



Texas Rivers

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A Brief History of River Time in 2022

As we look ahead in 2022, we see a changed world. Our tribe has changed, our activities have changed. But the rivers endure.

Each of us is fortunate in that we have a hobby that puts us in out of harm's way. We all have had a long-time privilege of enjoying time on the river, on a stream, on a lake. We all know that time does not seem to exist by the water, it simply calms us, soothes us, bathes us and surrounds us. I don't know of anyone that isn't calmed by water.

What does 2022 bring? I am now surer than ever, that there are a lot of unknowns ahead. But with that, I also know that the things that matter will not fade away, be overcome by something mostly controllable, or be diminished in any way. Rivers flow not only through the land, but through our being. So what can we do in the year ahead for the long term viability of that which we so love?

Texas rivers face ongoing pressure from development. It is never going away. The level of intensity has increased. So must our efforts.

One of these efforts is timely communication. You will see (approximately on March 4) that the website has been totally revamped, courtesy of efforts of the Board of Directors authorizing funds for this work, and many members - led by Board Member Richard Grayson - that toiled for many months on the content and setup. TRPA was fortunate to have Art Thompson, with Logical Things, to do the technical stuff and suggestions on how to make it have impact, along with user friendliness. It is still a work in progress, but is mostly done. It is something to behold, and you should take a look (after March 4) TxRivers.org.

As we look ahead, we have several things we want to keep in focus. One thing that cannot be undone, is wastewater discharges into water courses, be they live rivers/streams, or dry washes leading into them. Other issues are river access. It is difficult on some rivers to gain access, either put-in or take-out.

TRPA is going to keep forging on for these items. For years, Tom shouldered a lot of responsibility for this, and was assisted by the Board. His legacy (and Paula's) will be built upon, strengthened, and continued. TRPA is working on tighter coalitions with other groups to make sure issues are identified, communicated, and acted upon.

We are not forgetting the joys of paddling either. Check out the new river information section on the website. Want to suggest a river, or submit a trip report? That is now available too.

As part of all of the above, we are asking you to keep your membership current. We are also asking for you to get your family and friends to help us in our efforts. The Board serves as total volunteers, but we have to pay outside consultants and legal fees in our permit fights. How else can you so easily support such a worthy cause?

Have a great start to 2022, and I hope to see you at the Clean-up on March 5th, or sometime on one of our wonderful rivers.

SYOTR

David Price, President

Hidalgo Falls News

Hidalgo Falls Work Weekend #3

March 12-13, 2022

We will build the last 2 picnic tables, clear & burn more bamboo and work on the river trail. Free camping & day use fees for workers. Gloves available and a few tools. Bring drinking water. Hot showers. Kayaking.

RSVP if you want lunch to your TRPA secretary, Patti Carothers at 713-828-7582

3rd Annual Membership Drive and Fundraiser at Hidalgo Falls TRPA campground

Saturday April 9, 2022

\$55 includes annual membership dues, day use fees, lunch, shuttle, outdoor movie or karaoke and tent camping. RVs only \$5.

\$30 if membership current.

RSVP to Patti Carothers at 713-828-7582

Come visit your campground - a little piece of paradise!

TRPA Financial Report 2021

General Fund:

Beginning Balance 1/1/2021		\$75,613.46
Contributions for 2021		22,196.27
Interest Earned		164.84
Subtotal general fund		97,974.57
Less general expenses:		
Legal expenses - wastewater	14,180.00	
Website Redesign (50%)	3,625.00	
Colorado River Clean Up	1,000.00	
Friends of the Brazos	500.00	
Donations for Hidalgo Falls	300.00	
San Marcos Clean Up	288.11	
Newsletter	154.00	
Office expenses	104.15	
Postage	55.85	
Total general expenses		20,207.11
Total general fund 12/31/2021		\$77,767.46

Earmarked Accounts Balances 12/31/21

Center Point Rockcrusher	3,990.58	
Can Ban and tuber issues	969.86	
Castroville wastewater permit	300.00	
River Road	200.13	
Center Point Lion's Park	100.00	
Total Earmarked funds		5,560.57

Memorial Funds Balances 12/31/21

Mike Ash	350	
Ed Lowe	1,100	
David Smith	700	
Sharpe McCollough	900	
Roy Neal Staton Jr.	625	
David Reichert	250	
Pat Isley	100	
Total Memorials		4,025

Total funds 12/31/21:

TRPA checking	60,814.71	
TRPA CD	20,861.64	
TPPA PayPal	5,504.43	
TRPA cash	172.25	
Total Money available		\$87,353.03



This photo was taken on July 14, 2008. That's Tom Goynes, wearing the TRPA shirt, and David Reichert immediately to the right (the big guy). Tom wishes he had recorded the names of the other gentlemen and his memory is failing him. We were in the valley, fighting the border wall. We were actually interviewed by Univision and the interview went all over Mexico (as Tom remembers). Gringos against the border wall. Very rare. And we might not have stopped the wall, but we think we helped slow it down.

Texas Rivers lost a true friend last December 1, when David Reichert passed away. David served on the Board of the Texas River Recreation Association for a number of years in the 70's and 80's, and he served on the board of the TRPA since its inception in 1989 (for most of those years he served as or vice president. He not only served on the TRPA board, but he was a member (and Conservation Chair) of the Texas Chapter of Flyfishing International. He was a Master Naturalist, and an all around good guy. He leaves behind his wife Modrea and many many friends. We shall all miss him dearly.

We are planning to have two memorial services for David. On Saturday evening, March 5, during the post clean up meal after the San Marcos River Clean Up we will be showing photos of David and sharing stories (if you can e-mail me any such photos that would be appreciated).

Then on Sunday afternoon, after the annual meeting, starting at 1 pm, there will be a more formal service, including family and friends.

Modrea has asked that, in lieu of flowers, folks please make a contribution to the TRPA, and we have set up a special Reichert Memorial account.

Annual Meeting, Sunday, March 6

On Sunday, March 6 at 10 a.m. the Texas Rivers Protection Association will hold its annual meeting in the Cowboy Chapel at the San Marcos River Retreat. We will e-mail the Zoom link with our next newsletter, for those who want to attend virtually.

Election

Officers and board members of the TRPA serve two-year terms. Our By-Laws state: "Election of the officers and other members of the board shall be conducted by mail prior to the annual meeting in such a manner as the Board of Directors shall determine."

There is a ballot on the second to last page of this newsletter. It contains a list of nominees for officers and board members. There are also blank spaces to write in people for all offices and board positions. We will also be e-mailing a Google Forms ballot by February 15 to all paid members so they have the possibility to vote electronically.

Immediately prior to the annual meeting on Sunday morning, March 6, 2022, at 10 a.m. at the San Marcos River Retreat, members present will discuss any changes (like board members who have decided to retire) since the ballot was sent out. Members present will fill in their ballots and these ballots will be counted along with those ballots that have been received by mail or by Google. A committee selected from persons present at that time will count the ballots. Once the election is over, the annual meeting will begin.

If you intend to be present at the meeting on Sunday, March 6, please bring your ballot with you. If you cannot attend, but wish to vote in this election, make sure your dues are current (paid within the last year) and either vote using Google forms or print out the attached ballot, fill it in and either mail or e-mail it. Make sure that your dues are paid, and that the backside of the page either has your mailing label affixed or the application filled out. Your vote will be private, but we need to verify that everyone voting is a paid member, so we will look at the labels first (and/or check the e-mail return address), then all the ballots will be turned over and the votes privately counted.

To get to the San Marcos River Retreat: coming from Interstate 35 in San Marcos, get on Highway 80 and head toward Luling for 1.8 miles. Take a right on Old Bastrop (aka CR101, aka CR266 – it's the new traffic light right after the overpass). Take an immediate left onto county road 102. Go 1/2 mile on 102 and take a right on Pecan Park Dr. Keep going straight past Pecan Park Campground (on your left) and TG Canoes & Kayaks (on your right). The road will enter the San Marcos River Retreat. Go left to the chapel. For more info e-mail Tom Goynes at tomgoynes@mac.com or visit our website at sanmarcosriverretreat.com

The Great Texas River Clean Up

San Marcos River

37th Annual March 5, 2022

On Saturday, March 5, folks from all over Texas will be participating in the world's longest river clean up. We will be picking up trash along most of the San Marcos River (approximately 60 miles).

The City of San Marcos will hold their portion of the cleanup, walking the banks of the watershed and the sections of river within the city limits. Those who would like to participate in the upper San Marcos portion of the annual clean up should visit: <https://www.sanmarcostx.gov/3308/River-Clean-Ups> and/or contact: AThomaides@sanmarcostx.gov

From San Marcos downstream (all the way to Luling - if we can) canoeists, kayakers and rafters will be cleaning the river and the banks.

