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GBRA EXPLAINS PERMIT PROCESS FOR RETAINING WALLS AND BOAT DOCKS

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SEGUIN- Homeowners on the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority hydro lakes who experienced damage to retaining walls and boat docks may not need to obtain a new Hydroelectric Modification Permit from GBRA, according to manager of hydro operations Larry Moltz.

“As long as you are the original permit holder, you may restore waterfront structures to the pre-flood conditions approved in the permit,” said Moltz. “When the work is complete, we ask that you come by our office in Seguin and update your records.”

However, anyone who purchased a waterfront home with an existing boat dock or retaining wall must change the original GBRA permit to their name before repairs can be made.

Owners of unimproved waterfronts who want to build a boat dock or retaining wall following last week's flood event must also apply for a modification permit. The permit process includes completing an application, payment of a \$40 permit fee, and an on-site inspection of the property.

A letter and permit form are available at the GBRA General Office at 933 East Court Street in Seguin, or will be mailed on request by calling (830) 379-5822.