GULF COAST
COOPERATIVE ECOSYSTEM STUDIES UNIT

AMENDMENT THREE to
COOPERATIVE and JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT

between

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
  Bureau of Indian Affairs
  Bureau of Land Management
  Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
  U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
  U.S. Geological Survey
  National Park Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
  U.S. Forest Service
  Natural Resources Conservation Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
  National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
  Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for
    Energy, Installations, and Environment
  U.S. Army Corps of Engineers–Civil Works
  Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

and

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (HOST)
  Texas A&M AgriLife Research – Texas A&M Natural Resources Institute (lead)
    Texas A&M AgriLife Extension
  Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station
  Texas A&M University–College Station
  Texas A&M University–Corpus Christi
  Texas A&M University at Galveston
  Texas A&M University–Kingsville
  Texas A&M University–San Antonio
  Tarleton State University
Alcorn State University
Arkansas State University
Auburn University
Columbus State University
Eckerd College
Florida State University
Houston Advanced Research Center
Jackson State University
Lamar University
Louisiana State University
Louisiana State University Agricultural Center
Mississippi State University
New College of Florida
Nicholls State University
Saint Edward’s University
Sam Houston State University
Southern University and A&M College
Stephen F. Austin State University
Sul Ross State University
Troy University
Tulane University
University of Alabama
University of Arkansas at Monticello
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff
University of Arkansas, Division of Agriculture
University of Florida
University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc.
University of Louisiana at Lafayette
University of Louisiana at Monroe
University of Mississippi
University of New Orleans
University of South Alabama
University of South Florida
University of Southern Mississippi
University of Texas at Austin
University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
University of Texas at Tyler
The University of West Alabama
University of West Florida
Valdosta State University
Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission
Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
Mississippi Department of Archives and History
Bat Conservation International
Dauphin Island Sea Lab
Ducks Unlimited, Inc.
Gulf Coast Bird Observatory
The Longleaf Alliance
Quest Foundation [dissolved]
The Nature Conservancy–Texas
Three Rivers Resource Conservation and Development Council, Inc.
White Buffalo, Inc.
Wildlands Conservation, Inc.
Pontchartrain Conservancy
The Rattlesnake Conservancy
Arkansas Game and Fish Commission

Adding:
American Bird Conservancy

With the exception of the changes below, all terms and conditions of the Gulf Coast CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement apply to this Amendment, and this Amendment is hereby made part of the Agreement.

ARTICLE I. BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES

Q.3. The American Bird Conservancy is hereby included in the Gulf Coast CESU as a Partner Institution.

ARTICLE III. TERM OF AGREEMENT

A.1. The effective date of the Gulf Coast CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement is 02 August 2022.

A.2. The effective date of this Amendment to the Gulf Coast CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement shall be determined from the date of the last signature.

ARTICLE IV. KEY OFFICIALS

C.65. The representatives for the American Bird Conservancy are as follows:

Technical Representative(s):
Anne Mini
Lower Mississippi Valley Joint Venture Science Coordinator
American Bird Conservancy
PO Box 14026
Jackson, MS 39236
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES

Per Article III.C., the following authorizing signatures are attached:

N. Texas A&M AgriLife Research, on behalf of TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (HOST)

AAAA. American Bird Conservancy
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

N. Texas A&M AgriLife Research, on behalf of TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (HOST)

Debra A. Cummings
Assistant Director, Agency and CFO
Texas A&M AgriLife Research

November 16, 2023 | 2:59 PM CST

Date
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

AAAA. American Bird Conservancy

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Richard Callaghan

Richard Callaghan
Chief Financial Officer

11/27/2023

Date