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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

NOTICE

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Subject: Annual *Joint Groundwater Monitoring and Contamination Report*; and Notification of Groundwater Contamination

The Texas Groundwater Protection Committee (TGPC) recently completed the *Joint Groundwater Monitoring and Contamination Report*, 2022, Publication SFR-056/22 (*Joint Report*). The *Joint Report* catalogs groundwater contamination cases under enforcement in 2022 and is available on TCEQ's website at: www.tceq.texas.gov/publications.

State law requires TCEQ notify appropriate local officials if groundwater contamination under TCEQ jurisdiction may affect drinking water supplies in the local officials' area. This letter, along with the *Joint Report*, serves as a notification of documented groundwater contamination to county judges, local public health authorities, and groundwater conservation districts.

The 2022 Joint Report includes:

- The status of groundwater monitoring activities for each TGPC member agency associated with regulated facilities or activities.
- A description of each new groundwater contamination case documented or in process in 2022.
- The status of enforcement action for each listed case.
- A list of inactive cases for which action is complete but groundwater contamination may still be present.

Additional information about the *Joint Report*, including a printed copy of the report, may be requested from the Groundwater Planning & Assessment Team by sending an e-mail to cindy.hooper@tceq.texas.gov or by calling (512) 239-4271.

Case-specific information may be obtained by contacting the TGPC representative for the agency or division having jurisdiction for the case, and these contacts are included in Appendix F of the *Joint Report*. The *Joint Report* and related information may also be obtained on the TGPC website at www.tgpc.texas.gov.