



# CENTRAL TEXAS WATER ALLIANCE

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# Background

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- ❑ October 2024 City Council approved a resolution of support for the formation of the Central Texas Water Alliance (CWTA)
- ❑ Senate Bill 1194 for the creation of the CWTA was signed into law May 2025
  - ▣ Bill detailed original sponsor's responsibility to appoint or designate the initial board
  - ▣ Members of the initial board include McLennan County Judge Scott Felton, Bell County Judge David Blackburn, Clearwater Underground Water conservation District designee Dirk Aaron and Water Control and Improvement District #1 designee Ricky Garrett
- ❑ Initial board creates an entity membership application to allow water entities to join and submit nominations for a board representative

# Alternatives Considered

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- Submit an entity membership application and nominate a representative for placement on the board of the Central Texas Water Alliance
- Do not join the Central Texas Water Alliance nor submit a board nomination

# Recommendation

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Authorize the City Manager to submit an entity membership application and for the City Council to nominate a representative for placement on the board of the Central Texas Water Alliance