

Heritage Grant Evaluation Scoring Rubric

(Environmental Education, Schoolyard Habitat, Urban Wildlife, Public Access and IIAPM)

Project Title:

Project Number:

Funding Category:

Heritage Grant Amount Requested:

Applicant:

RATING CRITERIA	Score		
	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Needs Improvement
Is the need for this project clearly established and will the proposal effectively address this need?			
Project Priority: If applicable, does this project meet one or more of the priorities listed within the Funding Window?			
Are the action plan objectives and milestones a logical progression of tasks & times?			
Do the individuals involved have the knowledge and expertise to successfully complete the project?			
Are the evaluation methods/measures of success adequate to provide meaningful and reliable data of accomplishments?			
Is the marketing and/or dissemination plan adequate and give due recognition to the Department/Heritage Fund?			
Have local community partners, external reviewers and/or consultants adequately been included in the project?			
Are anticipated costs necessary and appropriate to successfully complete the project and are budget items sufficiently justified?			
Are there matching funds and do they directly benefit the project?			
Is this project a good use of Heritage funds that meets or exceeds a viable Wildlife Conservation need for the Department?			
Total Number of Check Marks:	__ x 5 =	__ x 3 =	__ x 1 =
Point Subtotals:			
Rating Criteria Point Total:			

PROJECT RECOMMENDATION	I STRONGLY RECOMMEND funding this project Points: +2 thru +5	I RECOMMEND funding this project, w/some reservations Points: +1 thru (-1)	I DO NOT RECOMMEND funding this project Points: (-2) thru (-5)
WHAT IS YOUR OVERALL RECOMMENDATION FOR FUNDING THIS PROJECT? This should represent your individual perspective, if applicable your work unit's perspective and/or the General Public or Local Community perspective. Comments may discuss the importance, desirability or relevance of the proposal, the support (or lack of support) from and for the Local Community, the overall percentage of Heritage Grant funding requested vs. available, and/or any other information you feel relevant or important about the project.			
Project Recommendation Point Total:			
Project Priority Point Total:			
Rating Criteria Point Total (from above):			

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OVERALL PROJECT POINT TOTAL:

Please complete comments about the project on the back of score-sheet.

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Use the space below to briefly explain your scores:

If this project is funded, what recommendations, if any, do you have that will improve it?

Scorer Signature: _____

Date:

Scorer Printed Name: