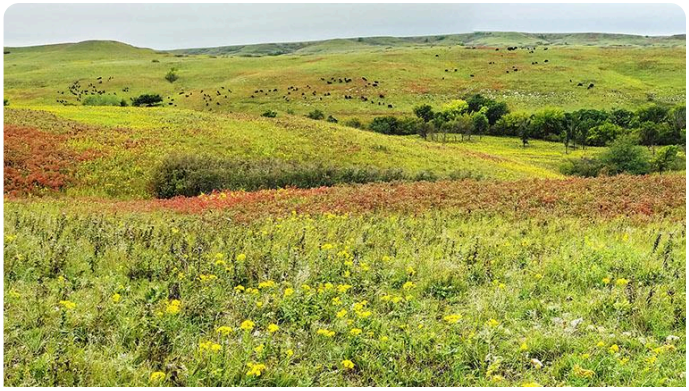

Application to conduct research at Konza Prairie

This form is for permission to conduct research on site. If your visit is for another reason, please use one of the other application forms.

* Required

General Information

1. Last name *

2. First name *

3. Email address *

4. Phone number

5. Type of organization/Affiliation

- ◯ University/College
- ◯ Federal government
- ◯ State government
- ◯ Private organization (The Nature Conservancy, etc.)
- ◯ Individual study
- ◯ Other

6. Affiliation (name of university or organization)

7. Position

- ◯ Faculty
- ◯ PhD student
- ◯ MS student
- ◯ Undergraduate student
- ◯ Other

8. Is this your first visit to Konza Prairie? *

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

9. Names of Co-PIs or other associates

Project information

10. Title of project. *

11. Start date *

12. End date *

13. Estimated number and status (technicians, students, etc.) of other people involved in your project who will be on Konza Prairie. *

14. Approximate total number of days per year planned on site *

Description of study

15. Purpose of study

Provide a brief description of what you want to do and why.

16. Methods *

Provide a brief description of what data you will collect at Konza Prairie and how those data will be collected.
We only need the information related to your visit to Konza Prairie.

17. Provide a description of your study site

Watershed number, GPS coordinates, habitat type, or anything else that defines your chosen site. If you don't know where you will be yet, please enter "TBA" and contact the Assistant Director, Eva Horne, to get help in choosing a site.

18. Which of the following activities will you be conducting (choose all that apply)?

- [ ] Soil sampling
- [ ] Harvesting/collecting plants
- [ ] Vertebrate trapping/collecting (provide approved IACUC number and date below, as well as any other federal/state permits)
- [ ] Invertebrate trapping/collecting
- [ ] Habitat manipulation (excavation, fertilization, etc.)
- [ ] Construction of structures (cages, fencing, roofed shelters, etc.)
- [ ] Installation of equipment (monitoring instruments, etc.)
- [ ] Use of previously installed plots/structures
- [ ] Other

Fees and other requirements

19. Institutional/Government permits *

Provide numbers and approval dates for any IACUC, IRB, federal trapping, state collecting, or other permits you have for this research. Reply "NA" if not applicable.

20. Do you require help from the Konza Prairie staff or use of any Konza Prairie equipment or lab/shop facilities? *

Includes: aid to find research plot, help building structures, use of a vehicle, use of the shop, need some lab space, etc. Some of these require an adjustment to site use fees (Fee schedule)

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No
- ◯ Maybe

21. If you answered "yes" to the question above, please provide details of requested resources.

22. What is your source of funding for site-use fees?

Link to our fee schedule. If you have questions about fees, please contact the Director, Eva Horne.

- ◯ Grant
- ◯ Institutional
- ◯ Personal
- ◯ Other

23. Estimate your site fees. *

Link to our fee schedule. If you have questions about fees or need more information, please contact the Director, Eva Horne.

24. Provide a contact name, email, and address to which an invoice can be sent (if different from that entered in section 1). *

25. Will you require housing on Konza? *

- ◯ Yes. I will fill out a housing request form when needed.
- ◯ No
- ◯ Maybe. I will fill out a housing request form if needed.

26. Permit number *

Once you have completed the application and are ready to submit it for review, enter a permit number here by using this formula: current year - current month - current day. For example if it is 11 April 2025 at 220 pm, you would enter 2025-4-11. This number can be used to refer to your application in future correspondence.

27. I have read the rules for site use and agree to abide by them. I will share the procedures/policies with all collaborators, students, and/or others who will be involved in the study. I understand that violation of any of the rules may result in not being able to use KPBS facilities in the future. Choosing "I agree" below is equivalent to a signature. *

- ◯ I agree
- ◯ I do not agree

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