



FACT SHEET

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(Based on numbers available 01/01/09)

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

In 2008, among the fifty states, Texas ranked:

- 1st in total Members: 43,041
- 1st in total Grassroots income: \$3,369,336
- 3rd in total Sponsors: 1,946
- 5th in total Greenwings: 2,986
- 7th in total Miscellaneous Events income: \$106,797
- 10th in new Feather Society pledges: 4
- 10th in most Major Donor upgrades: 13

MEMBERSHIP

2008 GRAND TOTAL: 46,027

- **Members: 45,677**
 - General Members: 40,717
 - Greenwings: 2,587
 - Legacy Greenwing Members: 427
 - Sponsor Members: 1,946
- **Major Sponsors: 350**
 - Life Sponsor: 255
 - Diamond Life Sponsor: 25
 - Sponsor in Perpetuity: 24
 - Diamond Sponsor in Perpetuity: 8
 - Heritage Sponsor: 7
 - Diamond Heritage Sponsor: 2
 - Benefactor Roll of Honor: 13
 - Legacy Sponsor: 9
 - Gold Legacy Sponsor: 1
 - Platinum Legacy Sponsor: 1
 - Diamond Legacy Sponsor: 5
 - Conservation Pioneer Sponsor: 0
 - Waterfowl Patron Sponsor: 0
 - Wetland Guardian Sponsor: 0

FEATHER SOCIETY MEMBERS: 155

- Diamond: 2
- Platinum: 2
- Emerald: 0
- Gold: 6
- Silver: 145

U.S. CONSERVATION PROGRAMS

- Total acres conserved in flyway: 1,108,100
- Total acres conserved in this state: 184,566
- Total technical assistance acres in flyway: 1,832,195
- Total technical assistance acres in state: 775,313
- Amount spent to date on projects in flyway: \$188,509,118
- Amount spent to date on projects in state: \$28,664,506
- Primary waterfowl species that benefit from DU's efforts include: Mallard; Blue-Winged Teal; Green-Winged Teal; Lesser Scaup; Northern Pintail; Mottled Duck; Gadwall; American Wigeon, Redhead; Canada, White-Fronted, and Lesser Snow Goose.

STATE FUND-RAISING EFFORTS

- Total grassroots dollars raised in 2008: \$3,369,336
- Number of committees in 2008: 150
- Number of fund-raising events in 2008: 230

YOUR STATE GOVERNMENT'S CONTRIBUTION TO DU FOR CANADIAN PROJECTS:

- Total contributions granted through 2008: \$2,103,856
- Location of projects: Saskatchewan: Quill Lakes Key Program Area

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Acres Conserved

