



Toledo Bend Project Joint Operation



UPDATE OF ADVISORY #1 – June 8, 2017

NO GATE OPENINGS ANTICIPATED ON TOLEDO BEND RESERVOIR

Persons having interests in the Sabine River Basin below the reservoir are hereby advised that on Thursday, June 8, 2017 at 0945 hours, the reservoir elevation is 172.24 ft. MSL. Currently, both generators are operating 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

Based on the Wednesday, June 7, 2017 National Weather Service Forecast Center inflow information and the current powerhouse operations, the reservoir level is projected to gradually fall through June 13, 2017. **No gate openings are anticipated at this time.** Future rainfall with resultant inflows above the Toledo Bend Dam may necessitate the issuance of a new Advisory #1.

Releases through the spillway gates, depending on upstream and downstream conditions, will be made in accordance with the Guide for Spillway Gate Operation for Toledo Bend Reservoir dated March 1994, as Revised June 27, 2001.

Up-to-date reservoir elevations and releases may be obtained from the Toledo Bend Project offices on a 24 hour per day basis at 337/286-5253 or 409/565-2273.

Toledo Bend Reservoir is not a flood control reservoir and can experience significant rises in elevation in a short time span, as much as one to two feet in a 24 to 36 hour period.

Information on specific river gages can be obtained from the National Weather Service at the following web site.

<http://www.srh.noaa.gov/wgrfc>

Also, from the USGS at the following web site.

<http://tx.waterdata.usgs.gov>