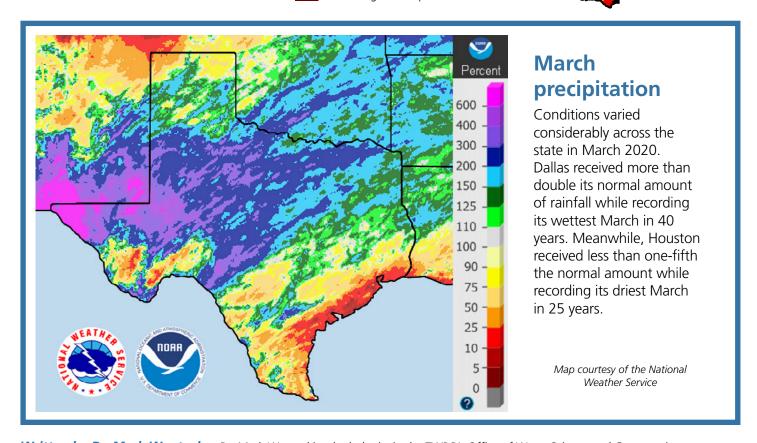
## Water Weekly For the week of 04/13/20 Water conditions Thanks to recent rains that pushed into South Texas, the latest drought map for conditions as of April 7 shows improvement. The area of the state impacted by severe or worse drought dropped five percentage points and now covers 10 percent of the state. Meanwhile, drought reappeared in the Panhandle. **Drought conditions** Intensity **♦** 19% now D0 abnormally dry ♦ 20% a week ago D1 drought - moderate **♦** 38% three months ago Map courtesy of ♦ 8% a year ago the U.S. Drought D2 drought - severe Monitor

D3 drought - extremeD4 drought - exceptional



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