



**Texas League of Conservation Voters
&
Texas League of Conservation Voters Political Action Committee
Voter Guide**

**Election Day is on Tuesday, November 8, 2016.
Early voting is October 24 and ends November 4, 2016.**

The Texas League of Conservation Voters works to preserve and enhance the quality of life of Texans by making conservation a priority with Texas elected officials, political candidates, and voters. When we succeed, conservation issues and those that care about them benefit.

As you make your plan to go vote we want to remind you of the list of acceptable forms of photo id;

- Texas Driver License-issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS)
- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS
- Texas Personal Identification Card issued by DPS
- Texas License to carry a handgun issued by DPS
- United States Military Identification Card containing the person's photograph
- United States Citizenship Certificate containing the person's photograph
- United States Passport

With the exception of the US citizenship certificate, the identification must be current or have expired no more than 4 years before being presented for voter qualification at the polling place. For more information, go to <http://www.votetexas.gov/register-to-vote/need-id/>

About Our Scores

Our scorecard provides objective, factual information about conservation voting records. It's just one way the Texas League of Conservation Voters works to hold the Texas Legislature accountable. The TLCV Scorecard covers a range of votes and issues. Each vote scored represents a clear choice for our elected officials to uphold the conservation values that millions of Texans share. Scored bills are determined by TLCV staff and board members working in consultation with other environmental groups and stakeholders. Generally speaking, scored bills are those with statewide policy implications. Unless otherwise noted, all votes are the final vote cast by the House or Senate on a particular bill or amendment. The scorecard does not include some votes that passed with unanimous or near-unanimous consent, so as to highlight differences in legislators' voting records on important conservation issues that also would have an immediate impact on the state. In this year's scorecard, both the Texas Senate and Texas House were scored on 7 votes each, 6 of which are on the same bills. The eight bills scored in total are a representative sample of positive and negative legislation on a range of issues including water regulation, clean energy, clean air, good government, oil and gas regulation, and energy efficiency. Those bills were:

- HB 40 Fracking Regulation
- HB 158 Parks Funding
- HB 2571 Climate Planning
- HB 1794 Pollution Penalties
- SB 709 Contested Case Bill
- SB 931 Renewable Energy Repeal
- HB 1016 River Protection
- HB 942 Facility Safety

The entire 2015 legislative scorecard:

<http://www.tlcv.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2010/01/2015LegislativeScorecard.pdf>

Legislators in **Green** are TLCV Conservation Champions.

Texas House of Representatives

District 1

Gary VanDeaver (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 2

Dan Flynn (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 3

Cecil Bell (R-Incumbent): 57% D

District 4

Lance Gooden (R): No 2015 Legislative Record

District 5

Cole Hefner (R): No 2015 Legislative Record

District 6

Jay Dean (R): No 2015 Legislative Record

District 7

David Watts (R): No 2015 Legislative Record

District 8

Byron Cook (R-Incumbent): 50% D

District 9

Chris Paddie (R-Incumbent): 43% D

District 10

John Wray (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 11

Travis Clardy (R-Incumbent): 40% F

Stephen J. Wright (D): No Legislative Record

District 12

Kyle Kacal (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 13

Leighton Schubert (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Cecil R. Webster (D): No Legislative Record

District 14

John Raney (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 15

Mark Keough (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 16

Will Metcalf (R-Incumbent): 57% D

District 17

John Cyrier (R-Incumbent): 57% D

District 18

Ernest Bailes (R): No Legislative Record

District 19

James White (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 20

Terry Wilson (R): No Legislative Record

District 21

Dade Phelan (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 22

Joe Deshotel (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 23

Wayne Faircloth (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Lloyd Criss (D): No Legislative Record

District 24

Greg Bonnen (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 25

Dennis Bonnen (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 26

D.F. Rick Miller (R-Incumbent): 43% F

L. Sarah DeMerchant (D): No Legislative Record

District 27

Ron Reynolds (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Ken Bryant (R): No Legislative Record

District 28

John Zerwas (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 29

Ed Thompson (R-Incumbent): 50% D

John T Floyd (D): No Legislative Record

District 30

Geanie W. Morrison (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 31

Ryan Guillen (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 32

Todd Hunter (R-Incumbent): 50% D

District 33

Justin Holland (R): No Legislative Record

Karen Jacobs (D): No Legislative Record

District 34

Abel Herrero (D-Incumbent): 80% B

District 35

Oscar Longoria (D-Incumbent): 60% D

District 36

Sergio Muñoz, Jr. (D-Incumbent): 75% C+

District 37

Rene O. Oliveira (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 38

Eddie Lucio III (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 39

Armando "Mando" Martinez (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 40

