



# TEXAS CONSERVATION ALLIANCE

*The State Affiliate of the National Wildlife Federation*

## MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

### Between Texas Conservation Alliance and Member Organizations

Texas Conservation Alliance (“the Alliance”) is comprised of individual members and member organizations dedicated to protecting Texas’ natural resources for the good of all Texans and future generations. It is understood that cooperation between the Alliance and its member organizations and cooperation between the member organizations are the keys to success in furthering the goals of the Alliance. To build the most effective alliance possible, it is understood that we will seek a broad coalition of organization members. To that end, we agree that ethical hunting has a role in wildlife conservation.

Designated actions:

A member organization may approach the Alliance with a request for help from the Alliance and from all member organizations on a particular environmental problem or decision point for which it would be helpful to have a vote or input from elected officials in other parts of the state. An action shall become a “designated” action of the Alliance upon agreement of the leaders of the Alliance and of the member organizations within the Alliance. Such an agreement may be reached by conference calls, face-to-face meetings, or an email vote.

If the action is acceptable to a Member Organization, the Member Organization agrees:

- To support each other’s issues by sharing information with their own members via email and other forms of communications as may be appropriate for each designated action
- To support each other’s issues by asking their own members to lobby relevant elected officials in support or opposition of a designated action

Texas Conservation Alliance agrees:

- To coordinate discussions between member groups regarding whether to select a particular action as a designated action of the Alliance
- To disseminate information pertinent for lobbying each other’s issues
- To ask its members to lobby on behalf of designated actions

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\_\_\_\_\_ agrees to become a member organization of Texas Conservation Alliance and to cooperate with the Alliance and other member organizations as outlined above.

Texas Conservation Alliance	Member Organization
_____ Signature of Officer	_____ Signature of Officer
_____ (Print Name)	_____ (Print Name)
_____ Title	_____ Title
_____ Date	_____ Date

**New Member Information**

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Primary Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Website Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(A link to your website will be placed on the Alliance website. A reciprocal gesture would be appreciated.)

Brief description of your organization for the Alliance website:

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\_\_\_\_\_ # of Members or # on Email List \_\_\_\_\_