

Nebraska Natural Legacy Project  
**CONSERVATION AWARD**  
2024 Nomination Form

Deadline to submit is Wednesday, August 28, 2024



**STEP 1 - Your Contact Information**

Name:  
Your Organization/Agency:  
E-mail Address:  
Phone:

**STEP 2 - Nominee Contact Information**

Name of individual or organization to be nominated:  
Address:  
City, State Zip:  
Phone:  
E-mail Address:

**STEP 3 - Please provide a 3-5 sentence bio about the nominee.**

Include current position, relevant previous positions and/or any other pertinent information.

**STEP 4 - Please send in two photos of the nominee with this form.**

Photos submitted will be shared if nominee wins the award. We request a formal photo and a photo of the nominee in their element/in the field. Photos may be sent after due date if extra time is needed to get photos.

**STEP 5 - On a separate page, please address at least one of the following five categories. It is NOT necessary to provide information for every numbered item, but nominees demonstrating more of these attributes may receive a higher ranking.** Please limit your response to no more than one page.

1. Please describe any **specific, outstanding projects or conservation activities** for at-risk species completed by your nominee that you feel qualifies him/her for this award. Be sure to describe the role of your nominee in the success of this project or activity, as well as how this project or activity exemplifies the mission of the Nebraska Natural Legacy Project.
2. Describe how the actions of your nominee have employed **ecosystem-based approaches** that are supported through **partnerships** and that respect the importance of sustainable communities. Please provide specific examples.
3. Describe how your nominee has used and promoted **coordinated, science-based, landscape approaches** to voluntary land stewardship that conserve, improve, and expand habitat for at-risk species. Please provide specific examples.
4. Describe ways in which the activities of your nominee has encouraged **communication, education, and a broader appreciation** for the diversity of at-risk species within Nebraska. Please provide specific examples.
5. Additional consideration will be given to private landowners/producers. Describe how they have focused on **stewardship** of their land, exemplified a **land ethic**, worked with partners to implement **conservation**, influenced or worked with **neighbors**, and/or used **new or innovative** land management practices to improve their operation and biodiversity.

Please email completed form to [olivia.darugna@nebraska.gov](mailto:olivia.darugna@nebraska.gov).

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