

## PRESS RELEASE

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## **Agriculture Loans Now Available**

The Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District (PGCD) has received an agricultural conservation loan from the Texas Water Development Board in the amount of \$1,000,000 to help local producers purchase center pivot sprinklers, drip irrigation systems, soil moisture probes and other water-saving equipment. Applications are reviewed on a first come, first served basis. The current interest rate is 5.23% with an eight-year payback term. A loan checklist and application can be found at <a href="https://www.pgcd.us/water-conservation-loans">www.pgcd.us/water-conservation-loans</a>. For questions or more information, please contact Katie Hodges at the PGCD office at (806) 883-2501 or by email at <a href="https://www.pgcd.us">kh@pgcd.us</a>.