



Hays County
Countywide Operations Department | Grants
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September 23, 2020

CERTIFIED MAIL

The Honorable Hoppy Haden
County Judge
Caldwell County
110 S. Main, Rm. 201
Lockhart, TX. 78644

RE: Notification of Proposed Texas Water Development Board Flood Infrastructure Fund
Grant for Hays County Onion Creek Watershed Study: Floodplain and Mapping

Dear Judge Haden,

Hays County plans to submit a Flood Infrastructure Fund application to the Texas Water Development Board on or before October 19, 2020 to complete a floodplain and mapping study of the Onion Creek Watershed. The intention is to utilize this study to help improve the regional data and knowledge of the Onion Creek Watershed in order to best serve and protect the citizens.

The representative for this project is:

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The Onion Creek Watershed study is part of the Hays County's comprehensive effort to update floodplain modeling and mapping in consideration of the new National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Atlas 14 rainfall data. As the City of Austin and Travis County are currently conducting a Hydrology and Hydraulic study of the Onion Creek Watershed, there will be a regional benefit to complete an update for the portion of the watershed within Hays County.

The anticipated final product of this project would consist of new and /or updated hydraulic models, updated floodplain spatial data, selected flood risk data products, and preparation of all data necessary for FEMA to conduct a Physical Map Revision (PMR).

The Texas Water Development Board contact for the Flood Instructure Fund

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Any comments on the proposed monitoring system must be filed with Hays County and the Texas Water Development Board within 30 days of the date of which this notice was mailed.

Hays County invites your comments and participation in the important flood monitoring project.

Sincerely,



Lindsay McClune,
Grants Writer