

## M E M O R A N D U M

**To:** Groundwater Management Area 4 Member Districts  
**From:** Trey Gerfers, GMA 4 Coordinator  
**Date:** May 11, 2026  
**Subject:** **90-Day Public Comment Period on Proposed DFCs**

The following proposed Desired Future Conditions (DFCs) were adopted by the member districts at our Joint Planning Meeting on April 30, 2026:

- **An average drawdown of 52 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the Igneous Aquifer within the Brewster County Groundwater Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 24 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the Igneous Aquifer within the Jeff Davis County Underground Water Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 19 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the Igneous Aquifer within the Presidio County Underground Water Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 78 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the West Texas Bolsons Aquifer within the Culberson County Groundwater Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 31 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the West Texas Bolsons Aquifer within the Jeff Davis County Underground Water Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 20 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the West Texas Bolsons Aquifer within the Presidio County Underground Water Conservation District.**
- **An average drawdown of 0 feet between 2030 and 2080 for the Bone Spring-Victorio Peak Aquifer within the Hudspeth County Underground Water Conservation District No. 1.**

This action triggers a minimum 90-day public comment period (May 11-August 10, 2026). Each district must hold a public hearing to receive comments about the proposed DFCs during this time. It may be held in conjunction with a regularly-scheduled Board of Directors meeting.

A summary of comments received should be sent to me following your hearing. If no public comments were received, then this needs to be noted as well. All comments will be combined into a summary document for review at a future GMA 4 meeting.

The deadline for final DFC adoption is January 5, 2027.

As always, do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions or concerns.