

# Texas Riparian & Stream Ecosystem Training



## Mill Creek: Brenham, TX ~ Draft Agenda November 8, 2017

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- 8:00 Meeting Registration  
8:15 Welcome & Introductions
  - Kara Matheney, Washington County Extension Agent8:30 Program Overview, Watershed Management and Water Quality
  - Clare Entwistle, Texas Water Resources Institute9:15 How Creeks Function & Bear Creek Example
  - Melissa Parker, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department10:00 Break  
10:15 Riparian Vegetation
  - Jim Rogers, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)11:00 Management Practices, Local Resources and Photo Monitoring of Streams
  - Clare Entwistle, Texas Water Resources Institute11:45 Lunch  
12:00 Lunch time Presentation: Mill Creek Watershed Protection Plan Overview
  - Jennifer Cary, TAMU Soil & Crop Sciences Dept./Mill Creek Watershed12:15 Role of Forests and Trees in Watershed Protection
  - Hannah Cruce, Texas A&M Forest Service1:00 Role of the Texas Comptroller's Office with Freshwater Mussels
  - Kimberly A Horndeski, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts1:30 Trip to the Creek (Lead by TPWD, TFS, and USDA NRCS)
  - Creek Walk & Lane's Balance Demonstration Activity
  - Agricultural Nonpoint Source Incentive Programs: Ben Garcia, NRCS
  - Feral Hog Education4:00 Wrap up and Head for Home!

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