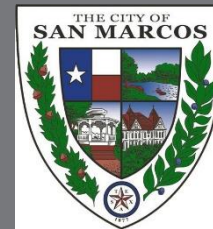




APPLIED RESEARCH 2016



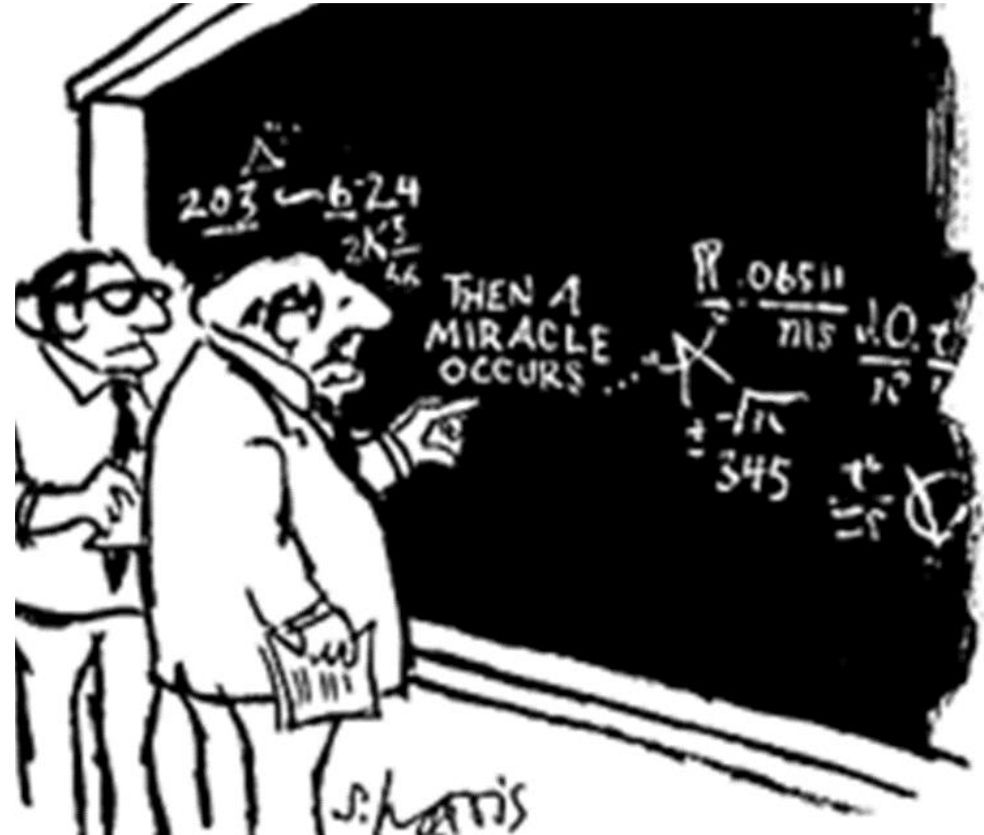
Goals of Applied Research

- Collect data for the Ecological Model
- Build knowledge on EAHCP Covered Species
- Provide data to support and inform adaptive management decisions.



Applied Research Study Process

- Goal is to better utilize the Science Committee's expertise
- Fundamental questions
- Prioritization studies
- Provide key elements for studies
- Provide input during RFP development
- Review proposed study methodology



"You might want to add a little more detail here."

Timeline

April

- 7th – Prioritize 2016 studies; request Key Elements
- 17th – Key Elements due, start developing RFP's
- 18th – 30th – Draft RFP's to Science Committee

May

- 6th – Draft RFP's to Science Committee

June

- EAHCP Staff reviews and finalizes RFP's

July

- 1st – Publish RFP's
- 31st – RFP's due back to EAA

August

- Science Committee reviews merits of scopes of work

September-October

- Contract preparation and EAA review

November

- EAA Board approves contracts

