

# TWDB Updates- GMA 12

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Projected exempt groundwater use estimates are available at:

[http://www.twdb.texas.gov/groundwater/management\\_areas/exempt use/GMA 12 ExemptUse 2015.pdf](http://www.twdb.texas.gov/groundwater/management_areas/exempt_use/GMA_12_ExemptUse_2015.pdf) Contact Natalie Ballew if you have any questions, feedback, etc: [natalie.ballew@twdb.texas.gov](mailto:natalie.ballew@twdb.texas.gov)

The new MAG numbers will be based on official aquifer boundaries rather than model extent unless otherwise requested. Contact Cindy Ridgeway if you have any questions: [cindy.ridgeway@twdb.texas.gov](mailto:cindy.ridgeway@twdb.texas.gov)

Check out the new TWDB YouTube channel:

[https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=texas+water+development+board](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=texas+water+development+board)

Try out the new TWDB Texas major aquifer 3-D viewer:

<http://www2.twdb.texas.gov/apps/waterdatainteractive/gamsdataviewer>

Chapter 356 Texas Administrative Code Groundwater Management draft rules were recently approved by our board for publication in the Texas Register. These rules mostly concern changes in the DFC petition process (House Bill 200).

The TWDB Groundwater Resources Division is now called the Groundwater Division due to the addition of the Flood Mitigation group to Water Science and Conservation. The Surface Water Resources Division also dropped "Resources" from their name.