

# Conserving the Future

WILDLIFE REFUGES & THE NEXT GENERATION

## Giving the Land a Voice Multi-media Contest

### Entry Form

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Nearest National Wildlife Refuge: \_\_\_\_\_ visit <http://www.fws.gov/refuges/>

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ School/Affiliation (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Children invited to the conference under the age of 18 on the date of the conference (July 15th, 2011) must travel with a parent or legal guardian.

Media (check one):                    *digital poster*                    *podcast*                    *written submission*

Title of submission: \_\_\_\_\_

One sentence description of your submission:

File type and size: \_\_\_\_\_ File name: \_\_\_\_\_

Video/photo/music references and citations (for copyright purposes)

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Please tell us a little about yourself:

Send your submission, completed entry form and release forms to the appropriate locations below.

For files less than 10 MB, please email to: [NWRS\\_VisionContest@fws.gov](mailto:NWRS_VisionContest@fws.gov)

For files 10 MB or greater, please send a CD or DVD to: Giving the Land a Voice Contest  
National Wildlife Refuge Association  
1250 Connecticut Ave NW  
Washington DC 20036

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I hereby agree to all the terms and conditions listed above

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Participant Signature

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Date

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Parent or Legal Guardian Signature (if under 18)

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Date