Regional Stormwater Management Coordinating Council Meeting

August 17, 2022

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Welcome and Introductions

Meeting Summary

- May 18, 2022, draft meeting summary
- Vote on the summary

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Fiscal Year 2023 Work Program

NCTCOG staff requests discussion of and voting on the proposed FY23 Regional Stormwater work plan

Draft Work Plan

Highlights:
- RSWMCC – Seek guest speakers for meetings
- PETF – Continuation of FY22 educational videos and materials
- P2 – "Keep it Clean" housekeeping reminder email templates.
- IDDE – Continuation of Meetings, Trainings and other identified needs
- Monitoring – Hosting Participation Meetings and Contract Review for new Program Term

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Fiscal Year 2023 Appointments and Reappointments

- Thank you, watershed members, for voting electronically in the Watershed Representative elections. The following representatives were appointed/reappointed to the RSWMCC:

  - East Fork – William Nahas, City of Allen
  - Elm Fork – Jason Longbine, City of Lewisville
  - Mainstem – Leland Peffley, City of Cleburne
  - West Fork – Chad Marbut, City of Weatherford

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Ad Hoc Committee - Committee Procedures

Proposed ad hoc committee to discuss updates to the Committee Procedures

➡ Address clarifying language in sections for:

  ➡ Council Members

  ➡ Watershed Representatives Election and Term

  ➡ Executive Committee Election and Term

➡ Seeking 3-5 volunteers

➡ Meet as needed, 30 – 60 minutes

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Fiscal Year 2023 Vice Chair Nominations

- Nominations by the Executive Committee for Vice Chair of the Regional Stormwater Management Coordinating Council have been accepted.

- **Vice Chair nominations:**

  - **Kevin Hurley, Senior Program Manager, City of Dallas**

  - **Amitis Meshkani, Roadway Project Engineer, NTTA**

- Procedures require that the Vice Chair alternate between a Phase 1 and a Phase 2 city. Nominees for FY23 are from a **Phase 1** entity.

- Vice Chair is a 3-year commitment (Vice Chair, Chair, Past Chair) on the Executive Committee.

- Committee Procedures do not limit the number of terms a person or entity may serve.

- **Voting for the Vice Chair will be done electronically. Staff will announce when voting has started, and the results.**

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FY22 Commitments Received as of August 10, 2022

Addison	Denton County	McKinney
Allen	DFW Airport	Mesquite
Arlington	Duncanville	Murphy
Azle	Euless	N. Richland Hills
Benbrook	Farmers Branch	NTTA
Blooming Grove	Flower Mound	Plano
Burleson	Fort Worth	Princeton
Carrollton	Frisco	Richardson
Cedar Hill	Garland	Rockwall
Cleburne	Grand Prairie	Sachse
Collin County	Grapevine	Sherman
Coppell	Haltom City	Southlake
Corinth	Highland Park	Tarrant County
Dallas	Hurst	TXDOT Ft. Worth
Dallas County	Irving	University Park
DART	Kennedale	Weatherford
DCURD	Lewisville	Westlake
Denton	Mansfield	White Settlement
		Wylie

Committed Total:	$291,529.00	Percent Committed:	92.5%

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FY23 Invoices/Cost Shares

Fiscal Year 2023 cost shares amounts will remain same as last year

- The webpage https://www.nctcog.org/envir/watershed-management/stormwater/cost-share

- Starting October 1, you may request an invoice for FY23 through the webpage, or by emailing staff a request to mail you an invoice.

