

COMAL TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

Monday, August 24th, 2026, at 6:00pm
Garden Ridge City Hall
9400 Municipal Parkway Garden Ridge, TX 78266

PURSUANT TO TEXAS WATER CODE (TWC) CHAPTER 36.101 GRANTING THE GENERAL RULE MAKING AUTHORITY OF THE COMAL TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT ("DISTRICT"), NOTICE IS PROVIDED OF THE DISTRICT'S INTENT TO REVISE DISTRICT RULES AT A PUBLIC HEARING IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

Public Hearing:

The purpose of the hearing is for the Board of Directors to consider public comments on Proposed Revision to District Rules;

Petition to Change District Rules.

- (1) A person with a real property interest in groundwater may petition the District where the property that gives rise to the real property interest is located to adopt a rule or modify a rule adopted under this chapter.
- (2) Petitions must be submitted in writing to the District office and must comply with the following requirements:
 - (a) each rule requested must be submitted by separate petition;
 - (b) each petition must be signed and state the name and address of each person signing the petition;
 - (c) each petition must include:
 - (i) a brief description of the petitioner's real property interest in groundwater in the District;
 - (ii) a brief explanation of the proposed rule;
 - (iii) the text of the proposed rule prepared in a manner to indicate the words to be added or deleted from the text of the current rule, if any; and
 - (iv) an allegation of injury or inequity that could result from the failure to adopt the proposed rule.
- (3) The General Manager may reject any petition for failure to comply with the requirements of Subsection (2) of this section and shall provide notice to the petitioner of the reason for the rejection.
- (4) Not later than the 90th day after the date the District receives the petition, the District shall:
 - (a) deny the petition and provide an explanation for the denial; or
 - (b) engage in rulemaking consistent with the granted petition.
- (5) Nothing in this section may be construed to create a private cause of action for a decision to accept or deny a petition filed under this section.

The hearing is structured for the receipt of oral or written comments by interested persons and may be submitted in advance to PO Box 664, Spring Branch, TX 78070 or by email to admin@comaltrinitygcd.com

At the conclusion of the hearing, the District Board may discuss and take appropriate action on approval and implementation of the proposed rules as part of the Regular Meeting of the Board immediately following. Questions or requests for additional information may be submitted to: (830) 885-2130 District representative, General Manager, Carl Haack or mailed to the District at PO Box 664 Spring Branch Texas, 78070.

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors will commence immediately following the hearing. Agenda for the Regular meeting will be available 3 business days in advance of the meeting at <https://www.comaltrinitygcd.com/agenda-and-minutes>, Agendas

This Notice is posted as required under Tex. Gov. Code Section 551.041. I, Carl Haack, General Manager, hereby certify that I posted this Public Notice of this meeting in the Herald Zeitung, the Comal County Courthouse, and on the Comal Trinity Groundwater Conservation District's website by 3:00 p.m. on July 27, 2026, which is at least 20 days before the scheduled time of the meeting.

Carl Haack, General Manager



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At 11:00 O'clock ~~AM~~ PM

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County Clerk - Comal Co., Texas

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