

GEAA Members and Friends,

The State House of Representative [Interim Charges for the 82nd Legislature](#) are out. This is the list of directives from the Speaker of the House as to what each House Committee is supposed to work on prior to the next legislative session. Accordingly, we see that the State will plan on examining the water-energy nexus, evaluate the role of community gardens and urban farming in providing healthy food to high population areas, and (yea!) studying county issues arising from population growth and new development in the unincorporated areas, among many other things. Take a look into what is in store for Texas in 2013.

In other news:

GEAA Member Group Leon Springs Business Association is holding their annual [Greenfest](#) this Saturday, 10/29 from 11:am to 3:pm at Fralo's Pizza in Leon Springs. Hope to see you there!

Music lovers, check out the San Antonio Chamber Choir's series of [Water Music](#) concerts -conceived in homage and celebration of water.

As always, our member groups are engaged in a host of interesting events and issues. [View a List of Our Member Groups](#) and visit their web sites to learn more about fun things to do in the Hill Country.

Lastly, GEAA would love to hear from any of you who are interested in representing GEAA at various events (weekends), or presenting at schools (weekdays). Contact me at annalisa@aquiferalliance.org to learn more.

Have a wonderful weekend and a spooky Halloween!

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