

# Overview of the WWTP Permit Process

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# Application for WWTP

- Application has been made to TCEQ
- Discharge would be through the Neumann Farm to a spring that feeds Geronimo Creek
- Average daily flow maximum of 300,000 gal/day
  - This means approximately 150,000 gal/day or 104 gpm
  - Flow from a common garden hose is 44 gpm

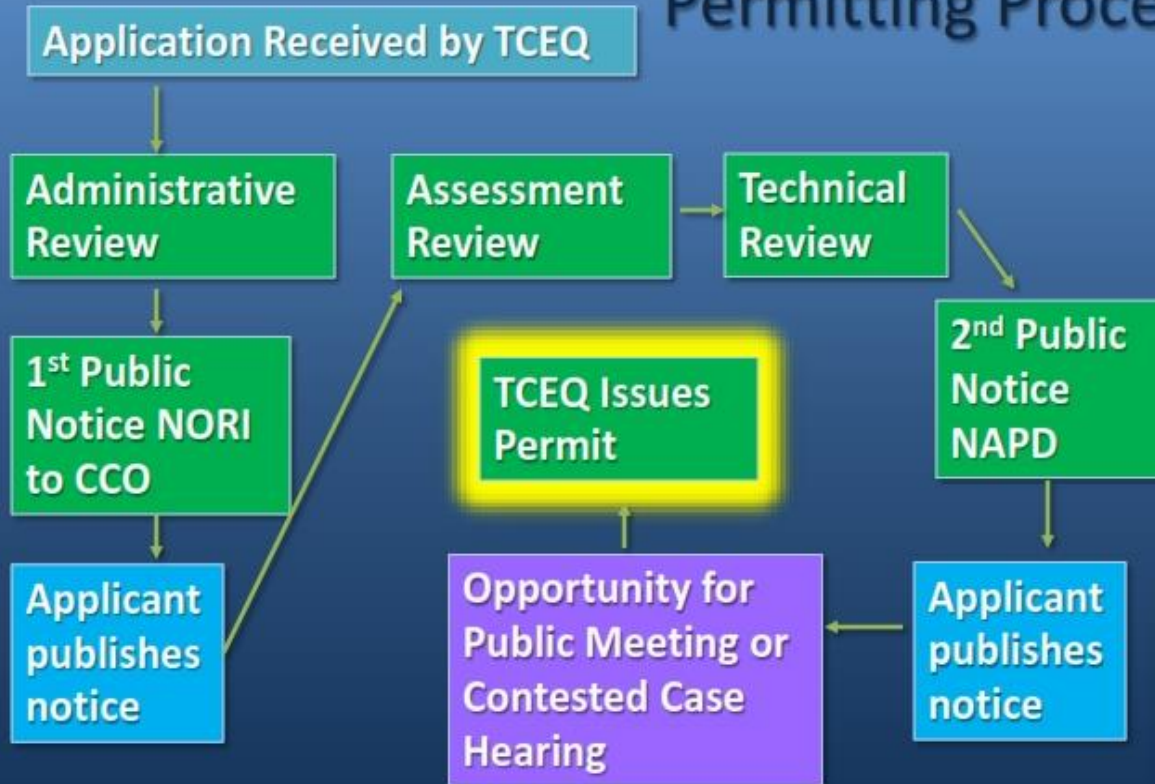




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- <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/decisions/participation/permitting-participation/public-participation-9-1-2015>

# Individual Permit – Wastewater Permitting Process



# Timeline

- First public notice posted December 14, 2018
- First public comment period is now open
- In about 60 days, expect the next public notice to be posted
  - Following this second notice, there will be a 30 day comment period
  - The Public Meeting usually occurs during the second comment period
  - If you have submitted comment, you will be placed on the mailing list

# Next Step - Public Meeting

- Opens with TCEQ and Applicant statements
- Time for questions from attendees
- Time for comments from attendees
- Public comment closes after the public meeting
- After the public meeting, TCEQ will make a decision of whether a Contested Case Hearing is warranted

# How the public can provide input

- Submit a letter during the open comment period
- Request a public meeting only if they are an “affected landowner”
- Attend and/or participate in a public meeting
- Once you submit a comment, you are put on the mailing list for the permit





## Comment on a Pending Permit Application

### Comment Online:

To submit a comment online, you must have the **TCEQ permit number** associated with the pending permit application of interest to you.

Permit Number:

Next

reset

If you submit your comments online, you will receive an e-mail confirmation for your records. Keep this e-mail for future reference.

*\*If you do not receive an e-mail within one hour, we **HAVE NOT** received your comments.* If you do not receive the confirmation, please contact the Office of the Chief Clerk immediately at 512-239-3300.

