

August 1, 2017

Mr. Wayne Wilson, Chair  
Brazos G Regional Water Planning Group  
7026 East OSR  
Bryan, Texas 77808

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I have reviewed Region G's July 13, 2017 request for a minor amendment determination to add a regional water supply project sponsored by the City of Waco to the 2016 Brazos G Regional Water Plan. Based on the request and supporting materials provided, I have determined that the proposed project for the City of Waco to provide treated surface water to ten water utilities in McLennan County to mitigate arsenic contamination does qualify as a minor amendment under 31 Texas Administrative Code §357.51(c) because the amendment:

1. Does not result in over-allocation of an existing or planned source of water;
2. Does not relate to a new reservoir;
3. Does not increase unmet needs or produce new unmet needs in the adopted regional water plan;
4. Does not have a significant effect on instream flows, environmental flows, or freshwater flows to bays and estuaries;
5. Does not have a significant substantive impact on water planning or previously adopted management strategies; and,
6. Does not delete or change any legal requirements of the plan.

If the Brazos G Regional Water Planning Group adopts the minor amendment, please submit written documentation to the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB), including documentation of the planning group action adopting this water management strategy as a minor amendment, an addendum to the 2016 Brazos G Regional Water Plan, updated DB17 data to reflect all associated changes to the 2016 Brazos G Regional Water Plan, and an updated recommended project prioritization list. After receipt of all required information, the Board will consider approving the amendment at a regularly scheduled meeting, and then may amend the 2017 State Water Plan, as appropriate.

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To provide leadership, information, education, and support for planning, financial assistance, and outreach for the conservation and responsible development of water for Texas

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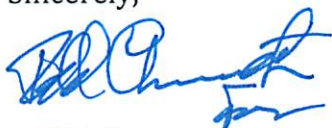
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If you have any questions concerning this determination or its associated requirements, please contact Tom Barnett, Region G Project Manager, at 512-463-4209.

Sincerely,



Jeff Walker  
Executive Administrator

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c: Mr. Stephen Hamlin, Brazos River Authority  
Mr. David Dunn, HDR Engineering, Inc.  
Mr. Tom Barnett, Water Supply & Infrastructure