The information from this point on refers to folks cleaning this downstream portion of the clean up.

WHITEWATER PADDLERS

There are some sections of river that require whitewater skills. For those sections, only persons capable of handling a canoe full of trash in whitewater should volunteer. This is primarily for section 2, 7 and 8.

CANOE RACING ENTHUSIASTS Some sections of river, like Staples to Fentress and Stairtown to Luling have long stretches with few bridge crossings and for that reason, we are asking canoe racers (especially teams that have competed in the Texas Water Safari) to volunteer for those sections: sections 5, 7, 8 and 10.

FREE CAMPING

Everyone participating in this event is invited to camp free at either Shady Grove Campground/ Spencer Canoes (they are offering one free night of camping for volunteers) or at the [San Marcos River Retreat](#) Reservations required. For Shady

Grove call: 512-357-6113. For the San Marcos River Retreat e-mail tomgoynes@mac.com or call: 512-787-5574 (if you are not a member of the TRPA you may have to text me or leave a voicemail).

FREE BEER!

Every volunteer will receive a coupon for a free draft beer from Roughhouse Brewing in San Marcos! To qualify for a coupon, you need to register with one of our section leaders, by Thursday, March 3. Thanks to our sponsor, Roughhouse Brewing, 680 Oakwood Loop, San Marcos, Texas 78666
Tel: 512.667.7000 info@roughhousebrewing.com

FREE T-SHIRT!

Once again, to get a shirt, you have to register with a section leader (and give him or her your t-shirt size) by Thursday, March 3.

MEAL SATURDAY NIGHT, March 5!

Starting at 5 p.m. on Saturday evening there will be to-go BBQ meals distributed to the clean up volunteers (who pre-register with a section leader by March 3) at the chapel at the San Marcos River Retreat. Because of covid, there will be limited indoor dining, but folks are welcome to social distance and grab a picnic table near the chapel or in the campground.

MEETING TIMES AND SHUTTLES

Everyone is expected to contact the section leader for the stretch of river he or she intends to clean and reserve a spot on that team. Because of covid, we may have to limit the number of participants on any section. That leader will keep a list of volunteers and also make a note of folks who intend to receive a to-go plate of BBQ. The section leader will tell all the members in their group where they will meet on the morning of March 5. At that meeting, trash bags will be handed out and shuttles will be arranged.

PRE-REGISTRATION: IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT EVERYONE PARTICIPATING IN THIS EVENT PRE-REGISTER BY THURSDAY, MARCH 3 (ESPECIALLY IF YOU WANT A TO-GO MEAL, A COUPON FOR A FREE BEER, AND/OR A T-SHIRT). YOU MUST CONTACT A SECTION LEADER TO PRE-REGISTER. AND YOU SHOULD LET THE LEADER KNOW IF YOU CHANGE YOUR PLANS AND CAN'T PARTICIPATE

RIVER SECTION LISTINGS:

1. Thompson's Island to The San Marcos River Retreat (3.5 miles)

This is an all day clean up, volunteers should plan on being on the river until about 4 p.m. Volunteers are guaranteed to experience trash jams that resemble the trash compactor (complete with monster) from the original Star Wars movie. This section of river is not recommended for the faint of heart.

Section leader: [The Eyes of the San Marcos River](#)

2. San Marcos River Retreat to Sculls Crossing (4 miles).

This is a whitewater section of river. If you don't know what a draw is, don't choose this section.

Section leader: Grace Arianoutsos gracegreek@yahoo.com

3. Sculls Crossing to Spencer Canoes (2 mi.)

This section involves carrying your canoe around Martindale Dam. And a little bit of moving water from the dam to Spencer Canoes

This section has been adopted by the San Marcos River Ranch

katybrantley@gmail.com

4. Spencer Canoes to Staples - Hwy 1977 (5 miles)

This section is being cleaned by the Informal River Bureaucracy (aka Jeff Pine and friends) and they have enough volunteers

5. Staples to Fentress - Hwy 20 (9 miles)

Section Leader: to be announced

6. Fentress to Prairie Lea 1 (2miles)

Some fast moving water; some trees in the river.

