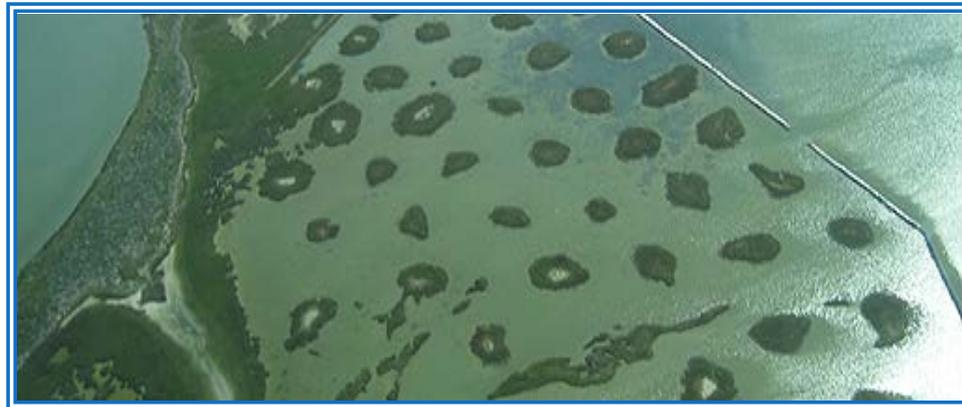


# Texas Surface Water Quality Standards Update



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# 2010 EPA Action

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- EPA Action Letters
  - June 29, 2011
  - August 24, 2012
- Action letters posted on TCEQ Website
- Highlighted 2010 rule indicates status of approval
- Chlorophyll *a* reservoir criteria still under review by EPA

# Upcoming Triennial Revision

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- Preliminary comments received (July, 2011)
- Advisory Workgroups (March, May, November 2012)
- Proposed (August, 2013)
- 45-day public comment period
- Public hearing (October, 2013)
- Comment period ended (October, 2013)
- Adoption Agenda (February, 2014)

# Current Work: Nutrients

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- Update Nutrient Criteria Development Plan Only
  - Last updated in 2006
- Workgroups
  - June 20, 2011
  - Nov. 7 2012
- Continued progress
  - Estuaries
  - Streams and Rivers



# The Plan: Milestones and Progress

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- Update completed milestones
- Statistical analysis results: Sept. 2013
- Consider additional criteria in 2017
- Stakeholder input is sought and always welcomed

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