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**LOST PINES GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
TO HOST WELL DRILLERS SUMMIT**

[GIDDINGS, TX | September 26, 2025] – The Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District (LPGCD) will host a Well Drillers Summit at its office, 317 E Hempstead St., Giddings, TX, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Thursday, October 23, 2025. Dinner will be provided for all attendees.

The summit is designed to bring together licensed water well drillers and pump installers working in Bastrop and Lee Counties for an evening of updates, discussion, and collaboration. LPGCD staff will review new and existing District rules that directly impact drilling and pump installation practices, including recent changes related to well capping and drilling authorization permits onsite during operations.

In addition to rule updates, the District will provide an overview of its programs and tools that support drillers and their clients, including the HALFF database and the Bore and Radius Tool now required for completing Forms 100 and 200.

“Our goal is to strengthen communication and make sure drillers have the information and resources they need to continue serving our communities effectively,” said Sheril Smith, LPGCD Board Member and Education & Outreach Committee Chair.

The Well Drillers Summit will also include time for open discussion and Q&A, giving drillers and pump installers the opportunity to ask questions and share feedback directly with District staff.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact the Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District at (512) 360-5088.

ABOUT THE LOST PINES GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Lost Pines Groundwater Conservation District is dedicated to the protection and conservation of groundwater resources in Bastrop and Lee Counties. Through educational programs, community outreach, and strategic resource management, the District strives to ensure sustainable water supplies for current and future generations.

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