EDWARDS AQUIFER PROTECTION PROGRAM
TxDOT builds roads, but did you know that it also works to keep our water clean?

Through the Edwards Aquifer Protection Program, TxDOT and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) care for an important central Texas water source.

Before beginning a project, TxDOT engineers check the site and determine how much sediment, debris, and pollutants construction will generate. They design a filtration system to prevent harmful contaminants from entering the aquifer and no work begins until these plans are approved by TCEQ. TxDOT maintains the filtration system to keep it running properly long after construction is finished.

Learn more at [TxDOT.gov](http://TxDOT.gov), keyword “Beyond the Road”.

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