

Platting authority directs applicants to contact UTGCD

TBPG & TBPELS maintain online licensure databases at pels.Texas.gov & tbp.state.tx.us

Ch. 230 requires a minimum of ONE Observation Well and ONE Test well

Plat applicant reaches out to platting authority for submission

UTGCD coordinates pre-study meeting with applicant

Plat applicant secures P.E./P.G. for study, tests, & certification

P.E./P.G. confirms build-out/population data for study (230.5)
This data can be acquired from previous subdivisions & their build-out statistics

Plat Applicant notifies District of drilling & testing dates for observation

District staff monitor testing & well completions: observation & test wells

Applicants encouraged to meet with UTGCD staff to discuss requirements for completing groundwater studies in accordance with Chapter 230 of the Texas Administrative Code.

District staff require 48 hours notice prior to drilling & pump testing





230.9 includes necessary water testing parameters – 11 in total



District study review duration : 5-10 business days after determination of administrative completeness

Applicant's consultants generate drawdown & time scenarios via Ch. 230

Plat Applicant coordinates water quality testing via certified laboratory

Plat Applicant & their consultants produce final certification statement which includes completion of the TCEQ Form

Applicant submits certification statement for review by District staff

(staff may reach out for additional materials)

District must receive payment of GAC Review Fee prior to beginning review

(emailed invoice to the party responsible)

District staff verify certification is administratively complete prior to review

District staff review study & produce three water scenarios & recommendations based on testing data

Many labs may require their own staff to produce a sample, and samples may need to be refrigerated prior to transport.

ALL fees must be paid and ALL materials, calculations, and data used by applicant must be submitted to the district before the certification statement will be declared administratively complete.

District staff update county platting representatives on when a certification is under review and when a review is completed.





The front page of the study's executive summary outlines the results of the three projections, and district recommendations regarding water availability.



District staff complete study review – send to identified Platting authority representative, the applicant, and the TWDB.

District's executive summary & study should be filed with the county clerk in the county of origin, for future homeowners

Platting Authority determine how to proceed based on review

District maintains a database of ongoing and completed GAC studies for community access at uppertrinitygcd.com

