

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Blanco-Pedernales Groundwater Conservation District will hold a public hearing on proposed Desired Future Conditions (DFCs) and aquifer classifications adopted by Groundwater Management Area 9 (GMA 9).

Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 1:30 p.m. 601 W Main St, Johnson City, TX 78636

The hearing will address the proposed DFC for the Trinity Aquifer in Blanco County, allowing an average drawdown of approximately 19 feet through 2080 relative to 2008 conditions. The hearing will also cover proposed "non-relevant" classifications for the Edwards Group of the Edwards-Trinity (Plateau), Ellenburger-San Saba, Hickory, and Marble Falls aquifers for joint regional planning purposes. This designation does not affect the District's authority to manage these aquifers under local rules.

The public comment period runs April 10 through July 9, 2026. Oral testimony will be accepted at the hearing. Written comments may be submitted via the Public Comment Form at www.blancogroundwatertx.gov. All comments will be forwarded to GMA 9 prior to final adoption and submission to the Texas Water Development Board by December 31, 2026.

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