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To:

Groundwater Management Area 12 (GMA 12)
c/o Gary Westbrook
PO Box 92 Milano, Texas 76556

Subject: Support for Maintaining Current Desired Future Conditions (DFCs)

Dear Members of Groundwater Management Area 12,

Bastrop County urges the Groundwater Management Area 12 to retain the currently adopted Desired Future Conditions (DFCs) for our aquifers. Bastrop County is growing rapidly, and our citizens and businesses depend on a stable groundwater supply for homes, schools, agriculture, and economic development.

We have already witnessed substantial declines in groundwater levels and well performance in parts of Bastrop County. Further reductions in aquifer levels could seriously jeopardize our water security, constrain future growth, and place undue burdens on residents who depend on private wells.

Maintaining the current DFCs is essential to protecting both our present and future needs. These carefully considered conditions are the foundation of responsible groundwater management, and we believe they represent a balanced approach that supports growth while preserving the integrity of our aquifers.

We ask that the members of GMA 12 recognize the importance of sustainable management for all communities—urban and rural alike—and uphold these DFCs as a measure of fairness, prudence, and respect for the people who call Bastrop County home.

Thank you to each of the five Groundwater Conservation Districts within GMA 12 for your dedication and collaboration in protecting the water resources we all depend upon.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark Meuth".