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Submitted to the Committee on Natural Resources
For HB 4373

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The Greater Edwards Aquifer Alliance is neutral on HB 4373. While we like the idea of providing notice one month before the hearing on the group's Internet website, we think that the deleted language should also be required. [by providing a copy of the plan in the county courthouse and at least one public library of each county having land in the region] should remain. Notice for the hearing shall include the address of the website [a listing of these] and any other location where the plan is available for review.

Plans should be made available both on the internet and at locations that are accessible to the public. The more opportunities for the public to be informed about the regional water plans, the better.