

Neches River Tidal and Hillebrandt Bayou— TMDL and Implementation Plan Development A Community Project to Protect Recreational Uses

Thursday, April 9, 2:00 pm

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Agenda

Welcome and Webinar Instructions – Michael Schramm

PRESENTATION

Water Quality Planning and Implementation in Texas.

Dania Grundmann, TCEQ will present a status of the total maximum daily loads (TMDLs) for Hillebrandt Bayou and Neches River Tidal. General information related to water quality of will also be provided.

Planning Frameworks for Hillebrandt Bayou and Neches River Tidal Projects.

Michael Schramm, Texas Water Resources Institute (TWRI) will present an overview of TMDL Implementation Plans (I-Plans), a stakeholder-driven tool used to outline the activities to improve water quality in TMDL watersheds. Options for stakeholder group frameworks and meeting formats will be presented and discussed. Stakeholders will be asked to complete a Questionnaire to finalize the framework.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScon6ZGaHLeEizqEO7lQb_6rg9IPGPqpuiSczMGN5TMBRFGsA/viewform?usp=sf_link

Hillebrandt Bayou Technical Support Document, Nov. 2019.

The technical support document (TSD) has been completed and posted to the project web page. TWRI developed a Power Point summary of the TSD for the public. The summary has been provided but will not be presented during the webinar. Technical information regarding the Hillebrandt Bayou TSD will be presented at a future meeting. Contact Dania or Michael with questions.

ADJOURNMENT

Input and guidance from local stakeholders are a key part of developing future solutions in these watersheds! Thank you for your participation. Your comments are welcome.

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/waterquality/tmdl/nav/118-nechestidal-bacteria>

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/waterquality/tmdl/nav/118-hillebrandtbayou-bacteria>

Meeting Presentations are posted to the project web sites. The meeting summary will be posted to the project web sites by late April 2020.

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