

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Rules

34.05.99.X1 | Smoking, Tobacco Use, and Vaping

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RULE SUMMARY

To provide the highest level of protection for the health of all employees and visitors using or working in the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service (AgriLife Extension) facilities and vehicles and to comply with The Texas A&M University System (A&M System) Policy 34.05, *Smoking*, all AgriLife Extension facilities and vehicles are hereby designated as "tobacco- and vaping-free."

PROCEDURES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1.0 All on-campus employees will follow Texas A&M University rules on smoking, tobacco use, and vaping.
- 2.0 All buildings and vehicles owned or leased by AgriLife Extension will be tobacco and vaping-free.
- 3.0 Each administrative head of AgriLife Extension off-campus units will ensure that notices are posted at each entrance which indicates the facility is a tobacco- and vaping-free area.

DEFINITIONS

Vaping – The act of inhaling and exhaling the aerosol which is produced by an e-cigarette or similar device.

RELATED STATUTES, POLICIES, OR REQUIREMENTS

[A&M System Policy 34.05, *Smoking*](#)

[TAMU Rule 34.05.99.M1, *Smoking and Tobacco Use*](#)

CONTACT OFFICE

Questions regarding this procedure should be referred to the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Safety Coordinator at 979-862-4038 or the Office of Ethics & Compliance at 979-845-7879.

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