

**REGULATION OF  
GROUNDWATER PRODUCTION  
FOR OIL & GAS FRAC  
CURRENT UPDATE**

**MILAM & BURLESON COUNTIES  
GROUNDWATER SUMMIT  
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# Concerns & Responses

## **Protect Landowner Property Rights in Groundwater**

*Adopt Rules requiring O&G to show right to produce GW (Affidavit)*

## **Protection of Aquifer / Water Availability**

*Amend spacing requirements to protect water levels of neighbors*

## **Time sensitive processes**

*Exemptions from hearings for short term permits (1 year)*

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## **Regulation**

*Single use permits, Pre-reporting production, Spacing, Tracking water levels, Maintain 2 AF/Acre/Year limit*

## **Water Quality**

*Begin baseline testing for comparison throughout process*

## **Education**

*Reports at Public Board Meetings, District Website*

# QUESTIONS?

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