

North Central Texas Council of Governments

SUMMARY

TMDL Stormwater Technical Subcommittee Meeting
Tuesday, May 4, 2021
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM
Virtual Meeting, via Microsoft Teams
Link to Join Meeting, Audio through computer, or call in at
+1 (903) 508-4574, Conference ID: 872 553 2#

1. Welcome and Introductions.

ACTION ITEMS

2. **Stormwater Subcommittee Meeting Summary.** The <u>January 14, 2021 meeting summary</u> is available online for review.

The January 14, 2021 meeting summary was approved.

3. **Draft Annual Program Summary.** NCTCOG will present the draft annual Program Summary to attendees for comment and approval. The final Annual Program Summary will be presented to the TMDL Coordination Committee at their annual meeting.

Attendees provided comments on the <u>Draft Annual Program Summary</u>, which will be incorporated before presenting to the <u>TMDL Coordination Committee</u> at their annual meeting. Further comments and feedback can be provided to Hannah Allen at <u>hallen@nctcog.org</u> by Friday, May 21, 2021.

DISCUSSION

4. **Project Discussion.** NCTCOG will provide an update on the TMDL Educational Explainer Video. NCTCOG will request feedback from the subcommittee on potential topics for the next project.

NCTCOG presented the "What is a Total Maximum Daily Load?" educational explainer video. This video is now available for sharing on the NCTCOG E&D YouTube page and NCTCOG can share the .mp4 file upon request.

Attendees discussed future projects and decided the next project would be educational materials focused on educating city leadership and other officials on TMDLs and the TMDL program. Attendees also discussed the potential to host a roundtable focused on sharing best practices when presenting to city leadership and other officials in the future.

5. **TMDL Best Management Practices (BMP) Library.** NCTCOG will request feedback on the current BMP Library and how this resource could be improved upon.

NCTCOG requested feedback on the current <u>BMP Library</u>. Attendees discussed merging the existing library with the <u>Water for North Texas Online Library</u>, as well as other improvements that could be made to the existing library. NCTCOG will continue to seek feedback from other



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subcommittees, as well as the TMDL Coordination Committee, at future meetings. Additional feedback can be provided to Hannah Allen at hallen@nctcog.org.

6. **NCTCOG Updates and Roundtable Discussion.** NCTCOG will provide general updates and members will have an opportunity to share what is happening in their communities.

NCTCOG Updates:

- The March 2021 TMDL Newsletter is available online for review.
- The TMDL Calculations Workshop was held on April 20, 2021. The workshop slides and workshop recording are available online for downloading and review at www.nctcog.org/TMDL under the "Workshops" banner.
- The On-Site Sewage Facility (OSSF) educational social media toolkit is now available online for download and use at www.nctcog.org/TMDL
- NCTCOG developed a new TMDL logo that will be incorporated into future deliverables.
- Upcoming Meetings:
 - TMDL Wastewater Technical Subcommittee: May 13, 2021 at 9:30 AM via Microsoft Teams
 - TMDL Coordination Committee: July 1, 2021 at 9:30 AM via Microsoft Teams
 - Upper Trinity River Basin Coordinating Committee: August 17, 2021 at 9:30 AM via Microsoft Teams
- Attendees discussed platforms for future meetings, as NCTCOG begins to think about the transition back to the office.

Virginia Kilgore, Water is Alive, shared an update on their project and informed attendees that they are accepting participants and volunteers to assist in building filters and growing mushrooms to be placed in their study areas.

Heather Firn, Trinity River Authority, shared that the next Joe Pool Lake Watershed Protection Plan meeting is scheduled for May 11, 2021. This meeting will include information on agricultural BMPs and funding for agricultural land. TRA is also working with Texas A&M AgriLife on identifying potential pollutant sources and is expecting to provide presentations on this and the associated Load Duration Curves in June or July.

- 7. **Schedule for the Next Meeting.** The next Stormwater Technical Subcommittee meeting will be held in September 2021.
- 8. Adjournment.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Hannah Allen at (817) 695-9215, or by email at hallen@nctcog.org.

If you plan to attend this meeting and you have a disability requiring special arrangements, please contact Barbara Bradford at (817) 695-9231 or bbradford@nctcog.org, 72 hours prior to the meeting. Reasonable accommodations will be made to assist your needs.



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MEETING PARTICIPANTS

NAME	REPRESENTS
Jordan Wilson	City of Denton
Kevin Hill	City of Dallas
Heather Firn	Trinity River Authority
Asciatu Whiteside	DFW Airport
Dominique Eads	City of Fort Worth
Julian Holmes	
Kayla Miller	City of Fort Worth
Brigette Gibson	City of Arlington
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