



CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

CAST CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 8 – 10, 2012 CORPUS CHRISTI CONVENTION CENTER

Conceived in 1999, **TPWE** is a strategic alliance among the Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 (**EPA R6**), the *Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT)* and the *Texas Section American Water Works Association (TAWWA)*. Recognizing an opportunity to expand the breadth of our individual efforts, the three organizations joined to provide outreach and education to those outside of our respective membership.

TPWE focuses its' efforts on participation at the annual **Conference for the Advancement of Science Teaching (CAST)**. CAST is akin to our Texas Water, hosting an average attendance between **6,000-7,500** science educators, ranging in grade level K-12, from across the state. By hosting a booth in the exhibit hall, we are presented with an exceptional opportunity to promote the water industry, and our role as stewards, to a geographically diverse cross-section of our target audience.

CAST 2012 is right around the corner. We need your support to make CAST an amazing experience for all Texas science teachers, so help us **Get Our Geek On** in Corpus Christi by volunteering. Participants are required to work a **minimum** 2-hour shift and will receive a t-shirt. No experience necessary - just a passion for water and the ability to interact with people is all that's needed. Booth materials and talking points are provided.

You'll have the satisfaction of **informing** the teachers the true facts of water and what we do at the largest state science teaching convention in the country.

Volunteers are needed 11/8 – 10am- 5pm, 11/9 – 9am- 7pm, 11/10 – 8am-1pm

Volunteer today to Julie in the WEAT office at julie@weat.org.

