

MINUTES OF THE ARANSAS COUNTY
STORMWATER MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
February 1, 2010

On the 1st day of February, 2010, the Stormwater Advisory Committee met at 1:30 PM at the Aransas County Service Center, 1931 FM 2165, Rockport, Texas with the following members present: De McLallen, Curtis Attaway, Frank Reilly, Russell Cole, Pat McKelvey, Ron Outen and Charles Smith. Nan Jackson and Ray Kirkwood, from the technical committee, were present. Representing the County's SWM Consultant team were John Michael (NEI), Craig Thompson (NEI), Dave Sullivan (NEI) and Paul Lippke (LCR). Representing the County Engineering staff were David Vyoral and David Reid. Also present was Greg Harlan, Tom Callan and Ron Helmke.

1. Meeting was opened and a quorum was declared by De McLallen.
2. Minutes from the January 11, 2010 meeting were approved.
3. The Tule Watershed existing conditions model is complete. LCR is in the process of analyzing possible improvements. WA #2 is approximately 55% complete. County staff has received preliminary hydrologic maps for 12 locations in the County and a draft of *Water Quality and Ecological Constraints and Opportunity for Tule Creek Watershed*. The overall project is two weeks behind schedule.
4. Mr. Sullivan presented a summary the County's Grant program. Upcoming grant opportunities include CBBEP-2011 and TCEQ-2011. The Henderson tract would be a good candidate for the CBBEP grant. Recommendations from Dr. Rowney's Tule report should be complete in time to submit for the TCEQ grant. CMP will meet in March to award its grant. The technical committee will meet next week to discuss grant opportunities.
5. Mr. Thompson presented a draft of NEI's recommended Drainage Design Criteria. The document will be distributed to all interested parties for comments and a workshop will be held next week.
6. Mr. Lippke presented the completed Tule model water surface elevations map. LCR is currently looking at design scenarios that could relieve flooding. Mr. Vyoral asked how a shorter design storm would affect the model. Mr. Michael thought changing the design storm duration should be relatively easy. Mr. Lippke will check with hid hydrologist. Mr. Smith suggested 6 to 12 hour storm durations were more typical in Aransas County.
7. Mr. Sullivan presented a draft announcement and agenda for the Stormwater Management Plan Open House. Committee members were encouraged to review and make comments at their earliest opportunity. Mr. Reid asked if the committee wanted to obtain the services of KRM Consulting for press releases and advertising. The consensus was KRM should be contacted.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:00 PM



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