

Dear GEAA members and friends,

Dr. Curtis Chubb has posted an on-line petition concerning overpumping of groundwater that will be presented to the House and Senate Natural Resource committees. You can take a look and [sign on here](#).

[Wimberley Valley Watershed Association](#) has submitted [comments](#) regarding plans to upgrade sewage infrastructure in their town. If you live in or love Wimberley, [take a look](#) and get involved.

Unregulated Pumping Threatens Trinity Aquifer - A Houston company, Electro Purification (EP), has drilled multiple unregulated commercial wells in the area of FM 3237 at FM 150, near Hays City Store. Electro Purification wants to sell groundwater from these wells to a proposed subdivision in Mountain City, to the city of Buda, and to the Goforth Water District. The total amount of proposed pumping exceeds 5 million gallons per day - more than 1.8 billion gallons a year - greater than the combined total of the Wimberley Water Supply Corp., Aqua Texas, and Dripping Springs Water Supply Corp. Read more [here](#)..

The City of New Braunfels is looking to fill vacancies on the Planning Commission and the Watershed Advisory Board. We urge New Braunfels citizens who are interested in protecting our wonderful Edwards Aquifer springs and watersheds to get involved. [Read more here...](#)

According to Forbes magazine, Hays County is the [3rd fastest growing county in the nation](#) (Williamson County is #1.) Keep up with issues in San Marcos associated with this growth by signing up to [read news from the San Marcos River Foundation](#). They are doing a valiant job of keeping us posted on the many projects that could threaten the beautiful San Marcos springs, as well as all the fun stuff that is going on in San Marcos.

Last but not least, looks like [we still need your help from San Antonio citizens](#) to make sure that renewal of the Edwards Aquifer Protection Plan gets on the ballot for the May election. [Read more here...](#)

Thanks so much to all of you for joining GEAA in advocacy. Your voices are being heard and you are making a big difference in the outcomes of these various issues. Please stay tuned for more - we will definitely need all the help we can get during this legislative session.

Have a great weekend!

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