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Section 16.051 of the Texas Water Code directs the Texas Water Development Board to prepare, develop, formulate, and adopt a comprehensive State Water Plan that incorporates the regional water plans approved under Section 16.053. The State Water Plan shall provide for the orderly development, management, and conservation of water resources and preparation for and response to drought conditions, in order that sufficient water will be available at a reasonable cost to ensure public health, safety, and welfare; further economic development; and protect the agricultural and natural resources of the entire State.

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