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To: State Fish and Wildlife Agencies
Secretary, Department of Natural Resources
of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico
Governor of Guam
Governor of the U.S. Virgin Islands
Governor of American Samoa
Governor of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
Mayor of the District of Columbia

The purpose of this letter is to notify you of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 apportionment of State Wildlife Grant (SWG) Program funds by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service). The apportionment includes \$54,849,080 for the SWG Program authorized by the FY 2021 Omnibus and COVID Relief and Response Act, 2020, PL 116-260.

The FY2021 apportionment also includes \$646,941 in reverted FY2008 and after SWG Program funds (5620) and \$12,148 in unobligated balances from FY2007 and prior year grant closures (5720). Total funds available for the States and territories in the FY2021 apportionment are \$55,508,169 (CFDA No. 15.634), an increase of \$2,931,831 from FY2020.

This Program provides grants for the development and implementation of State programs to benefit wildlife and their habitat. The FY2021 apportionment shown on the attached table, is for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2020, and is available for obligation until September 30, 2022. After this date, the Service will reapportion any remaining unobligated and other reverted funds to all States and territories, together with any new funds appropriated for FY2023.

The funds are distributed through apportionment formula in accordance with the Appropriations Act to States and to the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, the United States Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and American Samoa. The formula for apportionment is based one-third on the land area of each State and two-thirds on the population of each State. In accordance with the Act, no State may receive less than one percent of the total available for apportionment, or more than five percent. The District of Columbia and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico may each receive no more than one-half of one percent of the total, and Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and American Samoa may each receive no more than one-fourth of one percent of the total.

The Service is pleased to make these funds available to you. If you have questions about the apportionment, please contact the Fish and Wildlife Service Regional Director for your area

Sincerely,

Stephen Guertin
Deputy Director
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Enclosure

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
FINAL APPORTIONMENT OF STATE WILDLIFE GRANTS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021
CFDA: 15.634

<u>STATE</u>	<u>STATE WILDLIFE - 5620</u>	<u>STATE WILDLIFE - 5720</u>
ALABAMA	\$852,983	\$187
ALASKA	2,774,801	607
AMERICAN SAMOA	138,740	30
ARIZONA	1,396,962	309
ARKANSAS	644,004	143
CALIFORNIA	2,774,801	607
COLORADO	1,181,447	259
CONNECTICUT	554,960	121
DELAWARE	554,960	121
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	277,480	61
FLORIDA	2,528,244	553
GEORGIA	1,466,739	321
GUAM	138,740	30
HAWAII	554,960	121
IDAHO	660,380	145
ILLINOIS	1,818,572	398
INDIANA	963,088	211
IOWA	676,899	148
KANSAS	802,956	176
KENTUCKY	737,068	161
LOUISIANA	801,743	176
MAINE	554,960	121
MARYLAND	733,317	161
MASSACHUSETTS	811,096	178
MICHIGAN	1,487,394	326
MINNESOTA	1,100,901	241
MISSISSIPPI	618,649	135
MISSOURI	1,096,902	240
MONTANA	955,624	209
N. MARIANA ISLANDS	138,740	30
NEBRASKA	655,016	143
NEVADA	946,836	207
NEW HAMPSHIRE	554,960	121
NEW JERSEY	1,070,052	234
NEW MEXICO	934,984	205
NEW YORK	2,541,029	556
NORTH CAROLINA	1,413,241	309
NORTH DAKOTA	554,960	121
OHIO	1,581,884	346
OKLAHOMA	836,995	183
OREGON	1,001,474	219
PENNSYLVANIA	1,740,567	381
PUERTO RICO	277,480	61
RHODE ISLAND	554,960	121
SOUTH CAROLINA	717,378	157
SOUTH DAKOTA	554,960	121
TENNESSEE	981,066	215
TEXAS	2,774,801	607
UTAH	807,513	179
VERMONT	554,960	121
VIRGIN ISLANDS	138,740	30
VIRGINIA	1,166,265	255
WASHINGTON	1,173,926	257
WEST VIRGINIA	554,960	121
WISCONSIN	984,238	215
WYOMING	624,666	137
TOTAL	\$55,496,021	\$12,148