January 3, 2014

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) and the Texas Institute for Applied Environmental Research (TIAER) cordially invite you and your neighbors to a meeting regarding the Assessment of Water Quality and Watershed Based Planning for Nolan Creek/South Nolan Creek project. At this meeting, TIAER staff will present current water quality monitoring data collected in the Nolan Creek/South Nolan Creek watershed and hear a presentation by Tiffany Morgan from the Brazos River Authority focusing on upcoming nutrient requirements impact on waste water treatment facilities management. The meeting will be held on January 16, 2014 from 6:00pm – 8:00pm, at the Killeen Civic & Conference Center, Meeting Room 4, 3601 South W.S. Young Drive, Killeen, TX 76542. A map to the meeting place is on the back of this letter, and a tentative agenda is enclosed.

The water quality goal of this project is to identify causes and sources of pollution in Nolan Creek/South Nolan Creek Watershed, and to provide stakeholders and agencies with sufficient information to address elevated bacteria levels in the water. The full segment includes the cities of Harker Heights, Nolanville, and Belton and portions of the Fort Hood Military Reservations as well as the city of Killeen, so broader partnerships within the watershed are necessary if water quality issues are to be fully addressed by all stakeholders.

Since decisions made about these waterbodies will affect landowners, citizens, industries, and municipalities, your participation is fundamental to the success of this project.

If you have any questions, please contact me at njackson@tiaer.tarleton.edu or 254-968-1902. We look forward to seeing you on January 16, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.

Sincerely,

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