

**Application for Membership to Kansas Watershed Restoration and Protection
Strategy (WRAPS) Partnership
and
Terms of WRAPS Partnership Agreement**

Name of Organization
(Hereinafter referred to as WRAPS Partner)

Section I: Purpose of Kansas WRAPS Partnership

Encouraging partnerships of any organization interested in Kansas water quality to further the goals and objectives of the WRAPS Program.

Section II: General Duties and Responsibilities of the WRAPS Partner

- 1.) Accept and adhere to the Statement of Principles set out as Section II.
- 2.) At the request of the WRAPS Work Group, provide comments on proposed watershed restoration and protection projects and draft work products of the WRAPS Work Group.
- 3.) At the request of the WRAPS Work Group provide ideas and strategies that help promote the goals of the WRAPS Program.
- 4.) Upon invitation of the WRAPS Work Group, participate on ad hoc study teams established by the WRAPS Work Group.
- 5.) Assure that the WRAPS Partner's members, clients and constituents:
 - a. Are aware of the Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy Program and Projects,
 - b. Are encouraged to participate as stakeholders on individual WRAPS Stakeholder Leadership Teams, and
 - c. Are encouraged to suggest agenda items to the Watershed Management Section Chief concerning watershed management issues and recommendations to be reviewed by the WRAPS Work Group.
- 6.) Encourage peer organizations to apply for membership in the Kansas WRAPS Partnership.
- 7.) To insure that all WRAPS Partnership information located on the www.kswraps.org is current and up-to-date.
- 8.) Encourage attendance at WRAPS Work Group meeting.*

*Attendance does not constitute active participation in WRAP Work Group discussions. The WRAPS Work Group may call upon the advice of WRAPS partners during meetings.

Section III: General Duties and Responsibilities of the WRAPS Work Group

- 1.) Review all WRAPS Partner applications within 12 weeks of submittal. Upon approval or denial of each application, KDHE Watershed Management Section, on behalf of the WRAPS Work Group, will notify each applicant in writing.
- 2.) KDHE Watershed Management Section will make all approved WRAPS Partners aware of the WRAPS Work Group meeting announcements, agendas and meeting minutes.
- 3.) KDHE Watershed Management Section will grant access to approved WRAPS Partners to the KS WRAPS website, Partners page.
- 4.) As necessary, KDHE Watershed Management Section will notify WRAPS Partners of pertinent WRAPS information.
- 5.) All WRAPS Work Group meeting dates, agenda items and approved meeting minutes will be posted on the KSWRAPS.org website for review.

Section IV: Signatures

Accepts and agrees to the terms of this agreement. The terms of this agreement shall stand until such time as:

- 1.) The KDHE Watershed Management Section reserves the right to cancel any and all partnership agreements.
- 2.) The WRAPS Work Group reserves the right to cancel any and all agreements.

Name of Organization

WRAPS Partner Signature, Date

WRAPS Work Group Member, Date

Watershed Management Section,
Section Chief, Date

WRAPS Work Group Member, Date

