



2021 TEXAS GROUNDWATER SUMMIT

Hyatt Regency Hill Country • San Antonio, TX • August 31-September 2

SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

By and between
Post Oak Savannah GCD and
Innovation Event Management, LP
Dated:03/30/21

As a Video/Livestream Sponsor of the 2021 Texas Groundwater Summit, Innovation Event Management will provide Post Oak Savannah GCD with the following:

- Sponsor logo featured on posted Summit videos
- On-screen acknowledgement during General Sessions
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in e-blasts, program, website, and Summit app
- Quarter-page advertisement in program
- Two (2) Summit badges

In return for the above, Post Oak Savannah GCD will provide the following:

- \$2,500.00 Total Payment to be paid in full by 08/02/2021 (payable to Innovation Event Management).
- Logo(s) for inclusion in media and promotional materials for event ASAP
- Advertisement for Program by 08/02/2021

AGREEMENT: By signing this agreement, I hereby agree that I have read and understood this agreement and its Terms and Conditions and further agree to abide by all rules and regulations for exhibitors, which are incorporated by reference into this contract.

Accepted by:

Innovation Event Management

Post Oak Savannah GCD

*As agent for The Texas Alliance of
Groundwater Districts*

By: _____

By: _____

John-Morris Edwards/ President

Date: _____

Date: _____

Primary Billing Contact for Invoice/Receipt (if different than above)

Name: Gary Westbrook

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Phone: _____



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

GENERAL

The contract, properly executed by sponsor, shall upon written acceptance and notification of sponsorship assigned by Innovation Event Management constitute a valid and binding contract. Innovation Event Management, LP (hereafter referred to as "MANAGEMENT") acts as agent for the 2021 Texas Groundwater Summit (hereafter referred to as "Event"), hosted by the Texas Alliance of Groundwater Districts. MANAGEMENT reserves the exclusive and total right to control all aspects of the conduct of this Event, and specifically, it reserves the right to determine the eligibility of any sponsor for inclusion in Event Sponsorship. Requests for sponsorship may be refused or restricted due to space limitation or other reasons determined by MANAGEMENT. MANAGEMENT also reserves the right to render all interpretations and decisions, should questions arise, and to establish further regulations as may be deemed necessary to the general success and well-being of the Sponsorships and Event. MANAGEMENT's decisions and interpretations are final in all cases. MANAGEMENT will have sole control over all admissions of persons to the Event. The acceptance of this contract does not carry nor imply endorsement Sponsorship of the product or service by MANAGEMENT. MANAGEMENT reserves the right to restrict any exhibit or sponsorship because of noise, method of operation, or any behavior that is judged dangerous or objectionable; and to prohibit, or to evict, that which is considered to detract from the general character of the exhibit area and/or sponsorships as a whole. This general restriction includes persons, things, conduct, printed matter, or anything deemed objectionable by MANAGEMENT. In the administration of such restriction or eviction, MANAGEMENT is not liable for any refund or other sponsor expenses. MANAGEMENT expects all exhibits and exhibit staff to actively engage with the Event attendees during exhibit show hours. It is expected that all activity that takes away from interaction with the attendees will be avoided. Examples of such activity could include frequent cell phone calls and leaving your booth unattended. All points not covered are subject to the decision of MANAGEMENT. Failure to abide by the terms of this agreement will render the agreement null and void; in that event, all sums paid by Sponsor will be retained by Innovation Event Management as liquidated damages, which the parties stipulate would not be a penalty and would be reasonable due to the difficulty in determining actual damages.

RESTRICTIONS IN THE USE OF SPACE

All demonstrations, interviews, or other activities, such as the distribution of circulars and advertising matter of any description, must be confined to the space defined in the sponsorship's description. No sponsor is permitted to show goods other than those manufactured or dealt with in the regular course of business. No firm or organization not assigned exhibit space will be permitted to solicit business in any manner in conjunction with the event.

PAYMENT FOR SPONSORSHIP

MANAGEMENT reserves the right to cancel any sponsorship for which payment has not been received 30 days prior to Event. Checks must be made payable to Innovation Event Management. Visa, MasterCard and American Express will also be accepted. No exhibit space assignment or sponsorship benefit fulfillment will be completed prior to payment of sponsorship fees. Sponsors with a balance due will not be allowed on the exhibit floor or at sponsorship event until the balance is paid in full.

CANCELLATION/REFUND

Sponsorship cancellations must be submitted in writing. Cancellations are effective on the date written notification is received by MANAGEMENT. A fifty percent (50%) refund will be given for cancellations received 30 days prior to Event. Sponsors canceling within 30 days of Event, will be responsible for payment in full and may jeopardize the right to sponsor at future Events.

ASSIGNMENT OF SPONSORSHIP/EXHIBIT SPACE

Sponsorships will be awarded to eligible sponsors on a first-come, first-served basis based on availability on the date the executed contract and full payment are received by Innovation Event Management. MANAGEMENT reserves the right to assign sponsorships based on other equitable considerations, to alter the exhibit floor plan, to change location assignments or relocate the exhibit area at any time, as it may deem necessary. MANAGEMENT also reserves the right to reassign sponsorship selections, as it may deem necessary and equitable.

LIABILITIES

The sponsor, by signing this contract, agrees to hold harmless and indemnify MANAGEMENT, Innovation Event Management, LP., Texas Aggregates and Concrete Association, and their respective employees, representatives, agents, successors and assigns, for any and all damages to its property that sponsors may suffer during installation or removal of an exhibit or during the exhibition or sponsorship itself, including liabilities from robbery, fire, accident, or any other destructive cause and for all injuries to any persons resulting from its exhibiting and sponsoring at this Event. Sponsor will be held responsible for any damage done to the building by it, its employees, its agents or its independent contractors. No nails, tacks or screws may be driven into the floor, walls, or woodwork of the building. MANAGEMENT, Innovation Event Management, LP., their agents and employees will not be liable for failure to hold the Event as scheduled. Payments for sponsorship will be returned in the event of cancellation, except that any actual expenses incurred or committed in connection with the Event will be prorated and deducted if the Event is canceled because of fire, an act of God, public enemy, strike, epidemic, or any law or regulation of public authority which makes it impossible, impractical, or illegal to hold the Event. FIRE AND SAFETY HAZARDS If exhibiting, all exhibit decorations must be fire retardant. Open flames may not be used, nor may canopies be erected over exhibits. No combustible objects, including packing containers and/or wrapping paper, may be stored behind displays or near any electrical wiring. Sponsor agrees to take necessary measures to safeguard visitors from any hazard associated with its exhibit.