

Texas Board of Professional Geoscientist  
Agency 481  
Resource Efficiency Plan

- (1) The overall strategy for TBPG is to provide a safe and comfortable working environment for the staff while promoting the efficient use and conservation of energy and water resources.
- (2) A Utility Assessment Report (UAR) or a Preliminary Energy Audits (PEA) was not required for our state agency. The TBPG is not funded to conduct energy audits nor does the agency have access to the information that is required to conduct these audits.
- (3) TBPG already has energy saving measures in place. With continuous education and employee training, TBPG can continue to meet its established goals.
- (4) No additional funding is required at this time.
- (5) Through employee education and training, TBPG will continue to promote energy efficiency. Currently, TBPG encourages its employees to turn lights out when not in use. TBPG also uses office and electronic equipment with energy-saving mechanisms built-in. TBPG's copier, printers and all of the computers and monitors have automatic shut-offs that power down when not in use for extended periods of time.
- (6) The Texas Board of Professional Geoscientist has six employees, including one part-time employee and five full-time employees. The agency occupies 960 square feet on the fourth floor of the William P. Hobby Office Building in Tower One located at 333 Guadalupe Street in Austin, Texas.
- (7) TBPG resides in the William P. Hobby Building at this time and is not billed for electricity, gas, propane or water.
- (8) Not applicable. A UAR was not required for our agency.
- (9) TBPG will continue to promote energy saving measures.
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