

Toledo Bend Reservoir Shoreline Management Information Workshop

TOLEDO BEND PROJECT JOINT OPERATION

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(Toledo Bend Reservoir) As part of the ongoing effort to relicense the Toledo Bend Project, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) requires the Sabine River Authority of Texas and the Sabine River Authority, State of Louisiana (collectively, Authorities) to prepare a Shoreline Management Plan (SMP) that determines how the Authorities manage development and conservation activities along the Toledo Bend shoreline. Meetings to review the preliminary draft SMP, answer questions from members of the public, and explain the next steps to finalize the SMP are scheduled in Texas and Louisiana on December 1st and 2nd:

Thursday, December 1, 2011
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
First Baptist Church
(Family Life Center Building)
301 Hwy 87 South
Hemphill, Texas
(409) 787-3380

Friday, December 2, 2011
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Disabled American Veterans
(DAV Building)
29340 Hwy 191
Many, Louisiana
(318) 256-6057

The SMP is a comprehensive planning document for the Authorities to manage the shorelines of Toledo Bend Reservoir for numerous public purposes, including power production, water supply and management, public recreation, and environmental protection. A preliminary draft SMP was filed with the Final License Application submitted to FERC on September 30, 2011.

A copy of the preliminary draft SMP is available at the Authorities' offices during regular business hours. The Authorities' addresses are: Office of the Sabine River Authority of Texas, 12777 Highway 87 North, Orange, Texas 77632; and Sabine River Authority, State of Louisiana, 15091 Texas Highway, Many, Louisiana 71449. In addition copies of the SMP plan are available for public inspection and reproduction at the following locations: Vernon Parish Library, Leesville, LA; Desoto Parish Library, Mansfield, LA; Sabine Parish Library, Many, LA; Sammy Brown Library, Carthage, TX; Fannie Booth Memorial Library, Center, TX; Jr. Huffman Public Library, Hemphill, TX; Newton County Public Library, Newton, TX. The preliminary draft SMP can also be viewed online at the Toledo Bend Project website at www.tbpjo.org.

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