



Maryland Department of Natural Resources  
Wildlife and Heritage Service

*Landowner Incentive Program Application*

The goal of the Landowner Incentive Program (LIP) is to enhance, protect, or restore habitats that benefit rare, endangered, or threatened species.

**Landowner Information**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Please check applicable ownership:

Private landowner       Land Trust       Corporation

Sportsmen's Club       NGO Conservation Group

Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Property Information**

Property Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

City (or nearby city) : \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Size of property (acres): \_\_\_\_\_

**Georeference Information (optional)**

1) MD State Plane: \_\_\_\_\_ N \_\_\_\_\_ E Datum:  1927  1983

2) Decimal Degrees (Lat/Long): \_\_\_\_\_ ° N \_\_\_\_\_ ° E

3) County Tax Map #: \_\_\_\_\_ Parcel #: \_\_\_\_\_

4) ADC County Street Map #: \_\_\_\_\_ ADC Grid Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**A) Current Status of Property:** Please include current residences and practices on the land (limited timber management, agriculture, forested area, etc.).

**B) Landowner Objectives:** In relation to the goals of LIP to protect and manage habitat for species-at-risk, what are your goals for natural and semi-natural habitats on your property that support or might support species-at-risk?

**C) Habitat and Location:** If known, please describe the location of your property including habitat type or ecosystem characteristics (i.e. ponds, wetlands, streams, caves, forested areas, If possible, please include a map with property boundaries and indicate potential project areas.

**D) Threats and/or Need:** Are there any imminent or foreseeable threats to the property? For example: Is there development occurring adjacent to the property that may impact habitat for wildlife? Has there been any occurrence of contamination nearby? Are there any invasive species problems?

**E) Do you have the ability to manage and maintain any proposed project for a minimum of 5 years?**

- 1) I certify that I am the legal owner of the land described on this application.
- 2) I further certify that participation by me or on my behalf in the Landowner Incentive Program is not fraudulent or otherwise illegal, and that all expenditures submitted on my behalf for payment under this program are legitimate claims under the eligibility requirements of this program.
- 3) I understand that the Landowner Incentive Program is a 75% cost share assistance program and a 25% match in the form of cash or in-kind services will be required by myself or a partner agency.

Landowner Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***-Attach additional sheets if necessary-***

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Application Control Number:	_____
Received Date:	_____ Review Date: _____