OUTER ISLAND UNIT in Branford, CT—This unit has four wayside exhibits (place in 2012) discussing information about the unit, and two wildlife observation decks. The island also has an environmental education center which provides indoor and outdoor classroom space for public use. The Island may be accessed from the Stony Creek section of Branford. The island is open to the general public every day from at least May 30th to September 25th and it is staffed by USFWS interns and volunteers. Groups may schedule visits to the island through the Connecticut State University System. All visitors, whether individuals or families, may take a water taxi, paddlecraft or small motor boat to visit the island. A free docking facility is available on the island.