

March 12, 2013

Lampasas River Partners,

We have several programs that we will be hosting in the watershed in the coming months that I would like to encourage you to attend.

The Texas Watershed Stewards workshop, which is free and open to all interested parties, will be held on Thursday, March 28th at the Lampasas County Farm Bureau Building. The workshop will last from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and is designed to help watershed residents improve and protect their water resources by getting involved in local watershed protection and management activities. Texas Land Bank in Lampasas is providing lunch for all attendees! In addition, CEUs will be offered to those that need them. Please pre-register at <http://tw.s.tamu.edu/workshops/registration/> or by calling Program Coordinator Galen Roberts at 979.862.8070.

The Lampasas River Watershed Partnership is also hosting a Riparian Management workshop, in cooperation with the USDA – NRCS on Thursday, May 2nd. The workshop, which is free and open to all interested parties, will last from 8 am to 3:30 pm. Landowners and land managers of local streams and waterways on their property are encouraged to attend. The Riparian Workshop will consist of a classroom portion, held at the Oakalla Community Center at 29111 FM 963 in Oakalla. The field portion will be held at the nearby Wayne Duncan Ranch on Clear Creek. CEUs will be offered to those that need them and the City of Killeen will provide lunch for all attendees. Please pre-register by calling 254.774.6008 or emailing lprcin@brc.tamus.edu.

We also are working with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and Clearwater Underground Water Conservation District to host a Texas Well Owners Network Training and Screening. This program is for residents that depend on household wells for their drinking water needs. Well owners who want to become familiar with Texas' groundwater sources, water quality, water treatment, and well maintenance issues should plan to attend. The program will be on June 20th at the Texas A&M – Central Texas Campus in Killeen. More information will be available soon for this workshop.

I have attached a flyer for the Texas Watershed Stewards Workshop and the Riparian Management Workshop. *Please feel free to share with your neighbors and anyone you think might be interested.*

As always, please call me at 254.774.6008 or email lprcin@brc.tamus.edu if you have any questions. I look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

Lisa Prcin
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