

Edwards Aquifer Authority

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NOTICE OF OPEN MEETING

EAHCP Science Committee

Wednesday, September 10, 2025

9:00 AM

STAR Park, 3055 Hunter Road, San Marcos, TX

A meeting of the Science Committee of the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan will be held on the date, time, and location stated above.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. Program Announcements
- 3.1

- Hydrological Update
- Comal Springs Refugia Salvage Event May 2025
- Comal Springs Low-Flow Memorandum May 2025
- Comal Springs System Update
- San Marcos Springs System Update
- Southern Edwards Aquifer Recovery Plan (USFWS)
- Edwards Aquifer Diving Beetle (USFWS)

Attachments: 2025-05-30 Comal Springs Low-Flow Memorandum

2025-06-11 USFWS Recovery Plan for the Southern Edwards Aquifer Springs a

2025-06-17 Edwards Aquifer diving beetle not warranted for listing

- 4. Individual Consideration
- 4.1 Approval of previous Committee meeting minutes.
 - April 17, 2025

Attachments: 2025-04-17 EAHCP Science Committee Meeting Minutes

- 4.2 Committee Chair and Vice-Chair for 2026 and 2027
- 5. Reports
- 5.1 Receive a report from ICF on the EAHCP Incidental Take Permit Renewal.

- 5.2 Receive a report from Kristy Smith, Environmental Scientist at EAA, on EAHCP Applied Research activities.
- 5.3 Receive a report from Dr. Chad Furl, Chief Science Officer at EAA, on the role of the Science Committee in the next EAHCP Incidental Take Permit.

6. Future Meetings

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The next Science Committee meeting is a joint meeting with the Stakeholder and Implementing Committees on Thursday, December 18 at 10:00 AM at the Edwards Aquifer Authority, 900 E. Quincy Street, San Antonio, Texas, 78215.

7. Public Comment

8. Adjourn

This meeting of the Science Committee of the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan complies with Section 7.9.3 of the Funding and Management Agreement (FMA), an interlocal agreement made pursuant to Texas Government Code Chapter 791 by and among the Edwards Aquifer Authority (EAA), the City of New Braunfels (New Braunfels), the City of San Marcos (San Marcos), the City of San Antonio acting by and through its San Antonio Water System (SAWS), Texas State University, and the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority (GBRA).