



Lake Habitat Committee Charter

I. Purpose

The Lake Habitat Committee is established by the Board of Directors at Dobson Ranch to gain broader input from members regarding matters that pertain to the aquatic life on the Ranch including stocking of fish, fish habitats, and water quality of the eight lakes within Dobson Ranch. All committees serve in an advisory role. Final decisions are made by the Board of Directors.

II. Membership and Term of Office

Members will be reaffirmed by the Board of Directors on an annual basis following the annual meeting and election.

Membership shall be limited to Dobson Ranch residents in good standing who share an interest in maintaining the lakes, fishing, habitats or preserving the enjoyment of the lakes in Dobson Ranch. The Committee shall consist of at least three volunteers. The Board of Directors may adjust that number from time to time according to need. A Board member will be assigned to act as liaison to the committee but shall not serve as chair.

The Chairperson shall be elected by the Committee Members and subsequently approved by the Board of Directors. The Chairperson shall preside over the meetings, determine the agenda which may require input from DR Executive Director. Minutes must be recorded with attendance of members noted.

A member may be removed with or without cause by a majority vote of the Board. The Committee may recommend replacement of a member should the member miss three consecutive meetings or is unable to fulfill the commitment.

III. Scope of Work

The Committee is authorized to provide research, planning or study projects of the various items that affect the lakes within Dobson Ranch. The Committee will review and make recommendations on the following items:

- Advise on the stocking of lake fish including when, what type, size and how many.
- Gather information from qualified vendors on habitat recommendations.
- Work with The Water Management Committee (as needed) to improve water quality for preservation of aquatic life.
- Review and make recommendations for service needs for the lake systems.
- Assist in determination of invasive species and provide recommendations and/or solutions.
- Provide recommendations for budget improvements that may benefit the lake habitat and enjoyment of the lakes for residents.
- Any other issues within this scope as assigned to the Committee by the Board of



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- The Committee is to communicate the results of efforts to the Board of Directors for consideration recommendations and analysis.

The Committee does not have the authority to give directions and/or instructions to contractors, management or employees. The Committee will not communicate or represent the Association's business, political interests or positions to other persons outside the Association.

IV. Meeting Schedules

All Meetings will be open to the Dobson Ranch Members. Meetings will be held as necessary to fulfill the requirements of the functions and assignments of the Committee, preferably monthly, with a minimum 48-hour notice to all Committee members, if not on a regular schedule. A regular report of activities and/or meeting minutes will be submitted to the DR Executive Director for distribution to the Board of Directors.

The Lake Habitat Committee Charter of the Dobson Ranch Association was adopted and approved by the Board of Directors on this 18 day of June, 2020.

President of the Dobson Ranch Board of Directors