

**Response to Public Comments on
Thirteen TMDLs for Indicator Bacteria in the
Lower West Fork Trinity River Watershed
(Segments 0841, 0841B, 0841C, 0841E, 0841G, 0841H,
0841J, 0841L, 0841M, 0841R, 0841T, and 0841U)**

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Tracking Number	Date Received	Affiliation of Commenter	Request or Comment	Summary of TCEQ Action or Explanation
001_01	6/19/2013	Private Citizen (written – email)	A community resident commented, “Mother Nature is trying to communicate to us via our bacteria loads. If we refuse to take the hint she's giving us, Darwin is going to get his. Please protect our children’s future by not using the Trinity river as a septic system!”	The TCEQ appreciates the concern for the environment. The allocations provided in the TMDL document are protective of the contact recreation uses associated with the streams. No changes were made in response to comment.