- No Regional Urban Stormwater LOAs for FY23

- No Stormwater Monitoring LOAs in FY23

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FY22 Program Accomplishments & Highlights

➡ So far in FY22, staff has assisted members with requests for information on the following topics:

   ➡ Stormwater Construction Inspectors

   ➡ Construction Site Waste

   ➡ "Interim" Development Conditions relating to Drainage Plans

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Fiscal Year 2022 Work Program Highlights

Some accomplishments from FY22 so far:

➢ 2021 North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge (complete)
➢ 2022 North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge (complete)
➢ 2022 March is Texas SmartScape Month campaign (complete)
➢ PETF Activity Reports (ongoing)
➢ 2022 Doo the Right Thing campaign and photo contest (in progress)
➢ TEKS aligned stormwater related educational videos and teacher resources (in progress)
➢ P2 Training and Peer Sharing Event (in progress)
➢ Trash Free Waters program partnership (ongoing)
➢ Regional Tree Cooperative Purchase partnership (in progress)
➢ IDDE Basic Dry Weather Training (complete)

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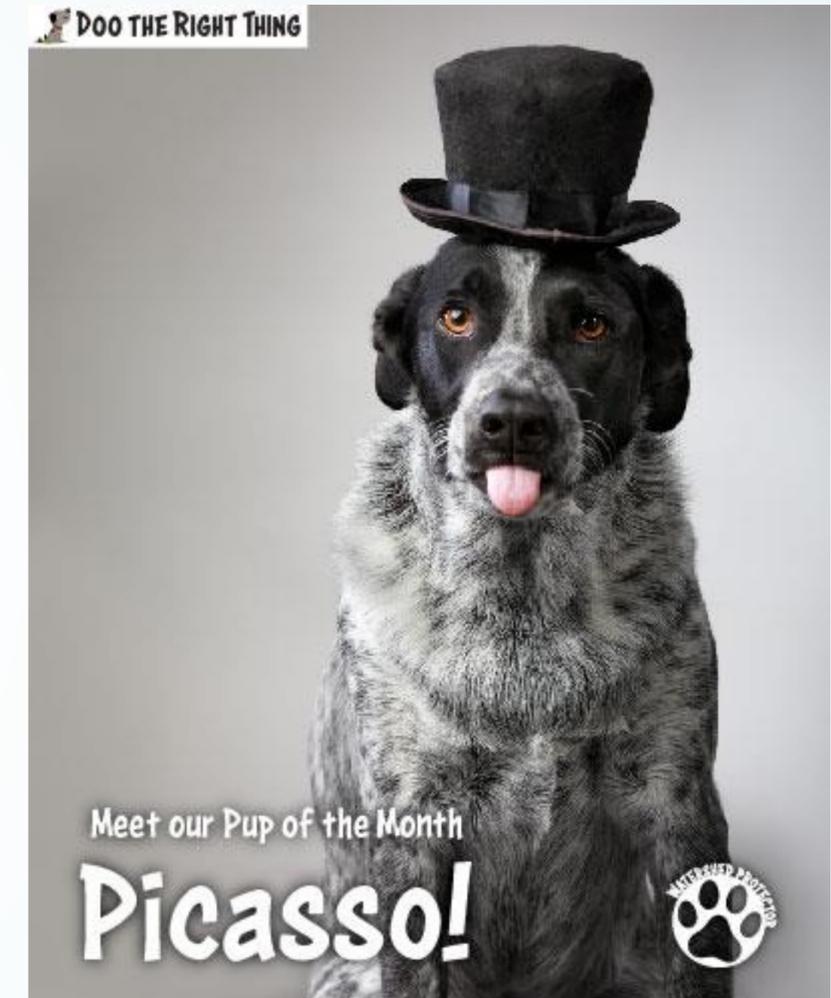# FY2022 Work Program Task Force Projects

Doo The Right Thing

Doo the Right Thing social media photo contest and campaign

- Contest Entry: May 1st through June 30th

- Voting: August 1st – August 19th

- Winners: Posted October 2022 – September 2023

You can help with campaign promotion!

- Advertise the public voting period and contest link on social media, email newsletters, or other online outlets

- Like and follow Doo the Right Thing on social media

  - Twitter @DooNorthTexas

  - Instagram @DooNorthTexas

  - Facebook @DooNorthTexas

Learn more about DTRT on the program page

Meet our Pup of the Month
Picasso!