### Or file by mail, hand-delivery, or fax:

Please include a **TCEQ permit you mail, hand-deliver, or fax comments** on a pending permit application. Submit your comments using one of the options below:

#### Mail to:

Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105  
TCEQ  
PO Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

#### Courier or hand-deliver to:

Office of the Chief Clerk  
TCEQ  
12100 Park 35 Circle, Bldg F  
Austin, TX 78753

#### Fax to:

512-239-3311\*

\*Note: If you fax your filing, you **must** mail or hand-deliver the original document and the appropriate number of copies to the Office of the Chief Clerk within three business days.

## Don't know the permit number? Not sure if an application is open for comment?

Click on the button below to search for or verify a **TCEQ** permit number, or find out if an application is open for comment.

[Search the TCEQ Commissioners' Integrated Database](#)

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# How to track the application

- TCEQ Commissioner's Integrated Database
- Go to [Geronimocreek.org](http://Geronimocreek.org) for details



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## Overview: Public Participation in Environmental Permitting--for Applications Filed on or after Sept. 1, 2015

Below is an overview of the processes that are in place for public participation in applications filed on or after September 1, 2015 for water quality, waste, and air permits, when a contested case hearing is possible under Texas law.

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# TCEQ Commissioners' Integrated Database

Your session expired. Please search again. If you have any immediate concerns please contact the application administrator by e-mail at [occ@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:occ@tceq.texas.gov). Thank you for your patience. You may try your search again.

**Search One** will show you the [status of matters](#) pending or that have gone before the Commission for approval and associated documents.

**Search Two** will show you comments, hearing requests, and requests for public meetings, etc.

[Glossary of Terms](#) used. (In PDF. Help with [PDF](#).)

Note: the search results may take longer than a minute for processing.

## Search One: Status of Matter(s)

**Step One:** Select type of Items to view and the sort order.

- ☒ Open Items  
☐ Open and Closed Items

Sort by: ☒ Applicant/Respondent  
☐ TCEQ ID Number  
☐ County

**Step Two:** Choose additional information below. Click "Search" button to run search. Click "Clear" to start over.

Applicant/Respondent Name:

(May enter only first letter or first few letters of name.)

TCEQ ID Number:

(Enter a full or partial Id number - permit, license, enforcement case etc)

TCEQ Docket Number:

(example format: 2001-1918-AIR, add -E for enforcement case.)

SOAH Entity Number:

(example format: 582-97-0842)

Program Area:

County:  OR TCEQ Region:  [Region Map](#) (In PDF. Help with [PDF](#).)

Regulated Entity Number:

(example format: RN100323718)

Customer Number:

(example format: CN602341532)

**Step Three (optional):** Include the additional information below. Click "Search" button to run search. Click "Clear" to start over.

☒ **Include Filings on this Item:**

(List of documents received by TCEQ Chief Clerk from all parties, SOAH, OGC, etc., regarding an application, registration, enforcement action, etc. )

☒ **Include all correspondence from the public on this Item:**

(List of comments, hearing requests, public meeting requests, etc.) **Search Tip:** To ensure you retrieve all of the protestants for an application, please conduct your search five or more days after the comment period

**Applicant/Respondent Name, TCEQ Customer Number:**

GRAM VIKAS PARTNERS INC, CN605577949

**Status:** ACTIVE**Item Type:** NEW**Regulated Entity Name, Regulated Entity Number:**

HEINEMEYER FARM, RN110511664

**TCEQ Docket Num:****SOAH Docket Num:****County, TCEQ Region:**

GUADALUPE, REGION 13 - SAN ANTONIO

**Program:** WWPERMIT**Permit Number:**

WQ0015732001

**Doc. Type:** PERMIT**Protestant Information**

Note: Allow up to five or more business days after the end of the comment period for comments or hearing requests to be included in this total.

**Comments Received:** 41 **Hearing Requests Received:** 16 **Public Meetings Received:** 713 Activity Actions found. [Display all Activity Actions](#)**Activity Action List:**

Date	Document Type	Action
01/25/2019	<a href="#">LETTER</a>	SENT TO
12/14/2018	NEWSPAPER TEARSHEET	RECEIVED
12/14/2018	NOTICE OF RECEIPT/INTENT	COMPLETE
12/14/2018	VERIFICATION/APPLICATION	RECEIVED
12/14/2018	BILINGUAL TEARSHEET	RECEIVED

Filings received since July 2009 are viewable in PDF by clicking on the Filing Title.

**Filings:****Date Received****Filing Title**

No Filings found

67 Comments found. [Display all Comments](#)

Comment letters, etc. received since November 2008 are viewable in PDF by clicking on the Correspondence Type.

Date Received	Commentor	Correspondence Type	Comments Submitted Electronically
03/12/2019 5:07 PM	<a href="#">SMIDT,RANDALL</a>	Mailing List Add	Add me to the mailing list please.
03/10/2019 11:01 AM	<a href="#">ALLEN,MARY ANNIS</a>	Comment - Written	Additional comments: the reason for requesting this water treatment project is to facilitate a new development of up to 1000 homes. I am astonished that the state would approve affluent in an open air drainage, that is upon public property and usable by the hundreds, perhaps thousands of children in the proposed development. Such a



# Questions and comments?



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