Wastewater Treatment Facilities Workgroup Meeting Notes March 2, 2011

Work Group Members Present

Kim Laird (TCEQ), Charris York (TCWP), Dawn Ryczek (GCHD), Darrell Hartwick (WCID 1), Lisa Marshall (GBF), Angela McDowell (GCHD), Hoi Heldt (Resident), Marc Reid (TCWP)

Discussion

The workgroup began with a brief recap of the last meeting. Following the recap, the 9 elements table was projected and discussed in more detail. Lisa provided examples of the management measures from GBFs Oyster Waters workgroups. The following two management measures were discussed:

- Increase compliance and enforcement by TCEQ.
- Impose stricter bacteria limits for Wastewater treatment Facility effluents.

Action Items

- Marc will talk with Lisa at GBF about the letters they are sending to Wastewater Treatment Facilities regarding new permit requirements.
- Kim will find out what information regarding inspection data can be shared with Texas AgriLife Extension Service.