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PUBLIC EDUCATION TASK FORCE

North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge

2022 North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge Results

UPDATED - Final Leaderboard

Rank	Community	Events	Volunteers	Bags of Litter	Score
1	Grand Prairie	82	1113	3384	301.0131
2	Shady Shores	1	23	24	254.7993
3	Plano	180	1733	925	171.4075
4	Fort Worth	46	3394	3746	117.3282
5	Mansfield	20	228	137	90.1697
6	Carrollton	71	287	420	86.6799
7	Irving	3	313	464	45.8302

2022 Results Report - In Development

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North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge

2022 Participating Communities:

- Carrollton
- Fort Worth
- Grand Prairie
- Irving
- Little Elm
- Mansfield
- Mesquite
- Plano
- Rowlett
- Shady Shores

THANK YOU, PARTICIPANTS!!!

Save-the-Date!

- 2023 NTCCC: March 1 – May 31

- Don't forget the optional Mayors' Challenge next year!

- Issuing a post-challenge survey in coming months for 2021 & 2022 participants

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FY22 Special Project

Videos and teacher support materials, that are TEKS aligned, covering stormwater education for schools on prioritized topics.

Prioritized topics:

- Why is stormwater important; yard waste and lawn care; pet waste

- What to look for around town and how to report issues

- Native plants (and water conservation)

- Narrowed grade range to better tailor materials and align to TEKS standards

- Working towards drafting video scripts, story boards, and teacher resources:
  - Identified vocabulary and drafted definitions
  - Identified list of resources for videos
  - Beginning stages of setting scenes and storyboarding

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PETF Activity Reports

Activity Reports – capture the activities and metrics of PETF campaigns, initiatives, and associated websites. Free resource for cost-share members to aid in preparing annual reports.

Upcoming reporting periods:
- August 13, 2021 to August 12, 2022
- October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022
- December 13, 2021 to December 12, 2022
- January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022
- January 24, 2022 to January 23, 2023

Changes to your annual reporting period dates or contact info? Please contact Crysta Guzman, cguzman@nctcog.org.

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Stream Trailer Training

Partnered with TRWD to provide a Stream Trailer Training Event at NCTCOG offices following the July 20th PETF meeting.

We had 9 participants join the training.

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POLLUTION PREVENTION (P2) ROUNDTABLE

- **Upcoming Meeting:**
  - December 7, 2022, at 9:30 AM – NCTCOG Office
  - Member Spotlight Presentation: OPEN!

- **FY22 Special Project and Training:**
  - Non-structural Stormwater BMPs
    - Webinar/Roundtable in development
  - What Would Your Entity Do?
    - Constructed case study
    - Seeking 2-3 volunteers to prepare roundtable response

- **Program Information:**
  - P2 Roundtable subcommittee page
  - P2 Roundtable program page

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ILLICIT DISCHARGE DETECTION & ELIMINATION (IDDE) TASK FORCE

Upcoming meeting:
- December 8, 2022, at 9:30 AM - Microsoft Teams Meeting
  - Please volunteer to present a case study: contact Casey Cannon at ccannon@nctcog.org or Carolyn Horner at chorner@nctcog.org
  - Recap Industrial Inspectors Workshop for FY22.

- If your City would like to present a case study to the IDDE group or host an event/training, please contact Casey Cannon at ccannon@nctcog.org.

Program Information:
- IDDE Subcommittee webpage
- IDDE webpage

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Industrial Inspectors Workshop
- The training is scheduled for September 20, 2022, at the City of Mansfield.
- Registration is available online.
- Currently we have presentations from:
    - City of Dallas
    - TCEQ
- This training is provided as part of the Annual Work Program.

- If your City would like to present a case study to the IDDE group or host an event/training, please contact Casey Cannon at ccannon@nctcog.org.

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STORMWATER MONITORING PROGRAM

- Monitoring is in the fifth year of the permit term. NCTCOG Staff and Consultant are finalizing the BMP Analysis and Evaluation Plan (BANEP) and Final Summary Report.

  The BMP Analysis and Evaluation Plan (BANEP) is a high-level approach for evaluating BMPs through the RWWCP.

