

NOTICE OF RULE-MAKING
BY
LOST PINES GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District is considering amending its Rules and Regulations and will receive public testimony pertaining to the proposed amendment at its meeting of July 15, 2009, beginning at 7:00 o'clock P.M., in the Giddings, Texas, City Hall located at 118 East Richmond, Giddings, Texas.

District Rule 8.10(h) provides that an applicant who is granted a "reservation" permit must pay a monthly fee set by the District, which is currently set at \$1.00 per acre-foot per acre-foot of water reserved.

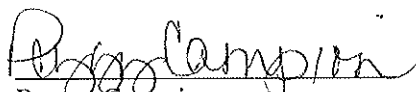
The District is proposing to amend the amount of the fee from \$1.00 per acre-foot of water reserved to \$3.50 per acre-foot per acre-foot of water reserved. If, after receipt of public comment and testimony, the Board determines to make this change in its rules, Rule 8.10(h) will read as follows:

(h) For reservation permit applications, the applicant shall pay all of the processing, notice and hearing fees as are applicable to an operating permit application. Such fees will be set out in District rules. After a reservation permit is granted, the holder of the reservation permit shall pay a monthly fee set by the district, which currently is \$3.50 per acre-foot per year of water reserved. If a reservation permit is reduced, temporarily or permanently, the monthly fee will be correspondingly reduced.

Those persons who wish to receive copies of the rules of the District in a manner different from downloading the proposed rules and/or the current rules, should make their request by writing the District at the address below.

Questions may be directed to the District by contacting the Assistant Secretary at (512) 360-5088 or this email address: lpgcd@lostpineswater.org. Those persons who wish to provide written comments about the proposed rule amendment for the Board to consider, should forward their comments to this email address or mailing them to the District at P.O. Box 1027, Smithville, Texas 78957, prior to Friday, July 10, 2009. If a person desires to address the Board regarding this proposal, their testimony or evidence will be welcome at the hearing at the time, date and place stated above.

Issued this 3rd day of June, 2009.


Peggy Champion
Assistant Secretary

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8:15am.