agenda and Jackson seconded. Motion carried 5-0

- 7. The Board discussed the re-adoption of the Financial Management Policy, Ethics Policy, and Professional Services Policy.
 - Davenport moved to approve adoption of all policies and Johnson seconded. Motion carried 5-0.
- 8. General Manager's and District Activities Report:
 - a. Report on prior quarter drought conditions, precipitation patterns and monitoring wells.
 - b. General Manager, Carl Haack reported that Comal County is currently experiencing extreme to exceptional drought conditions. The past 30 days between 0.5" to 10.0" of precipitation was observed which was between 0.5" to 4.0" above normal across the County. The CTGCD monitoring wells #2,5,6,12,13,14,18,19,21,22,23, and 6807407 showed a decrease in water levels ranging from -0.36' to -6.14'. Monitoring wells #1,3,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,20 and 6815211 showed an increase in water levels ranging from +0.04' to +10.60' for the First Quarter of 2025.
 - c. Report on the First Quarter 2025 non-exempt groundwater data; GMA-9 users reported 678 acrefeet which is 7% of GMA-9's MAG. GMA-10 users reported 2,058 acre-feet which is 6% of GMA-10's MAG.
 - d. Report on prior well authorizations; A total of 38 well and plugging applications were received during the First Quarter of 2025.

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- e. Report on CTGCD activity in support of water conservation and rainwater harvesting education. Rain Bees conducted 23 Presentations/Events in and around Comal County to educate the public about Rainwater Catchment and Conservation. This information and future presentations are available on the District's web page.
- f. Report on other items of importance: Mr. Haack reported that 6 new wells in the Middle or Lower Trinity were successfully logged since the last meeting.
- g. Report on most recent GMA-9 meetings (6/13/2025 Attended by Haack). Haack reported that the Texas Water Development Board is behind on their model. GMA-9 decided to use current data provided by all the GCD's and conduct several runs using the old model in an attempt to keep up with the State mandated deadlines.
- h. Report on most recent GMA-10 meeting (5/19/2025, Attended by Jackson). Jackson reported that the Texas Water Development Board is behind on their model but may have the new model ready by the end of the year. GMA-10 decided to wait until the next meeting to make any decisions.
- 9. The Board agreed to set the next meeting date of August 18th, 2025, at the Curtis W. Bremer Emergency Services #4 Building 6 located at 9850 FM 311, Spring Branch, Texas 78070. The meeting was adjourned at 6:32 p.m.

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APPROVED and WITNESSED this 18th day of August 2025

President

Secretary