

TCEQ Waiver for Late Fees and Interest in Response to Hurricane Harvey

Sept. 12, 2017

The executive director of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality—for good cause as authorized under TCEQ rules in 30 Tex. Admin. Code Section 12.3(d)—is providing a waiver of TCEQ monthly late fee charges and interest for the period Sept. 1, 2017, through Nov. 30, 2017, to individuals and businesses located in, or having operations in, affected counties identified within the disaster proclamation as declared by the Texas Governor.

- TCEQ late fee charges and interest will be automatically waived for accounts that have a billing address in one of the affected counties.
- Those entities or businesses that do not have a billing address in one of the affected counties, but have operations in the affected counties, are encouraged to contact TCEQ Accounts Receivable at 512-239-0369.

This waiver does not negate the requirement of the account holder to pay the fee or any late charge and interest incurred outside the waiver period.

The TCEQ remains committed to supporting customers affected by this disaster and will reassess at a later date whether to extend the waiver beyond Nov. 30, 2017. Customers are encouraged to contact TCEQ Accounts Receivable at 512-239-0369 with questions regarding their account.

Affected Texas Counties as of Sept. 4, 2017:

Aransas	Hardin	Orange
Austin	Harris	Polk
Bastrop	Jackson	Sabine
Bee	Jasper	San Jacinto
Brazoria	Jefferson	San Patricio
Calhoun	Karnes	Refugio
Chambers	Kleberg	Trinity
Colorado	Lavaca	Tyler
DeWitt	Lee	Victoria
Fayette	Liberty	Waller
Ft. Bend	Matagorda	Walker
Galveston	Montgomery	Wharton
Goliad	Newton	
Gonzales	Nueces	