Clear Clean Colorado River Association 123 W. Travis Street La Grange, Texas 78945

## Local Chapter Guidelines

General:

The Association desires to attract as many members as possible, consistent with proper decorum and the principles and purposes of the Association. With this in mind it is in the best interests of the Association that only persons who would be likely to discredit or cause the Association to lose esteem in the community, be denied membership. Under no circumstances will local chapters discriminate against persons by virtue of race, color, creed, nationality, sex or age.

Local Chapter Affairs:

- 1. Members will have the right to vote and participate in the local chapter to the extent that desire. each member in the chapter shall have one vote.
- 2. Members will recieve at least 24 hours advance notice of local chapter meetings prior to the meeting, notice will be considered sufficient if the chapter has regularly scheduled meetings and the meeting is a regular scheduled meeting. In the event of a Special Meeting notice will be sufficient if published in a local newspaper, Or all members are called by telephone or recieve notice through U. S. Mail.
- 3. Local Chapters should elect officers sufficient to administer to the needs of the local chapter but at least a President, and a Secretary/Treasurer.
- 4. Local Chapters shall be required to institute a bank account with dual signature required, both the President and the Treasurer shall sign all checks. A copy of financial records shall be forwarded to to the Association on a quarterly basis.
- 5. The Association is not responsible in any way for the actions of its local chapters.
- 6. It is assumed that to the extent possible there be an absence of rules and guidelines other than those necessary to coordinate an ever growing Association, and subject to all rules, statutes, laws, and regulations of the State of Texas.

Membership

- 1. There are three classes of members in the Association:
- a. General Members open to all persons who agree to abide by the by-laws of this Association and pay their annual dues of \_\_\_\_\_. of which \_\_\_\_\_ amount will be forwarded to the Association.
- b. Sustaining Members open to those persons who live or work on or along the Colorado River or enjoy a more direct benefit from the river. Annual dues for Sustaining Members are \_\_\_\_\_, of which \_\_\_\_ amount shall be forwarded to the Association.
- c. Affiliate Members are organizations that wish to affiliate their membership with the principles and purposes of the Association. Annual dues for Affiliate Members are .