

TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ORDER NO. 016-001

In accordance with Parks and Wildlife Code §46.002(a)(5), the Executive Director of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) hereby ORDERS the sponsorship of the “Free Fishing in State Parks and Wildlife Management Areas,” an ongoing event to encourage participation in angling on state parks and wildlife management areas owned or leased by TPWD.

As part of the “Free Fishing in State Parks and Wildlife Management Areas” event, a person is exempt from the requirements of Parks and Wildlife Code, §46.001, if the person has lawfully entered land owned or leased by TPWD as a wildlife management area or state park and is on such land or a body of water completely enclosed by such land.

This Order is issued pursuant to §46.002(a)(5) of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Code, is effective immediately, and shall continue in effect until August 31, 2016.

Signed this the 14th day of January 2016.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carter Smith". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping initial "C".

Carter Smith
Executive Director
Texas Parks and Wildlife Department