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Lake Waco Wetlands to Host Open House

The Bosque River Coalition and the Lake Waco Wetlands will host “An Open House at the Lake Waco Wetlands,” on Saturday, October 4, 2014 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Attendees will have the opportunity to take a guided nature hike and hear presentations about Wetland research programs, North Bosque River sampling and regional fisheries management.

Participants in the event include: the City of Waco, the Bosque River Coalition, Dr. Robert Doyle (Baylor University), Dr. Anne McFarland (Tarleton State University) and John Tibbs (Texas Parks and Wildlife).

Coffee and light breakfast will be served. The event is free and open to the public.

About the Bosque River Coalition

Initiated in 2009, the BRC is an organization of individuals and entities, sharing a common interest in the Bosque River and its watershed, including landowners, businesses, and the City of Waco, the owner of water rights in Lake Waco. Members have devoted their time, energy and financial resources to the work of the BRC and to environmental practices that promote water quality, conservation, habitat restoration and responsible waste management. More information:

www.bosqueriver.org

About the Lake Waco Wetlands:

In 2000, the Waco City Council voted to increase the level of Lake Waco by seven feet providing an additional 20,000 acre-feet of water. The Lake Waco Wetlands was created to mitigate the habitat loss when Lake Waco was raised by those seven feet. With the addition of the Research and Education Center, it has grown to become a living laboratory for research, education and recreation. More information: www.lakewacowetlands.com

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