



TENNESSEE WILDLIFE RESOURCES AGENCY

REGION III
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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to support the application submitted for a Reservoir Fisheries Habitat Partnership grant by the United States Army Corps of Engineers Cordell Hull Resource Management Office. The habitat work is taking place in a popular fishing area, the Defeated Creek Embayment of Cordell Hull Reservoir. The Defeated Creek Recreation Area is the focal area. The project will increase fish habitat and fishing opportunities. The project will be a partnership of the United States Army Corps of Engineers, the Tennessee BASS Nation and the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency. The BASS Nation will bring its area high school fishing teams to work side by side with resource managers. This project will result in significant habitat improvement in the Defeated Creek Embayment. It will also promote stewardship of our natural resources. We are looking forward to partnering on this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Thurman".

Mark Thurman

TWRA Region 3 Fisheries Program Manager

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