

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HAYS

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RESOLUTION # 20110721

HAYS TRINITY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

A Resolution of the Board of Directors
Agreeing to Modify the Boundaries of Groundwater Management Area 9

WHEREAS, the Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District (District) is a Groundwater Conservation District created by an act of the 76th Legislature and subject to various requirements of State Law governing groundwater districts, including Texas Water Code Chapter 36; and

WHEREAS, the District was established for the purpose of providing for the conservation, preservation, protection, recharging and prevention of waste of groundwater and of groundwater reservoirs in the District; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Water Development Board has designated the Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District as being included in the geographic area of Groundwater Management Area 9 and 10 for joint regional planning;

WHEREAS, the District desires to participate fully in the joint planning being conducted by GMA 9 for developing appropriate desired future conditions for the aquifers common to all GCDs in GMA 9; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District desires to have the 3% within Hays County re-designated from GMA 10 to GMA 9, so that this land underlain by the Edwards Aquifer may be more appropriately included in the joint planning by GMA-9 and HTGCD, and so that HTGCD will not be expected to participate in GMA-10 joint regional planning for aquifers that are not present in the HTGCD; and


WHEREAS, the Texas Water Development Board requires by rule that transfers of land between adjacent GMAs be approved not only by vote of the two GMAs involved but also by Board resolutions of all individual GCDs in the GMA losing the land and of all individual GCDs in the GMA gaining the land;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by its Board of Directors that the Hays Trinity Groundwater Conservation District approves and accepts the addition of the 3%, more or less, that lies within Hays County, Texas, and is part of the Barton Springs/Edwards Aquifer Conservation District to be included in the joint planning area of Groundwater Management Area 9.

In Favor 5

Opposed 0

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 21 DAY OF July, 2011.



Board President, Jimmy Skipton

ATTEST:


District General Manager, Rick Broun