



## **Notice of Cameron County Drainage District No. 6's Citizen Participation Plan**

**for**

### **Texas Water Development Board - Flood Infrastructure Fund SFY 2024-2025**

Cameron County County Drainage District No. 6 ("Drainage District") will be submitting applications for Flood Mitigation Projects ("FMP") funding to the Texas Water Development Board's ("TWDB") Flood Infrastructure Fund SFY 2024-2025 Program ("FIF Program").

The FIF Program is a competitive program that will award a combination of grants and zero percent interest loans.

As part of its Citizen Participation Plan, the Drainage District will be accepting public comments and hosting public hearings. Members of the public are strongly encouraged to participate in this process.

The public comment period will be open from February 15, 2024, until March 6, 2024.

As background, the TWDB is accepting applications for funding for construction and implementation of flood-control projects under its FIF Program.

The Drainage District is proposing to submit the following 10 applications for funding to the FIF Program:

1. IBWC Levee Gates and Pump Station at Main Drain
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Floodway Pump Stations (Main)
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000115
2. IBWC Levee Gates and Pump Station at Cantu Drain
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Floodway Pump Stations (Cantu)
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000067
3. IBWC Levee Gates and Pump Station at Parker Drain
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Floodway Pump Stations (Parker)
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000116
4. IBWC Levee Gates and Pump Station at Thompson Drain

- a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Floodway Pump Stations (Thompson)
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000117
5. Parker Drain Expansion Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Parker Drain Widening (Tio Cano Lake Overflow)
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000115
6. Main Drain Expansion Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Main Drain Widening - switch to Parker Regional Detention Facility
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000064
7. Santa Rosa Regional Detention Facility Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Main Drain regional detention facility
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000066
8. Clark Flood Mitigation Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Clark Road Ditch Improvements
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000068
9. Southwest Ditch Widening Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Southwest Ditch Widening
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000069
10. Ovale Lateral Flood Control Project
  - a. TWDB Region 15 Project Name: Ovale Lateral Connectivity
  - b. TWDB Region 15 FMP Number: 153000065

The District selected these infrastructure projects because they will provide significant regional flood control benefits to the District, Cameron County, and our region.

Public Hearings will be held both in person and virtually as follows:

### **1st Public Hearing - In Person**

Date and Time: February 22, 2024, at 10 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of the Lake University - Rio Grande Valley, 1650 S. Main St., La Feria, TX  
78559

### **2nd Public Hearing - Virtual**

Date and Time: February 29, 2024, at 6 p.m.

Zoom Information:

Meeting ID: 896 1219 6518

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89612196518>

You can request additional information regarding these projects at the Drainage District offices from 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, at 300 N. Main St., La Feria, Texas 78559 or at [ccdd6.org](http://ccdd6.org).

You can call the Drainage District General Manager Javier Jimenez via phone at (956) 797-2421 or via e-mail at [fifcomments@gmail.com](mailto:fifcomments@gmail.com) to submit comments, to request information regarding public hearings, or to request additional information regarding the proposed applications.

Your comments and input will serve to shape and strengthen Cameron County Drainage District No. 6's applications.

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