

# Louisiana Landowners Association

*“Staunch defender of  
private property rights”*

*We are strong  
only if we are many.*

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*The Louisiana Landowners Association (LLA) represents hundreds of large and small landowners from across Louisiana. LLA membership includes a myriad of interests - from farmers, developers, timber producers, resource managers and bankers to ranchers and oil and gas producers all working together to ensure maximum productive use of the state's rich land resources.*

*LLA traces its beginnings to 1975, when the South Louisiana Landowners Association, Inc. was formed to give landowners representation before state and federal government tribunals. By 1977, the new organization had grown to state-wide prominence, prompting the deletion of the word "South" from the title. In 1979, it joined forces with the Land and Royalty Owners of Louisiana (LAROLA).*

**LLA Mission**

LLA provides increased political leverage and access by mobilizing the resources of big and small landowners who share an interest in protecting the rights of individuals to own, manage, develop, use and dispose of land without undue interference from government. LLA enhances the effectiveness of personal lobbying by channeling individual resources and concerns through a single, influential voice.

Many challenges await landowners such as public access, liability, wetland management, taxes, mineral leasing, timber valuation, scenic rivers, Atchafalaya Basin, expropriation, levee servitudes, and solid and hazardous wastes. We must be ready to meet these challenges.

**Benefits of L L A Membership**

LLA develops policy/positions through a number of committees that provide recommendations to the Board of Directors. Key committees include: Atchafalaya Basin, Coastal Restoration & Wetlands, Wildlife & Endangered Species, Governmental Affairs, and Title and Boundary. As a member of LLA, you are a part of an active grassroots network effectively promoting landowner interests. LLA lobbies and tracks hundreds of bills each year and works aggressively with agencies to develop consistent, fair and practical regulations. Specific benefits of membership include:

Amending the Statutes to provide landowner representation on a number of statewide boards & commissions including:

- Alligator Advisory Council
- Coastal Master Plan Framework Development Team
- Feral Hog Task Force
- Fur Advisory Council
- Governor's Advisory Commission on Coastal Protection, Restoration & Conservation
- Livestock Brand Commission
- Louisiana Prescribed Fire Council
- Oilfield Site Restoration Commission
- Oyster Lease Damage Evaluation Board
- Water Resources Commission

In recent Legislative sessions, LLA has

- Successfully defended private property rights to prohibit public access to surface water for recreational purposes
- Defeated attempts to allow a lessee to place a lien on the lessor's property
- Opposed changes to Act 312 which would have reduced landowner relief from contaminated oilfield sites
- Defeated attempts to allow local governing authorities the ability to use quick take for expropriation of property
- Will continue to oppose any proposed expansion of the Louisiana Coastal Zone Boundary

**Louisiana Landowners Association, Inc. Membership Application and Annual Dues Schedule**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Regular Membership: Number of acres owned/managed \_\_\_\_\_ X 15 cents per acre = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (minimum annual membership dues: \$100; maximum annual membership dues: \$7,400) Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Associate Membership: \$300 \_\_\_\_\_ Check Enclosed  
 (Non-Landowner Affiliate)

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