Section Leader: Susan Eda susaneda@mac.com 713-203-2452

7. Prairie Lea 1 to Stairtown (5 miles)

Some fast moving water; some trees in the river.

Section Leader: [The Eyes of the San Marcos River](#)

8. Stairtown to Luling - Hwy 90 (6.5miles)

Some fast moving water; some trees in the river.

Section Leader: to be announced

9. Hwy 90 to Zedler Dam (6 mi.) A TPWD paddling trail

Some fast moving water; some trees in the river.

Section Leader: Greater Houston Kayakers, Paddlesports & Outdoors

Kenny Sharpless kenny.sharpless@hotmail.com (281)222-4659

10. Zedler Dam to Palmetto State Park (14.4 mi.)

Long hard stretch for people with the Water Safari on their mind (in other words, for crazy people).

Section Leader: to be announced

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to the San Marcos River Retreat

On google maps we show up as the “San Marcos River Scout Camp.”

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Bios for folks running for TRPA board

Grace Arianoutsos, (Dallas) joined the TRPA Board in 2020 as one of the representatives for the North Texas paddling community. She has many years of experience as a Program Manager, successfully leading teams and projects before leaving the corporate environment in 2020 to become a full time Outdoor Educator. She was active on our website reinvention initiative during her first term. "I enjoy sharing my passion for the outdoors by helping to support a safe enjoyment of our Texas waterways by teaching paddling techniques and leading paddle adventures. I look at every paddling outing as an opportunity to clean up the waterway. And have worked as a coordinator and participant at many cleanup events. I am looking to fill the role of Vice President for the 2022-2024 Board to help drive TRPA initiatives. I look forward to working with TRPA and continuing to serve the greater community to ensure safe and healthy waterways into the future."

Bob Brischetto (Lakehills) Robert Brischetto is a sociologist with a Ph.D. from the University of Texas at Austin (1975). He taught for 12 years at University of Texas at El Paso, Our Lady of the Lake University and Trinity University. He founded the annual Medina River Cleanup in 2001, modeled after the San Marcos River Cleanup.

Patti Carothers (Navasota) RN, ACA Kayak & SUP Instructor. Kayak Instructor Trainer, River/Touring. USCA Canoe Instructor. Former ACA board member, served as VP and secretary. Long-time interest in San Jacinto and Brazos River watersheds. Current secretary for TRPA. Representative for recreational water users on the Brazos River - Basin and Bay Area Stakeholder Committee (BBASC).

Nick Dornak (Wimberley) joined the TRPA Board in 2016. Nick is the Director of Watershed Services with The Meadows Center for Water and the Environment and serves as President of Friends of the Brazos River. His work includes watershed protection planning with an emphasis on green infrastructure and One Water policy and practice. Nick has also worked extensively in invasive species management, environmental permitting and agricultural best management practices. Nick lives on the banks of the Blanco River (safely outside the floodplain) in Wimberley, TX.

Susan Eda (Houston) has been paddling Texas Rivers since 1968 when she first took Red Cross Basic Canoeing lessons as an 11 year-old Girl Scout. She immediately fell in love with flowing waters and became a Canoeing and Kayaking Instructor as soon as she was old enough. She is a founding member

of the Spring Woods Girl Scout Canoe Group, which has since morphed into the Spring Woods Canoe Group, a nonprofit volunteer group of previously Red Cross and now American Canoe Association Instructors who provide low cost paddling instruction in canoeing, kayaking, and swift water rescue skills to youth groups such as the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts. She is an ACA River Canoeing Instructor Trainer and an Essentials of River Kayaking Instructor. She serves as a Merit Badge Counselor for the Canoeing, Kayaking, and Whitewater Merit Badges for the Scouts BSA program. She is a Section Leader for the San Marcos River and Medina River cleanups and participates in other cleanups as well. She has attended every one of the Medina River cleanups as a River Section Leader. She advocates for conservation and protection of both land and water and is a member of many environmental protection groups. Susan believes that people will value and protect only what they are familiar with, and that to save and preserve our rivers and our wilderness for future generations, we must introduce the current generation to the special places that Texas Rivers can take us.

John Erskine (Austin) is a die hard water nut and has been paddling and fly fishing on Texas Rivers for 35 years. As an Austin resident for the past 25 years he has been involved in local and state wide conservation issues, and has been a strong advocate of water rights, access, and conservation of Texas waterways. In addition to having a background in Environmental Education, John serves as Board President for the Colorado River Alliance and is a past Board President of Austin Youth River Watch.

