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Your Comments or Concerns

We have a home on a beautiful stretch of the Guadalupe on the North Fork. We are short on rain this year and the river is low! It is very important to me that it at least remain clear of contaminates. I support a ban on the discharge of treated wastewater into the last few remaining streams and rivers in the state that are considered to be pristine. Out of over 2,500 streams in the state, sadly, we are down to only 22 segments of streams that are pristine because they contain undetectable phosphorous. This is less than 1% of all the classified streams in Texas! Treated sewage discharged into rivers causes degradation of water quality, algae blooms, and negatively affects water clarity!

Your Proposed Solution

I ask that the Commissioners approve a rule banning the discharge of treated sewage into

pristine rivers and instead let entities apply for a TLAP. A good solution is for Cities, trailer parks and camps to apply for a Texas Land Application Permit, or TLAP, to properly dispose of treated human wastewater.

My Comments Will Be Made Public

Yes