Terry Canales (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Maricela "Mari" De Leon (R): No Legislative Record

District 41

Bobby Guerra (D-Incumbent): 71% C

Hilda Garza De Shazo (R): No Legislative Record

District 42

Richard Peña Raymond (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 43

J.M Lozano (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Marisa Yvette Garcia-Utley (D): No Legislative Record

District 44

John Kuempel (R-Incumbent): 50%

Robert M Bohmfalk (D): No Legislative Record

District 45

Jason A. Isaac (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 46

Dawanna Dukes (D-Incumbent): 16% F

Gabriel Nila (R): No Legislative Record

District 47

Paul Workman (R-Incumbent): 40% F

Ana Jordan (D): No Legislative Record

District 48

Donna Howard (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 49

Gina Hinojosa (D): No Legislative Record

District 50

Celia Israel (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Cesar Ruiz (R): No Legislative Record

District 51

Eddie Rodriguez (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 52

Larry Gonzales (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 53

Andrew S. Murr (R-Incumbent): 57% D

Stephanie Lochte Ertel (D): No Legislative Record

District 54

Scott Cospers (R): No Legislative Record

Sandra Blankenship (D): No Legislative Record

District 55

Hugh D. Shine (R): No Legislative Record

District 56

Charles "Doc" Anderson (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 57

Trent Ashby (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 58

DeWayne Burns (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 59

J.D. Sheffield (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 60

Mike Lang (R): No Legislative Record

District 61

Phil King (R-Incumbent): 33% F

District 62

Larry Phillips (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 63

Tan Parker (R-Incumbent): 57% D

Connor Flanagan (D): No Legislative Record

District 64

Lynn Stucky (R): No Legislative Record

District 65

Ron Simmons (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Alex Mendoza (D): No Legislative Record

District 66

Matt Shaheen (R-Incumbent): 29% F

Gnanse Nelson (D): No Legislative Record

District 67

Jeff Leach (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Scott Coleman (D): No Legislative Record

District 68

Drew Springer (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 69

James B. Frank (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 70

Scott Sanford (R-Incumbent): 50% D

John Bryant (D): No Legislative Record

District 71

Stan Lambert (R): No Legislative Record

Pierce LoPachin (D): No Legislative Record

District 72

Drew Darby (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 73

Kyle Biedermann (R): No Legislative Record

District 74

Poncho Nevárez (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 75

Mary González (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 76

César Blanco (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 77

Evelina "Lina" Ortega (D): No Legislative Record

District 78

Joe Moody (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Jeffrey Lane (R): No Legislative Record

District 79

Joe Pickett (D-Incumbent): 71% C

District 80

Tracy O. King (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 81

Brooks Landgraf (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 82

Tom Craddick (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 83

Dustin Burrows (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 84

John Frullo (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 85

Phil Stephenson (R-Incumbent): 43% F

John Davis (D): No Legislative Record

District 86

John Smithee (R-Incumbent): 50% D

District 87

Four Price (R-Incumbent): 80% B

District 88

Ken King (R-Incumbent): 60% D

District 89

Jodie Laubenberg (R-Incumbent): 50% D

Denise Hamilton (D): No Legislative Record

District 90

Ramon Romero Jr. (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 91

Stephanie Klick (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 92

Jonathan Stickland (R-Incumbent): 14% F

Kim K. Leach (D): No Legislative Record

District 93

Matt Krause (R-Incumbent): 29% F

Nancy Bean (D): No Legislative Record

District 94

Tony Tinderholt (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 95

Nicole Collier (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Albert G. McDaniel (R): No Legislative Record

District 96

Bill Zedler (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Sandra Lee (D): No Legislative Record

District 97

Craig Goldman (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Elizabeth Tarrant (D): No Legislative Record

District 98

Giovanni Capriglione (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Maricela Sanchez Chibli (D): No Legislative Record

District 99

Charlie Geren (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 100

Eric Johnson (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 101

Chris Turner (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Carlos "Charlie" Garza (R): No Legislative Record

District 102

Linda Koop (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Laura Irvin (D): No Legislative Record

District 103

Rafael Anchia (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 104

Roberto Alonzo (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 105

Rodney Anderson (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Terry Meza (D): No Legislative Record

