



## Record of Decisions

Balcones Canyonlands Conservation Plan  
Scientific Advisory Committee  
April 14, 2016, 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm  
One Texas Center - The Cavern, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor  
505 Barton Springs Road  
Austin, Texas 78704

### Present

Jean Krejca, Chair  
John Cornelius  
Sherri Kuhl, BCCP Secretary  
Nico Hauwert

### Absent

David Steed  
Sam Whitehead  
Craig Farquhar, Vice Chair  
Amie Treuer-Kuehn

1. **New Business**
  - a. Members' issues and concerns – none raised.
2. **Old Business**
  - a. **Approve Record of Decisions from regular meeting on 2/11/2016:** There was not a quorum at the meeting, so ROD was not approved.
  - b. **Update regarding reports to Coordinating Committee Member Pool regarding SH45SW:** Krejca reported to the SAC on the Coordinating Committee meeting and the presentation of the SAC report by Krejca and Farquhar.
  - c. **Update on State of the BCCP Report and BCCP Anniversary Celebration (Secretary):** Kuhl provided an update on the State of the BCCP Report and the BCCP 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration planned for May 6<sup>th</sup> at Reicher Ranch.
  - d. **Update on Karst Land Management Plan (Secretary):** Kuhl briefed the SAC on the fact that the Karst Land Management Plan was approved by the Coordinating Committee on March 18<sup>th</sup>.
  - e. **Subcommittee reports:**
    - i. **Karst:** Hauwert mentioned the City BCP staff does most of the karst work, but talked about a couple of areas where we partner with Watershed. He gave an update on the Flint Ridge Cave hydrogeological studies for SH45SW and the Blowing Sink restoration project. Nico also mentioned that he has a publication that will be published soon.
    - ii. **BCP Strategic Research Plan:** No report
3. **BCP Partner reports:**
  - a. Sherri Kuhl reviewed the written report for the City BCP.
  - b. Linda Laack reviewed the Travis County's BCP written report. Linda mentioned that the County has hired a Community Liaison – Johanna Arendt. She also

mentioned that the BCP staff and TPWD are working on a plan for future JPS research and surveys, and might want to bring it to the SAC for review.

- c. Jennifer Leeper reviewed LCRA's written BCP staff report.
4. Meeting was adjourned at 4:05.