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FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE Texas Mid-Coast NWR Complex 2547 County Road 316 Brazoria, TX 77422

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Recreational Grants, Coordinator

January 13, 2015

Dear Sirs

I am writing to convey our support for the grant application you have received from the Friends of Brazoria Wildlife Refuges. The application, titled "Bobcat Woods Trail Extension" is a replacement of the existing boardwalk and an expansion and upgrade of the trail. The trail development is consistent with the Texas Mid-coast NWR Comprehensive Conservation Plan (2013), which includes a Compatibility Determination for wildlife observation and photography on public use trails. The Bobcat Woods is within the primary public use area at San Bernard NWR. The expansion of the trail will connect the Wolfweed levee trail to the Bobcat Woods trail at the north end by crossing Cocklebur Slough and forming a loop instead of an up and back trail.

If you need any further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Sanchez, Project Leader, Texas Mid-Coast NWR Complex