- NCTCOG staff is working with TCEQ and monitoring participants to develop a proposal to continue the program in a new permit term.

- Our Current plan is to develop new program proposal and select consultant in 2023 and continue monitoring activities in 2024.

Program contact: Casey Cannon
ccannon@nctcog.org

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Other NCTCOG Program Updates

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Integrated Stormwater Management (iSWM)
Public Works Council program

Task Order 6 activities update

- Task 2 – Reorganize/Re-evaluate Site Development Controls
- Task 3 – BMP Design and Maintenance Training
- Task 4 – Technical Manual Updates
- Task 5 – Guidance on Forebay Design
- Task 6 – Hydrologic Mimicry Research
- Task 7 – Technical Assistance for Case Studies/Outcome 17
- Task 8 – Benefits of iSWM

Upcoming meeting:

- October 5, 2022, at 1:30 pm, Microsoft Teams

iSWM Implementation Subcommittee Website
iSWM Website

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✅ TMDL Water Quality

- **Project Under Development:**
    - *"Don't Feed the Birds"* draft video and script
    - *"No Muss, No Fuss – Be Wise When You Flush"* draft video and script

- **Upcoming TMDL Meetings:**
    - Joint TMDL Stormwater & Wastewater Technical Subcommittee: August 23, 2022 at 9:30 AM via Microsoft Teams
    - TMDL Monitoring Coordination Forum Technical Subcommittee: September 29, 2022 at 9:30 AM via Microsoft Teams

- TMDL Point of Contact: Hannah Allen, hallen@nctcog.org
- More information on www.nctcog.org/TMDL

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✅ TMDL Water Quality

- TMDL Implementation Plan Updates:
  - Dry Branch Creek TMDL Support Document is under development by the Texas Institute for Applied Environmental Research (TIAER). TIAER's presentation from the recent TMDL Coordination Committee meeting is available online here.
  - TCEQ's Public Comment Period for the North Fork Cottonwood Creek Addendum and State WQMP closed in early June. These documents are awaiting EPA's approval and then the NFCC Addendum will be incorporated into the North Central Texas Implementation Plan.

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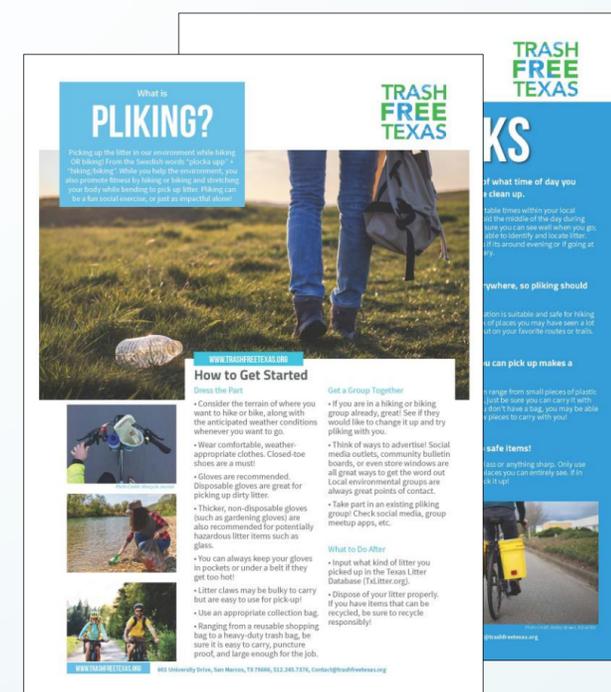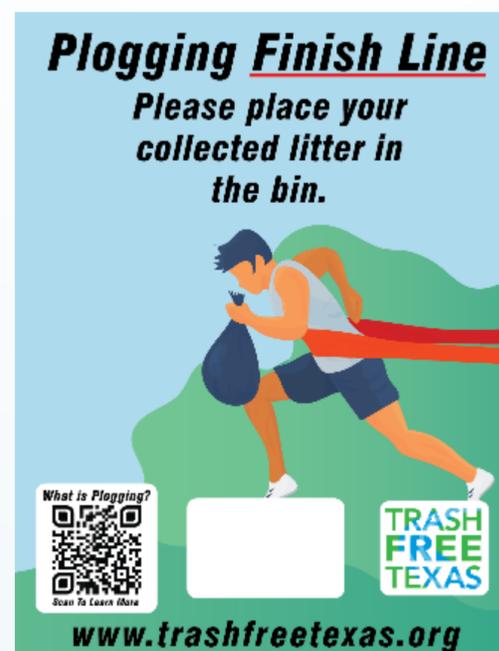Council of Governments
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✅ **Trash Free Waters**

