



VIDOR POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIMINAL TRESPASS AFFIDAVIT PROGRAM

Dear Property Owner / Manager:

The Criminal Trespass Affidavit Program allows property owners or those responsible for the property and the Vidor Police Department to work together to reduce criminal activity on private property. The Vidor Police Department is authorized by the owners / managers to remove or arrest persons found on the property when they are not authorized to be there. An individual arrested for trespassing will be charged with a violation of the Texas Penal Code Sec. 30.05, Criminal Trespass or Vidor Municipal Code, Chapter 46, Criminal Trespass. The property owner / manager will be the person formally filing the criminal complaint against the violator(s).

To initiate the program, you, as the property owner or property owner's agent, must complete these steps:

Step 1: Complete the document entitled: "Criminal Trespass Affidavit Program Participation Form".

Step 2: Complete the document entitled "Criminal Trespass Affidavit".

Step 3: Complete the document entitled "Authorization List".

Step 4: Return the signed forms to:

Vidor Police Department

Captain Rodney Johnson

695 East Railroad

Vidor, TX 77662

Step 5: Post appropriate "No Trespassing" or "No Trespassing between Designated Times", signs in prominent locations around your property. Wording Samples (pdfs) "Private Property" "Customers Only"

By participating in this program, Vidor Police Officers will check your property during the normal course of patrolling or while answering a call for police service at the location. Please understand that this does not mean that an officer will be available to check your property on a regular basis. Rather, officers will check the property as time and resources allow.

At least once a year or as personnel changes occur, you will be required to provide the Vidor Police Department with an updated Authorization List and contact information. You will be responsible for immediately notifying the Vidor Police Department any time the list,

ownership or management changes. If you determine a Criminal Trespass Warning was given in error, you must contact the person below immediately:

*Captain Rodney Johnson
695 East Railroad
Vidor, TX 77662
Business Phone (409) 769-4561
RJohnson@CityofVidor.com
Fax (409) 769-8265*

The Vidor Police Department is not responsible for civil litigation that results out of this agreement based on incorrect or incomplete information provided by you or as a result of an arrest. The Vidor Police Department will not make any decisions regarding the use or disposition of your property.



VIDOR POLICE DEPARTMENT
CRIMINAL TRESPASS AFFIDAVIT
PROGRAM PARTICIPATION FORM

This permission is given voluntarily and is hereby effective from the date that this document is received and accepted by the Vidor Police Department, until revoked in writing to the ***Vidor Police Department, 695 East Railroad, Vidor, TX 77662***. I understand that this document is a government public record. I understand that the City of Vidor, the Vidor Police Department, its' officers or employees are not responsible, criminally or civilly, for acting on your behalf based on this agreement. By signing and authorizing this agreement you agree to hold the City of Vidor, the Vidor Police Department, its' officers or employees harmless for the good faith execution of this document. I agree to notify the contact person immediately if I discover a Criminal Trespass Warning was given in error. I agree to provide the Vidor Police Department a letter updating my Authorization List and emergency contact telephone numbers at least annually or anytime the names of authorized personnel change. I will be responsible to immediately notify the Vidor Police Department in writing at the ***Vidor Police Department, 695 East Railroad, Vidor, TX 77662***, any time the Authorization List, ownership or management changes. I understand that the Vidor Police Department may terminate this program and agreement at any time without notice or reason given.

Full Printed Name

Title

Date

Address

24 HR phone number (no 800 numbers)

Signature

Driver's License Number

State

Relationship to property / business (owner, manager, etc.) Sworn
and subscribed before me

This _____ day of _____, 20____

NOTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: _____



VIDOR POLICE DEPARTMENT

Criminal Trespass Affidavit

My full legal name is _____ . I am the
_____ of the private property located at
(Title)
_____, Vidor, Texas. The private property is
(Physical Address)

within the City of Vidor's city limits. I have care, custody, and control of the above referenced private property. I am authorized to act on behalf of said private property.

I hereby request and authorize the Vidor Police Department to enter the property at said location and, in my absence, to enforce the criminal trespass statute, Section 30.05 of the Texas Penal Code, against any person who is not authorized to be on said property. Vidor Police Department Officers may act as "persons with apparent authority to act for the property owner" to notify any person who is not authorized to be on said property that his entry is forbidden and to leave the property immediately or face possible arrest pursuant to the criminal trespass statute. Appropriate "no trespassing" signs have been posted on the property at locations that are reasonably likely to come to the attention of intruders, in accordance with the criminal trespass statute. In addition, my designee or I will fully cooperate in the prosecution of anyone who is arrested for criminal trespass pursuant to this affidavit program.

Full Printed Name Title Date

Address 24 hr. phone number (no 800 numbers)

Signature Driver's License Number State

Relationship to property / business (owner, manager, etc.)

Sworn and subscribed before me

This _____ day of _____, 20____

NOTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: _____



Vidor Police Department

Criminal Trespass Affidavit Authorization List

Property / Business Name: _____

Property / Business Address: _____

The following individuals are authorized to be on the above listed property at the specified time or day:

1. ☐ All homeowners/residents and accompanied guests.
2. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____
3. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____
4. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____
5. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____
6. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____
7. Name _____ Sex ____ DOB _____ Address _____
Time of day allowed on property: _____

(Attached additional list if needed)

Printed Name Date

Date

Signature

Driver's License Number

Note: This Authorization List expires one year from date signed or anytime a change is made and a new list is on file with the Vidor Police Department.

Private Property

No Trespassing (All Hours)

Violators will be Prosecuted
Section 30.05 Texas Penal Code

Chapter 46, Article VI.
Vidor Code of Ordinances

No Trespassing

**RESIDENTS and
ACCOMPANIED
GUESTS ONLY**

**ALL OTHERS WILL BE
PROSECUTED**

Violators will be Prosecuted
Section 30.05 Texas Penal Code

Chapter 46, Article VI.
Vidor Code of Ordinances

Private Property

No Trespassing After Business Hours

Violators will be Prosecuted
Section 30.05 Texas Penal Code

Chapter 46, Article VI.
Vidor Code of Ordinances

No Trespassing

Between 10 PM- 6 AM

Violators will be Prosecuted
Section 30.05 Texas Penal Code

Chapter 46, Article VI.
Vidor Code of Ordinances