CENTRAL TEXAS GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NOTICE OF HEARING September 24, 2018

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all interested persons within Burnet County, Texas:

That the Board of Directors of the Central Texas Groundwater Conservation District (CTGCD) will hold a public hearing, accept public comment, and may take action on the adoption of proposed amendments to CTGCD's Rules regulating groundwater in Burnet County, Texas. The proposed rules amendments may adopt changes to the various definitions; methods of service; show cause proceeding; management plan review and adoption; general permit provisions; permit term; permit renewal; ownership transfer; right to produce water under permit from other than a well; application requirements; permit amendments; deadlines associated with administrative completeness; well aggregation; well registration; well exemptions; operating permits; nonexempt wells used for domestic, livestock, and poultry purposes; grandfathered use permits; interim production authorization; transfer of permits; drilling permits; large and small wells; hydrogeological investigations and reports; permit by rule for non-exempt wells located on a tract of land less than 10 acres; test hole drilling authorization term; management zones; regulation of production; well spacing; minimum tract size; well completion standards; permit hearings procedures and notice; rulemaking hearing; procedures relating to grandfathered use permits; enforcement; groundwater transport; metering; regulating groundwater in connection with quarries; and temporary provisions. Changes may be made to the proposed amendments to the CTGCD's Rules based upon comments received or made at the hearing, and the amendments may be adopted with or without such changes without further notice or hearing.

This rulemaking hearing will be held on Monday, September 24, 2018, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the District Offices, located at 225 S. Pierce, Burnet, Texas.

Any person who desires to appear at the hearing and present comment or other information on the proposed amendments to the CTGCD's Rules may do so in person, by counsel, or both. Comments may be presented verbally or in written form. Limits may be placed on the amount of time that each person is allowed to present verbal comments. The hearing posted in this notice may be recessed from day to day or continued where appropriate.

A copy of the proposed amendments to the CTGCD's Rules: (1) may be requested by email at Mitchell Sodek <u>sodek@centraltexasgcd.org</u>, (2) is available at the CTGCD's website at <u>www.centraltexasgcd.org</u>, and (3) may be reviewed or copied at 225 S. Pierce Street, Suite 104, Burnet Texas. Any person who wishes to receive more detailed information on this notice or the proposed amendments to the CTGCD's Rules should contact Mitchell Sodek, General Manager, at 512-756-4900.