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Dear GEAA members,

Yesterday, NPR ran a <u>fascinating interview with Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist Hendrick Smith</u>, detailing widespread pollution of America's waterways.

Tonight, his documentary "Navigating America's Poisoned Waters" will be aired on PBS Frontline.

If you are concerned about impacts to our water from emerging contaminants and non-point source pollution from suburban sprawl, please take a minute to contact the members of the <a href="House Natural Resources Committee">House Natural Resources Committee</a> and ask them to approve <a href="HB 595">HB 595</a>, which would address pollution of our groundwater by prohibiting discharge of treated sewage effluent into waterways that recharge the Edwards Aquifer.

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On May 8th the San Antonio River Authority is hosting a workshop entitled "Implementing Water Quality Strategies in Central Texas". This workshop will review strategies to protect San Antonio water resources, discuss current priorities, and share information about how each of us can make a difference.

Happy Earth Day!

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