

A Management Bulletin on Eagle Ford Shale Habitat Restoration

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Restoration of native wildlife habitat impacted by Eagle Ford Shale (EFS) oil and gas and pipeline development is a concern in South Texas. Landowners, industry operators, and other constituents need information gained from our research to make decisions about restoration. We summarized 10 years of restoration and habitat management research conducted in the EFS by CKWRI personnel and our cooperators. The summary resulted in a management bulletin that was published in summer 2020.

- CKWRI Management Bulletin 9 includes 24 pages dealing with legal considerations, types of wildlife habitats, disturbance in the EFS, and restoration best practices based on our research.
- The document has color photographs of successful habitat restoration in the EFS, examples of the habitat types impacted, EFS disturbances, and exotic grasses of concern.
- Information on native plant seeding and lists of available seed sources and vendors are also provided.
- This publication is available in hard copy and posted in digital format on the CKWRI (<https://www.ckwri.tamuk.edu/publications>) and the *Texas Native Seeds Program* (<https://www.ckwri.tamuk.edu/research-programs/texas-native-seeds-programs-tns>) websites.

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