

North Central Texas Council of Governments

SUMMARY

Flood Management Task Force
Friday, January 15, 2016
9:30 AM, Metroplex Conference Room
NCTCOG Offices, CPII
616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, TX 76011

1. **Welcome and introductions.**

DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION/ACTION ITEMS

2. **Approval of the August 28, 2015 Meeting Summary.**

The Meeting Summary was approved.

3. **Approval of the November 6, 2015 Meeting Summary.**

The Meeting Summary was approved.

4. **Update of CDC Applications.** The North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) staff will provide an update on CDC applications received.

NCTCOG staff informed the FMTF that the cities who submitted CDC applications were granted.

5. **CDC Manual Update.** NCTCOG staff will provide an update on the 4th Edition of the CDC Manual.

NCTCOG staff and the FMTF discussed the 46 revisions to the CDC Manual. The group unanimously voted to implement the approved revisions, bring the updated Manual to the next FMTF meeting, and then bring the document to the next Common Vision Steering Committee meeting in August for a vote.

INFORMATION ITEMS

6. **COMMON VISION Floodplain Management Seminar.** NCTCOG staff will provide an update on the upcoming Floodplain Management Seminar tentatively scheduled for mid-April.

NCTCOG staff proposed a date of Friday, April 22, 2016 from 2:30-3:30pm at NCTCOG. Three topics (TBD) are planned to be discussed at the Seminar.

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7. **Tarrant Regional Water District (TRWD) Update.** TRWD staff will update the FMTF on the Floodway Stakeholders Steering Committee.

Laura Blaylock provided information about how UTA's scope applies to modeling methods from USACE. Dr. Fang from UTA will expand the data set past the year 2000. The Steering Committee meeting should be held on February 9, 2016.

8. **Community Rating System (CRS) Webinars.** Webinars which provide information on different topics within CRS have been hosted by NCTCOG and TFMA monthly as part of the development of a North Central Texas CRS Users Group. NCTCOG staff will update the FMTF on webinar attendance and future CRS Users Group opportunities.

NCTCOG staff provided the different possible topics that might be discussed at the next webinar: Case Study of a Successful CRS Community, Communication During Disasters, Unregulated Floodplain Management.

9. **Cooperating Technical Partnership.** NCTCOG staff will provide an update on the Bear Creek Risk Assessment Project. NCTCOG staff will also provide an update on upcoming projects.

NCTCOG staff updated the group on the Bear Creek Project timeline and end, the business plan draft, and the Denton and Cedar Creek watersheds. Phase 2 projects will be starting soon.

10. **Integrated Stormwater Management (iSWM) Program.** An update on iSWM activities will be provided by NCTCOG staff.

The next iSWM meeting #11 is in Kennedale. NCTCOG staff aims to facilitate all 23 meetings by the end of April 2016, and the staff is hoping to set up regional workshops to provide assistance to cities in filling out the iSWM application.

11. **Flood Photo Collection.** NCTCOG staff will give an update on the status of the flood photo collection which can be accessed at www.nctcog.org/envir/flooding.

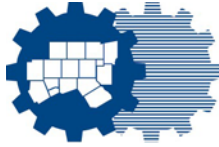
The link for viewing and uploading photos was provided to the group.

OTHER BUSINESS AND ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

12. **Roundtable Topics/Other Business.** The FMTF members and NCTCOG staff may share additional items as time allows.

James Pittman, RAMPP, provided the group with an update on the GIS model, and that the goal is to have a seamless model with no disconnect between the two mapping tools. James also requested that cities send in information regarding upcoming CDC applications.

NCTCOG staff discussed the goal of promotional materials for CDC should be geared toward intended audiences, and that the content will vary because of this. The Task Force determined the audiences to be the public, community leaders, and developers.



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Helena Mosser, USACE, informed the group that the newest FEMA studies will be the Guadalupe and Trinity River Basins. The goal of the studies is to create a reference document and future recommendations for other basins and tributaries. The group would like a presentation at the next FMTF meeting.

Claire Davis, City of Fort Worth, will have 3-4 CDC applications.

Jeff Kelly, City of Lewisville, will have 1 CDC for Waste Management.

Bill Brown, City of Arlington, will have 1 CDC for Landfill Revisions. Bill Brown notified the Task Force that Bulletin 17C will go out for public comment.

Stephanie Griffin, City of Grand Prairie, will have 1 CDC for Erosion. Grand Prairie is pursuing public assistance grants for May 2015 flood damages.

NCTCOG staff discussed Dallas County's expansion into East Fork of 5 communities and the need for commitment to the program.

13. **Schedule for the Next Meeting.** The Task Force requested that the meeting be rescheduled to avoid conflicts with Spring Break.

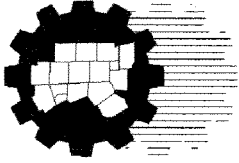
14. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Kenny Haferkamp by phone at (817) 695-9213, or by email at khaferkamp@nctcog.org.

Thank you.

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