

Meeting Minutes – May 12, 2026

Region 11 Guadalupe Regional Flood Planning Group Meeting

GBRA River Annex at 9:00 AM

GBRA River Annex (905 Nolan Street, Seguin, Texas)

Roll Call:

<u>Voting Member</u>	<u>Interest Category</u>	<u>Present (x) /Absent () / Alternate Present (*)</u>
Don Durden	<i>Agricultural</i>	Yes
John Johnston Billy Jordan*	<i>Counties – Chair</i>	No
Doug Leacock	<i>Counties</i>	Yes
Melissa Reynolds	<i>Electric Generating Utilities</i>	Yes
Annalisa Peace Bill Barker*	<i>Environmental</i>	Yes-Annalisa Peace Yes – Bill Barker
Doug Sethness	<i>Flood districts</i>	No
Zach Boyer	<i>Industries</i>	No
Joe Ramos	<i>Municipalities</i>	Yes
Ken Gill	<i>Municipalities</i>	Yes
Kimberly Meitzen	<i>Public</i>	Yes
R. Brian Perkins Jonathan Stinson*	<i>River Authorities</i>	Yes
Tara Bushnoe Shelby Taber*	<i>River Authorities</i>	Yes-Shelby Taber
Matthew Hoyt	<i>Small Business</i>	Yes
Charlie Flatten Ben Eldridge	<i>Water Districts</i>	Yes-Ben Aldridge
Steven Fonville	<i>Water Utilities</i>	No

<u>Non-voting Member</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Present(x)/Absent() / Alternate Present (*)</u>
Sue Reilly Beth Bendik*	Texas Parks and Wildlife Department	Yes
Fernando Perez Regan Middleton*	Texas Division of Emergency Management	No
Jami McCool Kristin Lambrecht*	Texas Department of Agriculture	No
Allen Nash	Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board	No
Kris Robles Teresa Williams* John Blount	General Land Office	No
Cynthia Nolasco	Texas Water Development Board (TWDB)	Yes
Joel Klumpp	Texas Commission on Environmental Quality	No
Leah Cuddeback	Public	Yes
Juan Sandoval Toby Matias	Region 12 Liaison	No
Patrick Brzorowski	GM-Lavaca-Navidad	No

Quorum:

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Number of voting members or alternates representing voting members present: 11

Number required for quorum per current voting positions of 8: 15

Other Meeting Attendees:

Sharon Warren, GBRA (Paralegal)

Ram Mendoza, GBRA (IT)

Janis Childers (ICF)

Jay Scanlon (Freese & Nichols)

Katherine Smith (Freese & Nichols)

See sign-in sheets attached for additional attendees.

All meeting materials are available for the public at: <http://www.guadalupeRFPG.org>

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1: Call to Order

Co-Chairman Meitzen called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m. Sharon Warren called the roll of the planning group members to record attendance, and a quorum was established.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: Welcome

Co-Chairman Meitzen welcomed members and guests to the meeting.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3: Approval of minutes from the March 12, 2026, Region 11 RFPG Meeting.

Co-Chairman Meitzen opened the discussion on approving the minutes from the March 12, 2026, Region 11 RFPG Meeting.

A motion was made by Joe Ramos to approve the March 12, 2026, Region 11 RFPG Meeting minutes. Brian Perkins seconded the motion. The motion carried.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: Region 11 Guadalupe RFPG Chair Updates

No updates were given by the Co-Chair.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) Updates

Co-Chairman Meitzen called on Cynthia Nolasco for updates:

- The TWDB Board approved the 14 second amended 2023 Regional Flood Plans for Regions 1 and 3-15 on March 31st, 2026. The information from these amendments will be integrated into an amended 2024 State Flood Plan, which we hope will be ready early next year.

- Task 5B items from the March and April deliverables are currently under review. TWDB will reach out with any requests for information and will also inform you when those deliverables have been found to be administratively complete.
- The TWDB is currently reviewing the Technical Memorandums for all RFPGs and will provide informal comments this summer.
- Regional Flood Planning intends to host an upcoming chairs conference call on a date and time to be determined. We will share additional details when we have more information.
- The most recent newsletter covering events and emails from December 2025 to March 2026 was sent out on March 25th, 2026. This is also available online on our Second Cycle Documents page.

