



Wisconsin Society for Ornithology Grant Application

Applicants must be Wisconsin residents and projects must be based in Wisconsin.

1. Which grant are you applying for?

Steenbock Award – This grant funds a variety of bird projects by beginners, amateurs, and independent researchers. Graduate students and professionals in ornithology may apply for personal projects only.

Charles and Mary Nelson Award – established through a 1993 bequest from the Nelson family. This grant funds ornithological research involving wetland communities in Wisconsin.

WSO Grant – support for ornithological research projects partially funded by professional institutions, such as universities and museums. Money may be used toward travel expenses related to fieldwork, supplies, and equipment.

WSO Youth Grant – used toward youth projects pertaining to bird research or bird education.

Sam Robbins Shorebird Endowment Fund – honoring the bird conservation legacy of Sammuel D. Robbins, this grant provides matching funds for Wisconsin DNR waterfowl stamp projects that implement management practices beneficial to shorebirds.

2. What is the name of the project you want funds for?

3. Project Summary and desired Outcome:

4. Funding Requested:

5. Proposed Budget:

6. Who are the participants (including organization/school)?

7. What is the timeline?

8. Are you willing to present in person or via the web (a written report is required) at a meeting of the Wisconsin Society for Ornithology?