

# Informational Security

The Communications Director is tasked with communicating our mission, vision and values to the membership and the general public. However, all communication that occurs within the TNM is not suitable for mass consumption. Due to the sensitive nature of the activities of the Texas Nationalist Movement and the desire for our opposition to thwart our progress, all information related to the TNM is classified in one of five categories and disseminated accordingly.

#### 1. Public

Public information is that which has been classified as available to any member of the general public regardless of their affiliation with TNM. This includes website announcements, social media announcements, press releases, outreach literature developed by TNM and any other communications designated as 'public' by the Communications Director.

## 2. Members and Supporters

Information in this category has been designated as EXCLUSIVELY for current members of the TNM. This may include plans, processes or updates that are immediately relevant for the fulfillment of our mission. This information can be action-oriented or educational and is always considered "mission critical". Information in this category is restricted to members only and, while this is preferable and there is an expectation that it is respected as such, we acknowledge that the passion of our membership means that it will eventually leak to the public. Therefore, any information of this category should be treated as though it were for public consumption. In some circumstances we may deem information appropriate for supporters and members that have a login to the website and the same statements above apply to this group.

## 3. Local Leadership

Information in this category is strategic in nature and is therefore not to be disseminated outside of those with whom it is shared without authorization from the relevant member of the National Leadership Team, or the President. This information is extremely sensitive and may include strategic planning or the implementation of strategic planning at the local level. In addition, this level includes but is not limited to compartmentalized information such as membership information and lists, volunteer information and lists



and contact information for supporters or meeting/event attendees. Anyone who accesses information at this level must have a signed Non-Disclosure Agreement on file with the Texas Nationalist Movement. A breach of informational security at this level is grounds for immediate removal from leadership in the TNM and, depending on the severity of the breach, can be grounds for legal action in accordance with the Non-Disclosure Agreement.

## 4. National Leadership Team

Information in this category is restricted to members of the National Leadership only. District Directors are part of the National Leadership Team. Information in this category includes internal strategic planning, processes, meetings, discussions, communications that affect the overall functioning of the organization and can result in major successes for or damage to the organization if the information were made available to the public.

## 5. Executive Leadership Team

Information in this category is restricted to members of Executive Leadership only. Information in this category includes internal strategic planning, processes, meetings, discussions, communications, and legal documents that affect the overall functioning of the organization and can result in major successes for or damage to the organization if the information were made available to the public.

If there is a doubt as to the category that a specific communication fits into, you must ask. The best method is to directly message a member of the executive team.