Co-Chairman Meitzen thanked Cynthia Nolasco for her work with Region 11 as she moves to another position outside of the TWDB.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: Inter-regional updates on Region 10 & Region 12

No updates were given by the Chair

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7: Guadalupe Region 11 RFPG Sponsor Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority (GBRA) Updates

No updates were provided by GBRA.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 8: Discussion and potential action regarding administrative expenses to be submitted to the Texas Water Development Board for reimbursement

Brian Perkins presented the administrative expenses for presentation to TWDB for reimbursement for GBRA and the technical consultant, totaling \$3,062.25 for January 1, 2026, to April 30, 2026. A motion was made by Doug Leacock and seconded by Annalisa Peace to approve the submittal of administrative expenses of GBRA for TWDB reimbursement. The motion carried.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 9: Discussion updates regarding Region 11 RFPG Technical Consultants' work and schedule

- a. Status Update
- b. Update on FMEs to be performed by the TWDB (Task 5B)
- c. Update and presentation of FME's to be performed by the RFPG Technical Consultant (Task 4C)
- d. Presentation of 2028 FMSs and potential action on formal recommendations (Task 5A)
- e. Presentation of Flood response information and activities Survey (Task 7)
- f. Presentation of Administrative, regulatory, and legislative recommendations from Cycle 1 and updates (Task B)
- g. Schedule Review

Jay Scanlon, of Freese & Nichols, and Kathryn Smith, of Freese & Nichols, provided updates on the TWDB IUP ("Intended Use Plan") set for release in the summer of 2026, an update on Task 5B - FMEs to be performed by the TWDB; Task 4C - FMEs to be performed by the RFPG Technical Consultant; Task 5A - 2028 FMSs and potential action on formal recommendations; Task 7 - presentation of flood response information; Task 8 - administrative, regulatory and legislative recommendations; and schedule overview.

TWDB IUP Task A- The anticipated release date for the draft IUP is the summer of 2026, followed by a 30-day public comment period.

Task 5B -updates on FME's to be performed by the TWDB - initial submittals are being reviewed by the TWDB. These submittals include the March 24, 2026, submittal of the UGRA Evaluation of Water and Sediment Control Facilities and the Green Dewitt Drainage District Cuero levee study, and the April 23, 2026, submittal of the Hays County Channel Improvement and detention analysis and the City of Victoria Spring Creek Watershed project planning. The additional potential FMEs to be submitted are: City of Umland drainage improvement; City of San Marcos USACE planning; the City of Seguin citywide drainage project; the City of New Braunfels box culvert installation; and the Canyon Regional Water Authority Hays-Caldwell WTP project.

Task 4C - FMEs to be performed by the RFPG technical consultant - update of the selection process and discussion of the FMEs. The following FMEs to be performed by the RFPG technical consultant include the following projects: City of San Marcos South LBJ Drive at Willow Springs; City of San Marcos low water crossing at Jackman; City of Wimberly Valley Drive at Pierce Creek low water crossing; City of Wimberly Flite Acres Drive low water crossing; City of Wimberly Green Acres Drive at Wilson Creek low water crossing; Caldwell County Hemphill Creek; Caldwell County Mebane creek channel improvements; and Caldwell County Mebane Creek floodwall.

Task 5A - FMS recommendation of flood management evaluations, flood mitigation projects, and flood management strategies. Discussion of the goals that the RFPG shall recommend in Cycle 1 (150 items) and Cycle 2 (300 items).

Task 7 -flood response information and activities - the purpose of the survey on flooding issues and floodplain management goals is to collect information and data regarding existing flood infrastructure, floodplain management, flood risk reduction planning and projects, emergency response, and funding for the general public and potential stakeholders in the region.

Task 8 - legislative, administrative, and regulatory recommendations - RFPG may adopt recommendations on policy issues related to floodplain management and flood mitigation planning and implementation. Chapter 8 of the plan deals with legislative, administrative, and regulatory recommendations.

Task 10- Adoption of plan and public participation

Public Comments -two public comments via the website and one public comment via email received from March 4, 2026, to May 3, 2026 were discussed.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 10: Discussion on future meeting dates for 2026 & 2027

The following dates are scheduled:

July 14, 2026 - 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., GBRA River Annex
September 8, 2026 - 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., GBRA River Annex
November 10, 2026 - 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., GBRA River Annex

2027 Meetings - The meetings will now occur on the even months, same time, same location.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 11: Present date and agenda items for next meeting

a. Tuesday, July 14, 2026 (9:30 a.m.)

Tentative topics for July 2026 are Task 5B update, presentation of Chapter 1 to RFPG, and present Cycle 2 FMSs

Tentative topics for September 2026 are Task 5B update, submission of SOW for remaining 5B FMEs, submission of Community Affirmation forms, and presentation of updated Cycle 1 FMEs

Tentative topics for November 2026 are Task 5B update and potential action to recommend Chapters 7 and 8. The Plan is due on January 28, 2027, with a meeting scheduled within 30 days of the plan's publication.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 12: Public General Comments- limit 3 minutes per person

No public comments.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 13 Adjourn

Brian Perkins made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved by consensus at 11:28 a.m.

Approved by the Region 11 Guadalupe RFPG at a meeting held on May 12, 2026.



Brian Perkins, SECRETARY


John Johnston, CHAIR

Tuesday, May 12, 2026

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SIGN-IN SHEET FOR REGION 11 FLOOD PLANNING GROUP
SEGUIN, TEXAS

PUBLIC ATTENDANCE

Date: May 12, 2023

Please Print

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