

April 11, 2011

Lampasas River Watershed Partners,

We are making huge strides towards having a complete Watershed Protection Plan for our watershed and only lack a few final decisions. Our Work Groups met in March and worked diligently to develop an Outreach and Education strategy that would both support and encourage participation in the implementation of our WPP. Work Groups also outlined a long-term water quality monitoring regime for the Lampasas River and tributaries that would provide data on bacteria loadings as we move through implementation.

Although we originally expected to hold a Steering Committee in April, it has been determined that another Urban NPS Work Group meeting is necessary to finalize management strategies and responsibilities from each of the municipalities within the watershed. The Agriculture and Wildlife Work Group has finalized all of their recommendations and does **not** need to meet. **The Urban NPS Work Group will meet on Friday, April 29, 2011, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. at the City of Killeen Solid Waste Building (2003 Little Nolan Road, Killeen, TX 76542).**

The Partnership is also working in conjunction with the USDA- Natural Resources Conservation Service to host two more Riparian Proper Functioning Condition (PFC) Workshops. Each workshop consists of ½ day in the classroom and ½ day in the field visiting streams. These workshops are open to landowners, municipal, state or federal agency employees, and others who are interested in the values and functions associated with riparian areas and streams. There is no charge to attend these workshops, but pre-registration is required. If you would like to attend please email or call me at the contact information given below. Both workshops will cover the same material. Maps and an agenda are available on our website.

#### **Killeen PFC Workshop**

Wednesday, April 27, 2011, 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  
Class: Parrie Haynes Ranch– Equestrian Center  
 13816 North Maxdale Road, Killeen TX 76549  
Field: Parrie Haynes Ranch  
 179 Gann Branch Rd, Killeen, TX 76549  
**Lunch provided by City of Killeen**

#### **Lampasas PFC Workshop**

Tuesday, April 26, 2011, 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  
Class: Lampasas County Farm Bureau Bldg  
 1793 U.S. 281, Lampasas, TX 76550  
Field: Lilley Ranch  
 889 CR 3040, Lampasas, TX 76550  
**Lunch provided by Texas AgriLife Research**

More information about the Lampasas River Watershed Partnership as well as materials from previous meetings are available on our website (<http://www.lampasasriver.org>). If you have any questions, please call me at (254) 774-6008 or email [lprcin@brc.tamus.edu](mailto:lprcin@brc.tamus.edu).

Sincerely,  
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