The Dr. Nancy Foster Habitat Conservation Award

NOAA Fisheries Office of Habitat Conservation

Eligibility

1. Nominees must have demonstrated extraordinary dedication, innovation, and excellence to NOAA-related habitat conservation fields. Contributions may include work to protect, manage, study, restore, or promote stewardship of, coastal and marine habitats and the species supported by these ecosystems.
2. Private citizens (or the groups or organizations they represent) or public servants (or the agencies they represent) may be nominated.

How to Apply

1. Submit this form, along with four (4) copies of each example of work including publications, photos, video or other materials.
2. Letters of support are welcome and should be submitted with the nomination package.
3. **Nominations must be received by September 9, 2011.**

Name of Nominee:

Nominee's Organization:

Nominee's Address:

Nominee's Phone:

Nominee's Email:

Name of Nominator:

Nominator's Address:

Nominator's Phone:

Nominator's Email:

Nominator's Signature:

Supporting Documentation

Please provide a detailed description of the activities, accomplishments, and other achievements that document the nominee's efforts, with a focus on resourcefulness and commitment to coastal and marine habitat conservation using these criteria as a guide:

- Length of sustained contributions
- Personal success and contributions
- Innovative approaches, techniques, and accomplishments that motivate others
- Ability to balance habitat conservation with responsible use and stewardship

Please submit nominations to:

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