



LOWER TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF DESIRED FUTURE CONDITIONS FOR GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT AREA 14 AND THE LOWER TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF PROPOSED DESIRED FUTURE CONDITIONS FOR GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT AREA 14. The Member Districts of Groundwater Management Area 14 ("GMA 14") propose the following Desired Future Conditions ("DFCs") for the Gulf Coast Aquifer within Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Grimes, Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Liberty, Montgomery, Newton, Orange, Polk, San Jacinto, Tyler, Walker, Waller, and Washington counties: In each county in GMA 14, no less than 70 percent median available drawdown remaining in 2080 and no more than an average of 1.0 additional foot of subsidence between 2009 and 2080. The model simulation consistent with the above proposed DFCs was developed by using the Houston Area Groundwater Model (HAGM) and adjusting the pumping distribution in each county starting with the distribution used in the 2016 round of joint planning in GMA 14.

The LOWER TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT is one of five groundwater conservation districts that make up GMA 14. At the GMA 14 meeting held on April 9, 2021, GMA 14 district representatives voted unanimously to approve a Proposed Desired Future Conditions statement to present to the general public for comment. The public comment period officially began Tuesday, April 20, 2021 and lasts for at least 90 days.

The Lower Trinity Groundwater Conservation District will hold a public hearing to receive both written and oral comments on the proposed DFCs after the 90-day period. After the public comment period has ended, each of the five groundwater conservation districts will compile a summary of relevant comments received and present this summary for consideration at the next GMA 14 meeting, which is tentatively scheduled for October 6, 2021. The primary focus of this meeting will be to review the summary reports, including any suggestions for revisions to proposed DFCs.

Those wishing to provide comment on the proposed DFCs may do so via e-mail: groundwater@livingston.net, or via USPS: Attn: Gary Ashmore, General Manager, Lower Trinity GCD, 602 E Church St #150, Texas 773561. For more information, call (936) 327-9531.

