

CLIENT NAME: Kinney County Groundwater Conservat **DATE:** 08/10/2026

PROJECT: FY26 - Hydrogeological Consulting Services

TO: Genell Hobbs

PERIOD COVERED: July

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Changes from prior month's update are provided in ***bold italics***.

Task 1: Recommendation for Rule Changes

Completed to date

- Conducted a detailed review and evaluation of KCGCD rules under On-Call agreement.
- Prepared draft rule amendments and recommendations report.
- Performed internal QC on rules for consistency and alignment with District mission.
- ***Provided District's Attorney with Draft Rule Recommendations on May 5th.***

In progress & next steps

- ***Awaiting comments from District's Attorney.***

Adjusted Timeline Recommendations

Task 2: Support Desired Future Conditions Joint Planning

Completed to date

- Attended GMA 10 Meeting in San Antonio, TX on October 28th.
- Attended GMA 7 meeting in Sonora on November 6th.
- Reviewed and synthesized data from multiple sources, including various GAM runs, Dr. Hutchison's tech memos, Kinney County Numerical Model Reports, GMA 7 Explanatory Reports, and the KCGCD Management Plan.
- Reviewed existing methods and data for DFC evaluation.
- Initiated recreation of DFC evaluation cross-plots.
- Began developing the technical memorandum of findings and recommendations.
- (2) meetings with TWDB to discuss technical approach on November 24th and December 1st.
- Provided District with Draft Technical Memo on December 12th.
- Provided District with Draft Frameworks Memorandum on January 21st.
- Attended GMA 10 meeting on February 9th.
- Provided District with Draft Frameworks DFC Evaluation on February 18th.
- Presented DFC Framework 1 and 2 scenarios at February 24th meeting.
- Attended Special Board Meeting on March 3rd.
- Presented to GMA 7 on March 18th.
- Attended GMA 7 Meeting on April 23rd.
- Developed and delivered Revised DFC report to District on April 14th.
- ***Provided DFC Report to GMA 7 Consultant on May 1st.***

In progress & next steps

- ***TBD***

Adjusted Timeline Recommendations

- None

Task 3: Review and Finalize Groundwater Pumping and Source Aquifer Datasets

Completed to date

- Initiated processing of datasets received from the District, EcoKai, Dr. Hutchison, and the TWDB BRACS program.
- Developed draft pumping dataset with preliminary aquifer assignments.

In progress & next steps

- Continue processing and quality-checking datasets.
- Maintain coordination (correspondence and workshops) to verify pumping and finalize water level datasets.

Task 4: Update Conceptual Model for Kinney County Aquifers

Completed to date

- Updated structure and stratigraphy data points across Kinney County.
- Updated well performance / aquifer hydraulics datasets.
- Developed updated 3D Leapfrog Geologic model.
- Updated stratigraphy through oil and gas cable tool and scout ticket records from the Bureau of Economic Geology.
- Initial synthesis of water chemistry and water level data.
- Detailed synthesis and review of water levels across Kinney County.
- Detailed synthesis and review of water chemistry data across Kinney County.
- Detailed synthesis and review of historical rainfall and streamflow data in and around Kinney County.
- Literature review for regional and local hydrogeologic setting.

In progress & next steps

- Processing and continued data collection for various key datasets.
- Development of Draft Report.

Adjusted Timeline Recommendations

- None