Jessica Featherston (Navasota) I am originally from Austin, Texas and am very interested in environmental concerns regarding rivers in the state of Texas. I recently moved to Navasota last year and am a frequent kayaker and paddle boarder on the Brazos River. I support all that TRPA stands for and if elected plan to be an active board member. I come from more than a decade of concert touring all around the world in the production side of the music business and excited to plant my roots in Navasota as well as get involved in this fabulous community.

Richard Grayson (East Dallas) has been a member of TRPA for over 30 years. Served as president of Dallas Down River Club 1989-90. Serves as webmaster for TRPA and is treasurer for Friends of the Brazos River. He served on two Devils River Working Groups. He loves his Wenonah canoe on quiet water and fly fishes out of his SOT Jackson Coosa. Rich is a Texas Master Naturalist and leads the Dallas Stream Team group of volunteer water quality

monitors. For the past year, Rich has led TRPA efforts to modernize and improve efficiency for fundraising and membership.

Zach Halfin (San Marcos) co-founder of The Eyes of the San Marcos River, a non-profit dedicated to keeping the river clean and educating river users to do the same. Manager of Thigh High Gardens a local farm dedicated to sustainable gardening practices.

Jim Hatcher (Fort Stockton) Has served on the board of the TRPA for many years. Often represents our interest in the Big Bend area.

Dan Houlihan (Rocksprings) splits his time between Rocksprings, south and west of San Antonio, and Buda, outside of Austin. I am avid paddler and have been certified by ACA and USCA for canoe and kayak instruction. I have paddled many rivers in Texas, including the San Marcos, Devil's, Llano, Brazos and Trinity rivers. And the San Juan in Utah and the Animas in Colorado. On many of these bodies of water, as well as on numerous lakes in Texas and Arkansas, I have participated in cleanups to improve the surroundings of the water. I am very concerned about the health and environment of our rivers and lakes and have been a member of TRPA for one year. I would be honored to serve the TRPA and be an active steward of our natural environment, lakes, streams and rivers.

Alexander Neal (Somerville) joined the TRPA board in 2019. Alexander is a Program Specialist at the Texas Water Resources Institute where he focuses on watershed protection activities across the Lone Star State. He received a B.S. in Geography from Texas State University in 2018 with a minor in Nature & Heritage Tourism. Alexander is a wildland firefighter and was prior a Park Ranger for the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department, a glass-bottomed boat tour guide and a Texas Stream Team instructor. He is an advocate for Wilderness Areas and Wild & Scenic Rivers, and is deeply interested in keeping intact streams & wetlands undisturbed.

Stephen Posey (San Marcos) has been paddling Texas rivers since 2008. He received his BS in Civil Engineering from Texas A&M where he also received his self proclaimed bachelors in whitewater kayak and minor in whitewater canoe. He is primarily a kayaker, former raft and river guide, tandem open boater, and occasional SUPper. His study of whitewater led him to his lifelong paddle buddy and wife Carli. They have 2 sons and hopefully future Olympic paddlers Mason River (2) and Nolan Creek (4 mo). He is currently advocating for whitewater projects on the Comal and Guadalupe Rivers.

David Price, PE (Austin), is the current President of TRPA. His technical expertise as a Registered Professional Engineer in wastewater (design, permitting, construction and operation) has helped TRPA win several major victories in the past couple of years, leading to ZERO, or almost ZERO discharge permits being granted by TCEQ. David's expertise in zero-discharge, large scale systems, has led the way on these permit revisions. He also has expertise in point, and non-point pollution, with emphasis on stormwater, and Edwards Aquifer recharge issues. David has led the TRPA organization since 2019. He spearheaded efforts on the approval of funds to construct a new (almost done!!!) website for TRPA, and was proud to work with many of the Board that stepped up to make the new site happen. David is an active boater, since 1977, and has run rivers on record flood stages, down to lakes and rivers you had to walk (Pecos flutes, anyone?), from the Piney Woods to Big Bend (and New Mexico, Georgia, Tennessee, and North Carolina). He was a Senior Canoe Guide, and instructor for UT Recreational Sports. He has a multitude of canoes, kayaks, and paddleboards (not to mention a couple of sailboats). Through his efforts as President of the Texas River Recreation Association, he organized and spear-headed the first large scale river cleanup in Texas, in 1979, on the Lower Guadalupe River, in which over 25 tons of trash was picked up in a single day, from Canyon Dam, down to Gruene. This resulted in a feature story in Texas Parks and Wildlife magazine. He has participated in many cleanups since that time. While with TRRA, he worked as a lobbyist in the Legislature, on Container Deposit Legislation. David is proud to build on the history of TRPA, and looks forward to continued work on water quality issues on Texas Rivers.