District 106

Pat Fallon (R-Incumbent): 50% D

District 107

Kenneth Sheets (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Victoria Neave (D): No Legislative Record

District 108

Morgan Meyer (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 109

Helen Giddings (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

Dr. A. Denise Russell (R): No Legislative Record

District 110

Toni Rose (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 111

Yvonne Davis (D-Incumbent): 83% B

Chad O. Jackson (R): No Legislative Record

District 112

Angie Chen Button (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Jack Blackshear (D): No Legislative Record

District 113

Cindy Burkett (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Rhett Andrews Bowers (D): No Legislative Record

District 114

Jason Villalba (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Jim Burke (D): No Legislative Record

District 115

Matt Rinaldi (R-Incumbent): 0% F

Dorothea Ocker (D): No Legislative Record

District 116

Diana Arevalo (D): No Legislative Record

District 117

Rick Galindo (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Philip Cortez (D): In 2013 his legislative record was 79% C+. We encourage the voters in this district to send a Conservation Champion back to Austin.

District 118

John Lujan (R-Incumbent): No Legislative Record due to having been elected in 2016 after the session

Tomas Uresti (D): No Legislative Record

District 119

Roland Gutierrez (D-Incumbent): 66% D+

District 120

Barbara Gervin-Hawkins (D): No Legislative Record

District 121

Joe Straus (R-Incumbent): Speaker of the Texas House

District 122

Lyle Larson (R-Incumbent): 66% D+

District 123

Diego Bernal (D-Incumbent): 71% C

District 124

Ina Minjarez (D-Incumbent): 60% D*

(was not elected for the full session so missed some of the votes used for scoring)

District 125

Justin Rodriguez (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 126

Joy Dawson-Thomas (D): No Legislative Record

Kevin Roberts (R): No Legislative Record

District 127

Dan Huberty (R-Incumbent): 33% F

District 128

Briscoe Cain (R): No Legislative Record

District 129

Dennis Paul (R-Incumbent): 33% F

District 130

Tom Oliverson (R): No Legislative Record

District 131

Alma A. Allen (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 132

Mike Schofield (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 133

Jim Murphy (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 134

Sarah Davis (R-Incumbent): 50% D

Ben Rose (D): No Legislative Record

District 135

Gary Elkins (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Jesse Ybanez (D): No Legislative Record

District 136

Tony Dale (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Paul R. Gordon (D): No Legislative Record

District 137

Gene Wu (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

Kendall L. Baker (R): No Legislative Record

District 138

Dwayne Bohac (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 139

Jarvis Johnson (D): No Legislative Record

District 140

Armando Lucio Walle (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 141

Senfronia Thompson (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 142

Harold V. Dutton Jr. (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 143

Ana Hernandez (D-Incumbent): 83% B

District 144

Gilbert Peña (R-Incumbent): 43% F

Mary Ann Perez (D): In 2013 her legislative record was 93% A-. We encourage the voters in this district to send a Conservation Champion back to Austin.

District 145

Carol Alvarado (D-Incumbent): 57% D

District 147

Garnet Coleman (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

Matt Murphy (R): No Legislative Record

District 148

Jessica Farrar (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 149

Hubert Vo (D-Incumbent): 80% B

Bryan Chu (R): No Legislative Record

District 150

Michael Shawn Kelly (D): No Legislative Record

Valoree Swanson (R): No Legislative Record

Texas Senate

District 1

Bryan Hughes (R): No Legislative Record

District 4

Brandon Creighton (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 6

Sylvia Garcia (D-Incumbent): 100% A+

District 11

Larry Taylor (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 12

Jane Nelson (R-Incumbent): 57% D

District 13

Borris Miles (D): No Legislative Record

District 18

Lois W. Kolkhorst (R-Incumbent): 43% F

District 19

Carlos Uresti (D-Incumbent): 57% D

Peter P. Flores (R): No Legislative Record

District 20

Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa (D-Incumbent): 57% D

Velma A. Arellano (R): No Legislative Agenda

District 21

Judith Zaffirini (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 22

Brian Birdwell (R-Incumbent): 29% F

Michael Collins (D): No Legislative Record

District 24

Dawn Buckingham (R): No Legislative Record

Virginia "Jennie Lou" Leeder (D): No Legislative Record

District 26

José Menéndez (D-Incumbent): 86% B+

District 27

Eddie Lucio, Jr. (D-Incumbent): 43% F

District 28

Charles Perry (R-Incumbent): 29% F

District 29

José Rodríguez (D-Incumbent): 100% A+