Task 3: Engage and Educate

➡ **Task 3.2 Plogging and Recreational Cleanups Toolkit**

- ➡ Toolkit is now posted to the Trash Free Texas website! and can be found <u>here</u>!

- ➡ Seeking several communities and recreation groups to "test" the toolkit resources and provide feedback through September 30, 2022

  - ▪ Testing toolkit resources doesn't have to be long or complicated. NCTCOG staff can provide guidance.

  - ▪ **Feedback Deadline:** October 2022

  - ▪ **Feedback Survey:** https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZC8W2H9

- ➡ Email Crysta Guzman, cguzman@nctcog.org, with interest or questions

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✅ **Trash Free Waters**

Task 4: Changing Business Practices

➡ **Community-Run Restaurant Certification Toolkit**

➡ **Single-Use Plastic Reduction Resources for Restaurants**

- ➡ Early Fall – Drafts completed

- ➡ Fall 2022 – Outreach to cities and restaurants about toolkit and resources

- ➡ NCTCOG to work with several cities and restaurants on a pilot test of the materials and receive feedback.

- ➡ What type of resources and strategies will be included?

  - ➡ Restaurant Commitment Form and Program Certificate

  - ➡ Options for measuring success

  - ➡ Incentives for restaurant participation

  - ➡ Voluntary opt-out options

  - ➡ Signage for restaurant patrons

  - ➡ And more!

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Wastewater & Treatment Education Roundtable

- Upcoming meeting: October 20, 2022 at 10:00 AM (location TBD)

- *"Never Flush Paper Towels or Tissues"* educational explainer video under finalization

- Commitments for the FY2023 WATER Work Program will be accepted soon! Learn more about the FY2023 Work Program here.

- Participant Request for the 2022 Holiday Grease Roundup is quickly approaching! This year's roundup is scheduled for November 14, 2022 through January 9, 2023.

- WATER Point of Contact: Hannah Allen, hallen@nctcog.org

News and Resources: Events

- [SW3P for Plan Reviewers](#), September 27, NCTCOG Offices

- [SW3P for Field Inspectors](#), September 28, NCTCOG Offices

- [StormCon and WaterPro Conference](#), September 26-28, National Harbor, MD

- [IECA 2022 Texas Regional Conference](#), October 11-12, Denton

- [Dallas College Sustainability Summit](#), Nov. 4, North Lake Campus

- Pollution Prevention Training: What Would Your Entity Do?, TBD

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News and Resources

- **Now available: TCEQ template** for MSGP Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan

- **EPA:** Interim Guidance on Census Bureau's Elimination of "Urbanized Area" Definition

- **EPA & NMSA:** Aquatic Trash Prevention Information and Resources for Stormwater and Solid Waste Practitioners

- **Funding Announcement: EPA's** Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) and the State Infrastructure Financing Authority WIFIA (SWIFIA) programs (LOIs accepted on or after Sept. 6, 2022)

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Future Agenda Items

Roundtable Discussion

Now It's Your Turn!

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Upcoming Meetings

RSWMCC
November 9, 2022

Guest speaker from
A&M AgriLife!

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Upcoming Meetings

Pollution Prevention Roundtable
Dec. 7, 2022
NCTCOG Offices

IDDE Task Force
December 8, 2022
TBD

PETF
Oct. 19, 2022
Teams

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