Joe Rivers (Houston) is an architect who and received a Bachelor of Environmental Design from Texas A&M University. He grew up canoeing the San Marcos and Guadalupe with his father. These early experiences instilled in him deep respect for the rivers and their conservation. He was an ACA kayak and canoe instructor and taught paddling at the Nantahala Outdoor Center in North Carolina. He now shares his love of paddling with his two-year-old son, Wiley.

Duane TeGrotenhuis (San Marcos) has served as a TRPA board member from its very beginning. He assumed roles of vice president and treasurer. Along with Evelyn, his wife, he owns and operates T G Canoes and Kayaks with. TGCK has been serving the San Marcos River for 30 years and running.

Fred Zagst (Marble Falls) an avid canoeist, has served on the board of TRPA for many years.

2022 TRPA election

Instructions: Indicate your choices by checking (or writing in) up to (no more than) 4 officers and 11 Board of Directors (15 total) to serve on the board.

Officers:

President

David Price (Austin)

Write in: _____

Vice President

Grace Arianoutsos (Dallas)

Write in: _____

Secretary

Patti Carothers (Navasota)

Write in: _____

Treasurer

Duane TeGrotenhuis (San Marcos)

Write in: _____

Board of Directors:

Bob Brischetto (Lakehills)

Nick Dornak (Wimberley)

Susan Eda (Houston)

John Erskine (Austin)

Jessica Featherston (Navasota)

Rich Grayson (Dallas)

Zach Halfin (San Marcos)

Jim Hatcher (Fort Stockton)

Dan Houlihan (Rocksprings)

Alexander Neal (Somerville)

Stephen Posey (San Marcos)

Joe Rivers (Houston)

Fred Zagst (Marble Falls)

Write in: _____

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Write in: _____

Scan and e-mail to tomgoynes@mac.com

Or snail mail to: TRPA Election, 444 Pecan Park Drive, San Marcos, TX 78666

Texas Rivers Protection Association

444 Pecan Park Dr.
San Marcos, TX 78666

Are there any address or telephone changes since last renewal? No ___ Yes ___

Name: _____

Street: _____ Apt. No.: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Tel: Home (_____) _____ - _____ Mobile (_____) _____ - _____

Email address: _____ @ _____

___ New Membership ___ Renewal Membership

Type: ___ Student (\$10) ___ Protector (\$25) ___ Guardian (\$50) ___ Ranger (\$100)

___ Bronze (\$500) ___ Silver (\$1000) ___ Gold (\$5000)

Term of Membership: Expires one year from receipt of payment

Texas Rivers Protection Association is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Your donations and membership dues are tax deductible. All members receive notices and newsletters and get to vote at general meetings. To receive any merchandise, please send an email to president_excom@txrivers.org or return this printed form via US mail. Protectors may receive a cloisonné pin with our emblem. Guardians may receive the pin and either a logo cap or logo t-shirt or "Texas Whitewater: The DVD". Rangers may receive all four. Guardians need to indicate their choice (cap or t-shirt) and Rangers and Guardians wanting t-shirts should indicate their size.

Protectors, Guardians, Rangers, Bronze, Silver, Gold

Please send the following:

Protector: ___ Cloisonné Pin

Guardian: ___ Pin and ___ Cap or ___ DVD or ___ T-shirt (Size: ___ M, ___ L, ___ XL, ___ XXL)

Ranger thru Gold: ___ Pin and ___ Cap and ___ DVD and ___ T-shirt (Size: ___ M, ___ L, ___ XL, ___ XXL)

Check here if you want a new bumper sticker: _____

Check here if you **do not** want to receive any merchandise: _____

By default, you will receive our email newsletter that features the latest news on TRPA's advocacy efforts, river-related events, cleanups, and more.

Check here if you do not have an email address.

Check here if no newsletter is desired.