

Upcoming Events:

Brush Country Groundwater Conservation District Brooks

Regular Meeting

Tuesday, May 24, 2022.

At 9:30 A.M. located at 732

W. Rice St. Falfurrias, Texas 78355

Duval County Groundwater Conservation District

Regular Meeting

Wednesday, May 25, 2022. At 6:00 P.M.

located at 231 E. Railroad Ave. Benavides,

Texas 78341

Kenedy Kleberg County Groundwater Conservation District

Regular Meeting

Wednesday, May 19, 2022. At 9:30 A.M.

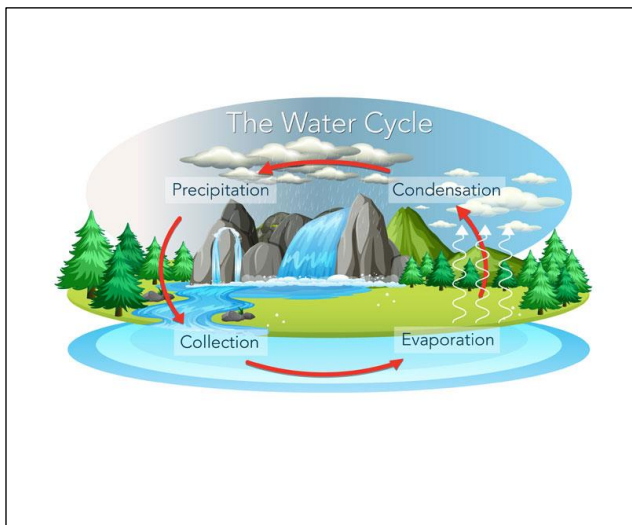
located at 151 North Mallory St. Sarita,

Texas 78385

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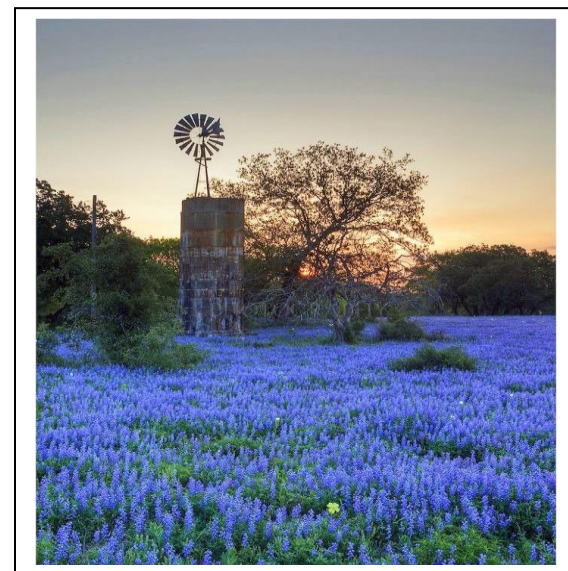
General Manager Jorge (George) Gonzalez organized the traditional procession for the Patron Saint of Farmers. Ranchers and farmers joined the procession to pray for much-needed rain.



The Duval County Groundwater Conservation District is currently taking applications for their well plugging program. On January 23rd, 2018 the board hired a well plugging inspector and modified its rule amount not to exceed \$1,500 per well. Interested applicants may download applications from our web page at Duval GCD.com or may pick up applications at our office located at 231 East Railroad Avenue in Benavides.



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District Information: The district is a groundwater conservation district created under and essential to accomplish the purpose of Section 59, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution. It was created as a part of S.B. No 1847 passed by the Texas legislature in May of 2005 the district encompasses all of Duval County and is located within Groundwater Management Area 16 and Regional Water planning Group

Duval County GCD
New Office Building located on
231 E. Railroad Avenue
Benavides, Texas

PRAYER FOR RAIN

God of Life, All Good Things Come from You.
The Breath of Life that Creates Us, the Fellow
Creatures that Accompany Us
The Saving Waters that Renew and Refresh Us
We Look to You in This Time of Need.
Give to the Earth the Water Of Life,
Water to Bring Forth Food for your Creatures,
Send us Rain to Heal The Earth and Cleanse
It's Face, Water to Quench Your Thirsty Land.
Let Faith Be Born From Our Doubts, Hope from
Our Despair, Compassion From Our Troubles,
LET THE RAINS COME, So We May Know
Once More, Your Care For All Creatures.
We Will Bless Your Great Name And Declare
Your Faithful Name.
We Ask This Through Christ Our Lord.

Amended Rule on Well Plugging Program:

Allows an assignment of rights to allow applicants easier access and eligibility into participation. For more information and details please contact the office.



The Duval County Groundwater Conservation District is currently taking applications for their water well testing pilot program. Interested applicants should contact general manager Jorge (George) L. Gonzalez for more details or visit at our office located at 231 East Railroad Avenue in Benavides.



The purpose of the district, as per Texas water code 36, Section 36.00.15, is to provide for the conservation, preservation, protection, recharging and prevention of waste of groundwater and of groundwater reservoirs or their subdivisions and to control subsidence caused by the withdrawal of water from those reservoirs. It has an obligation under Texas Water Code 36.107 to develop a groundwater management plan that will state how the district will meet that purpose. Under Texas Water Code 36C Section 36.101, the District has the authority to adopt and enforce rules that the district feels are needed to carry out that purpose.