Christmas Mountains – Texas State University System
Research and Educational Use Request Form

Name:________________________________________________ Date:_____________

Institution:________________________________________________________________

Title:_____________________________________________________________________

Address:_________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

Email: ___________________________________ Phone:________________________

Proposed Use Dates:_______________________________________________________

Purpose of Request (e.g. research, education, student involvement, etc.):
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

Please complete this request form, sign the acknowledgement of restrictions, and send to
Dr. John Hayek, Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, Texas State University System,
at john.hayek@tsus.edu, for approval.

The Christmas Mountains Access Permit Application should also be completed and
submitted, upon arrival, to the Property Owners Association of Terlingua Ranch, Inc.
(POATRI) located at 16000 Terlingua Ranch Road, Terlingua, TX  79852. Phone: 432-
371-3146. (www.poatri.org)
Christmas Mountains – Texas State University System
Acknowledgement and Acceptance of Use Restrictions

In addition to the rules and regulations outlined in the Christmas Mountains Access Permit Application, the following restrictions apply:

1) No agriculture, commercial, or industrial activity
2) No application of pesticides, insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides, and herbicides
3) No farming, tilling, or grazing of domestic livestock
4) No dumping or storing of any kind
5) No dune buggies, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, or other motorized recreation vehicles, and no off-road use of automobiles, trucks, vans, or other motor vehicles, except as necessary for inspection, maintenance, fire protection, or emergency purposes
6) No telephone, telegraph, cable television, electric, gas, water, sewer, or other utility lines, in addition to television dishes, radar and/or radio antenna, and other communication equipment
7) No subdivisions
8) No dwellings or signage
9) No non-native, exotic plant or animal species
10) No lighting or external artificial illumination
11) No new permanent roads
12) No dredging, construction of ponds, groins or dikes, or alteration of natural water courses
13) Hunting of game species may be allowed so long as hunting is to be conducted in accordance with State and Federal laws and in a manner that will maintain a sustainable population of healthy native species
14) Minerals conveyed shall not be mined and no filling, excavating, dredging, or drilling
15) Grantor reserves the right to enter property and monitor compliance with covenants and restrictions
16) No obligation to transfer and convey title without prior written consent of Grantor, to any party other than the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department of the National Park Service for use as and inclusion in a nature park, wildlife refuge, recreational area, or similarly designated use area
17) Grantee may from time to time submit management and use plans to Grantor for review and approval, which shall address, without limitation, the following issues: exploration, development and production of minerals, property use by Grantor, creation and maintenance of trains and roads for safety and emergency access purposes, and use for scientific and educational purposes

The undersigned acknowledges and agrees that his or her use of Christmas Mountains is subject to the above restrictions and those outlined in the Christmas Mountains Access Permit Application and that failure to abide strictly to such restrictions may result in withdrawal of permission to access and use Christmas Mountains.

Name: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

Signature: _______________________________________________________________________________________

O. HENRY HALL
601 Colorado Street • Austin, TX 78701-2904 • (512) 463-1808 • tsus.edu