

## RESOURCE

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## 2021 Watersaver Landscape Tour Draws Hundreds of Viewers



More than 350 people signed up or signed in to view the 2021 Watersaver Landscape Tour and get some great information about creating colorful landscapes using native plants and saving water. Famed horticulturist Calvin Finch kicked off the event with some opening remarks about the 21-year history of the tour and some insights on how homeowners can use the information for their own homes.

"The Trinity Glen Rose District (TGR) began cosponsoring the event a few years ago and we've really enjoyed working with not only the homeowners allowing us to showcase their landscapes, but also the people who really get excited about viewing them," said George Wissmann, TGR General Manager. "Some of the landscapes that are displayed have been in development for many years, so we always encourage people to take small steps in converting high water-use yards to ones that incorporate native, water-saving plants."

If you missed the broadcast, TGR has a way for you to view the video tours at each home and download a plant list for each residence. Just go to: <a href="https://www.TrinityGlenRose.com/events">www.TrinityGlenRose.com/events</a>.

## TGR Board to Restart In Person Meetings

TGR also moving the location of its board meetings to Helotes City Hall



The Trinity Glen Rose District will be holding its next board meeting on Thursday, July 8. However, there are a few changes to be made for this meeting. During the pandemic, the board was meeting online which was allowed by the State of Texas. Given the recent changes in restrictions on public meetings, the board has decided to resume its traditional in person meetings.

Also, in the past, the board held its meetings at Concordia Lutheran offices. Since the District has moved its offices to the City of Helotes, the board will now be utilizing the City of Helotes' City Hall chambers to hold its meetings in the future. If you would like more information, go to: www.TrinityGlenRose.com/tgr-business.

Though the board will be meeting in person, the public can attend virtually through Zoom. You can register here - <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwtf-GorTguHtw2syJqhbu6uUJ8BvjGde30">https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwtf-GorTguHtw2syJqhbu6uUJ8BvjGde30</a>.

## Camp Bullis Sentinel Landscape Designation Takes a Significant Step Forward

With Camp Bullis located in the heart of the Trinity Glen Rose District, TGR staff have been working with the Alamo Area Council of Governments to help the Army installation gain a Sentinel Landscape designation. Sentinel Landscapes are working or natural lands important to the nation's defense mission, but also places where preserving those landscapes strengthens the economies while conserving natural resources, such as the Trinity Aguifer.

Recently, the partnership was invited to submit a full proposal for the federal designation. That proposal will be due August 27 of this year. You can learn more about Sentinel Landscapes at:

