# PRESERVE OUR WATER

The City of Lampasas is considering submitting an application to TCEQ requesting a permit to apply waste water treatment sludge to fertilize coastal bermuda hay fields adjacent to, and within close proximity to Sulphur Creek and within Lampasas, Texas which could possibly impact the residents of Lampasas, Texas and the residents of Lampasas, County, Texas.

Despite being a Class B sludge, the potential negative environmental concerns and dangerous health effects are still threatening to the people, water and land of Lampasas, Texas.

# PROTTECT OUR CRISICK

We are asking the city council of Lampasas to reconsider the sewage sludge site locations, and for them to be moved away from Sulphur creek in an effort to protect the natural habitat of the water, surrounding land, wildlife, and neighbors that have the potential to be negatively effected by the sludge site.

Please help us to inform the residents of Lampasas, Texas, Kempner Water Supply Members, and the Lampasas City Council Members of all of the potential/possible risks involving the sewage sludge site plans.

#### **Environmental Concerns**

could include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Considering the close proximity of the sludge next to Sulphur Creek, in the event of high winds, large rainfall, or a high rise/flood of the creek, <u>the</u> <u>sludge has the potential to possibly blow into or run off into Sulphur Creek</u> <u>contaminating the water.</u>
- Contamination of the water could be extremely harmful for the fish, surrounding wildlife, plants, and livestock that live on and use Sulphur Creek as their main water source.
- <u>Lampasas' drinking water could possibly also be affected</u>. Sulphur Creek feeds into the Lampasas River which all ends up at the Stillhouse Water Reservoir. The reservoir is the water resource for the City of Lampasas and the Kempner Water Supply Corporation.
- Class B Sludge can possibly either directly or indirectly negatively effect any surrounding life, including humans, plants, fish, birds, and animals, through the air as well as water sources.

## **Health Concerns**

could include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Asthma Behavioral Abnormalities Cancer
  - Diseases Death Genetic Mutations
  - Physiological Malfunctions + More

## How to Help:

• <u>Monday March 23rd, 2015</u>, from our understanding, the City Council has scheduled a meeting in Lampasas to discuss more about the potential sludge site plans. In order to get our voice heard we need any and everybody who supports our cause to <u>come out</u> to <u>City Hall at 5:00pm</u> to join us in an effort to <u>Say No to The Sulphur Creek Sludge Plan</u>.

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