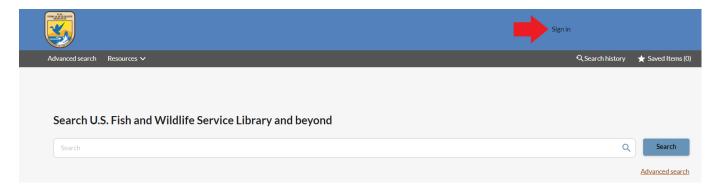
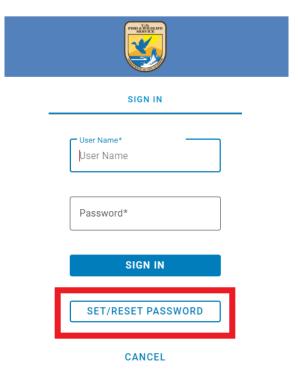
# SOP: Access to the USFWS Library for Native American Fish and Wildlife Partners

## Setting Up Your Account

- 1. Individual members and Member Tribes of the Native American Fish and Wildlife Society will be granted a library username upon the creation or renewal of their membership.
- Individual member usernames will be your first name and last name separated by an underscore (i.e. jane\_smith). Member Tribe usernames are acronyms based on the Tribe name. Inquire with NAFWS or the USFWS Library to confirm your username if you have any questions.
- 3. To set your password for the first time, navigate to fwslibrary.on.worldcat.org/discovery. This is the USFWS Library Catalog. Click "Sign in" in the upper righthand corner.



4. From the Sign In page, click "Set/Reset Password."



5. Enter your username, and an email with instructions will be sent to the email address associated with your account.

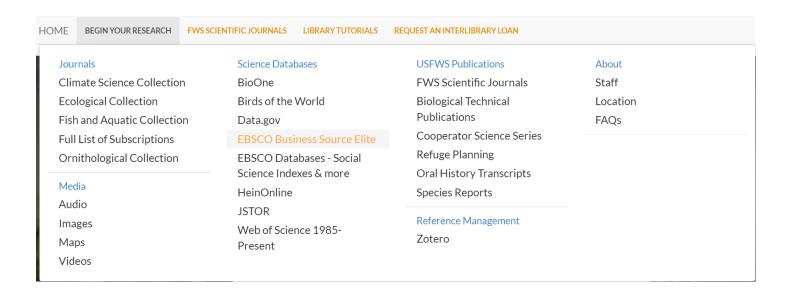


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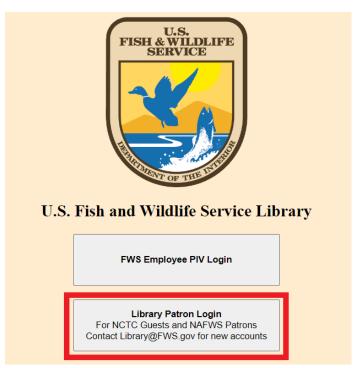
- 1. Navigate to library.fws.gov, the public website for the USFWS Library
- 2. There are two ways to use the library's resources- browsing, or searching:

#### **Browsing**

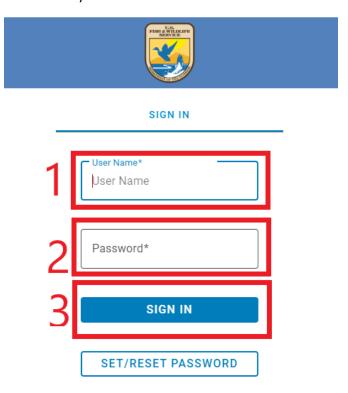
1. Under the Begin Your Research tab, click any of the databases you would like to explore (exceptions: EBSCO Databases, HeinOnline, and JSTOR which are DOI Library databases)



2. You will be prompted to sign in with your library account. Click the "Library Patron Login" button.



3. Next, sign in with your username and password. You will be redirected to the resource automatically.



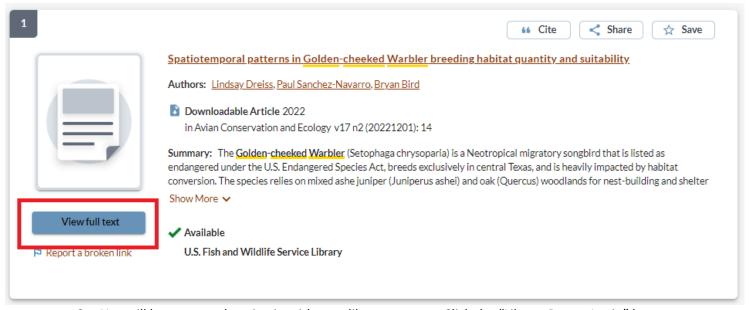
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#### Searching

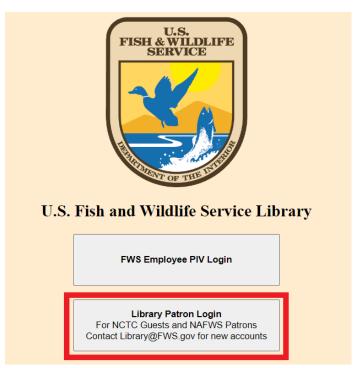
1. Enter your search terms (i.e. keywords, a title, an author, a publication title) into the search bar under the "Everything" tab. Click "Search"



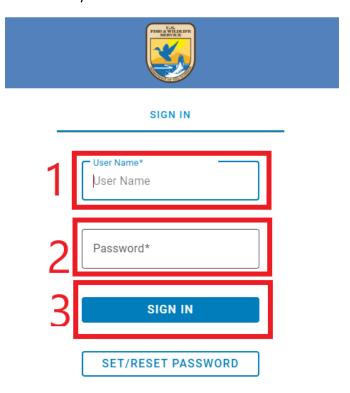
2. View your search results. Items available through the library will have a green checkmark on the catalog record. Once you find a result you'd like to see, click the "View full text" or "Access online" button.



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## General Authentication Information

- You will remain authenticated for 2 hours once logged in.
- The session will automatically time out after 2 hours of inactivity or will end when you close/quit your browser.

## Issue Reporting and Assistance

• For issues with broken links or for interlibrary loan assistance, please email library@fws.gov