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**NOTICE TO ALL RESIDENTS OF BANDERA COUNTY**  
**SEVERE DROUGHT RESTRICTIONS IN EFFECT**

The Bandera County River Authority And Groundwater District has moved the County to Severe Drought Restrictions. The move was based on the current groundwater levels and the rainfall deficit.

Below is a comprehensive breakdown of the current drought restrictions for well owners in effect as of February 16, 2018:

The following drought restrictions and any subsequent enforcement actions not only apply to all permit holders and public water suppliers but to anyone who utilizes water from a public water supply system or any District permit holder in the County.

**A. Water permit users shall limit irrigation, including the irrigation of landscaped areas and turf to every other day during the designated watering hours before 8:00 AM and after 8:00 PM.**

**B. The following use of water defined as non-essential shall be prohibited:**

1. Washing down any sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, tennis courts, or other hard-surfaced areas.
2. Washing down buildings or structures for purposes other than immediate fire protection.
3. Failure to repair a controllable leak(s) within a reasonable period after having been given notice directing the repair of such a leak.
4. Washing any motor vehicle, motorbike, boat, trailer or other vehicle other than a public safety vehicle on a premises other than a commercial car wash or service station and not in the immediate interest of public health, safety, and welfare.
5. Permittees with wells permitted to pump into surface impoundments shall discontinue pumping. This does not apply to those wells permitted for non-domestic irrigation.
6. The filling of swimming pools is prohibited, however, pool levels may be maintained because of evaporation.



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## U.S. Drought Monitor Texas

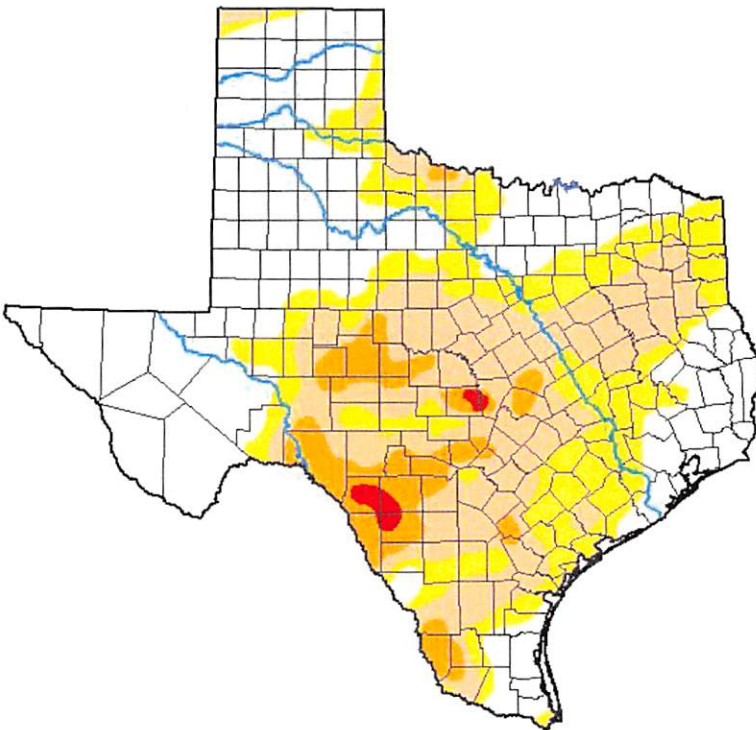
**December 3, 2019**

(Released Thursday, Dec. 5, 2019)

Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	44.14	22.32	25.12	7.75	0.67	0.00
Last Week 11-26-2019	45.51	22.12	22.38	9.46	0.53	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-03-2019	33.59	23.51	32.64	8.53	1.73	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2019	92.99	5.70	1.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-01-2019	31.74	22.21	23.72	16.02	6.32	0.00
One Year Ago 12-04-2018	96.13	3.07	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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