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**LOST PINES GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT ANNOUNCES NEW
EDUCATION AND CONSERVATION OUTREACH COORDINATOR**



[GIDDINGS, TX | June 7, 2024] – The Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District is pleased to announce the appointment of Claire Marks as the new Education and Conservation Outreach Coordinator. In her new role, Ms. Marks will be responsible for developing and administering the District’s education and community outreach programs.

Marks brings a rich background in public service and policy analysis to the District. She earned her Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from the University of California, Riverside in 2018. During her tenure as a California State Senate Fellow, she successfully championed the passage of two Senate Bills into law and subsequently served as Floor Manager for the California State Senate Republican Caucus.

Recently, Ms. Marks graduated from the Bush School of Government and Public Service at Texas A&M University with a Master of Public Administration degree, specializing in the analysis of energy, environmental, and water public policies. Her academic and professional experiences make her a valuable asset to the Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District.

As a classically trained pianist and outdoors enthusiast, Marks is passionate about environmental conservation. She is eager to leverage her expertise to engage and educate the residents of Bastrop and Lee County to help conserve water for future generations.

“We are thrilled to welcome Claire to our team,” said Elvis Hernandez, Board President of the Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District. “Her extensive background in policy and stakeholder outreach, and her commitment to environmental conservation aligns perfectly with our mission. We are confident that Claire will enhance our education and outreach goals and foster a better connection with our communities.”

ABOUT THE LOST PINES GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District is dedicated to the protection and conservation of groundwater resources in Bastrop and Lee Counties. Through educational programs, community outreach, and strategic resource management, the District strives to ensure sustainable water supplies for current and future generations.

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