



Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy

People and Wildlife Thrive Together

Audubon at Home Wildlife Sanctuary

Application for Wildlife Sanctuary Certification

You have several options:

- ❖ Fill out the application (as best you can) and attach it to an email to aowen@loudounwildlife.org, or
- ❖ Download the application, fill it in and mail the completed application to Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy, P.O. Box 1892, Leesburg, VA 20177 or
- ❖ If you feel uncertain about some aspects of the application and cannot complete it, send an email to aowen@loudounwildlife.org requesting assistance to help you get started on the certification process.

Contact / Location

Name					
Street		City		State	Zip
Email		Phone		Text	

Type of Property

Home	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approximate size of the site (in acres, or less than ¼ ac)	
School	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approximate size of habitat within the site to be certified	
Church	<input type="checkbox"/>	(in square feet, square yards or acres):	
HOA Common	<input type="checkbox"/>	Habitat to be certified is (check all that apply): New <input type="checkbox"/> Existing <input type="checkbox"/>	
Business	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other (Describe)	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Habitat Features

	Current	Planned		Current	Planned
*Water Feature (Bird Bath, Stream etc)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bee Boxes/ Exposed Soil	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
*Rain Garden	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Brush Shelter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Native Pollinator Garden or Meadow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Snags (standing dead trees)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
*Native Shrubs / Trees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nest Boxes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bird Feeders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (describe)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

***At least 2 of the bolded items are required for AAH Wildlife Sanctuary Certification.**

Healthy Yard Pledge—already doing, or agree to adopt, Audubon at Home principles

Audubon at Home Principles	Current	Planned	Please initial in these boxes
*Reduce pesticide and fertilizer use	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
*Conserve water and protect water quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
*Remove invasive non-native plants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
*Plant species native to our area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
*Reduce area covered by lawn grass	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
*Support birds and other wildlife	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

What are your main Wildlife interests?

Wildlife Sanctuary Species Observed

- The list of Sanctuary Species is given below. Fact sheets on each species may be found at: <http://audubonva.org/sanctuary-species>
- List no more than one species from a group of species, e.g., only one native bee species, only one swallowtail butterfly
- Flyovers do not count unless observed feeding—hawks and bats may be observed feeding, for example.
- Species should be observed within a 3-year period.

<p>Amphibians</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frog and Toad species • Salamander species <p>Birds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Goldfinch • Baltimore Oriole • Blue-gray Gnatcatcher • Carolina Chickadee • Carolina Wren • Cedar Waxwing • Eastern Bluebird • Eastern Meadowlark • Eastern Towhee • Green Heron • Gray Catbird • Hawk Species • Owl Species • Ruby-Throated Hummingbird • Tree Swallow • Tufted Titmouse • Warbler species • Woodpecker species • Wood Thrush 	<p>Butterflies & Moths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fritillary Butterfly species • Monarch Butterfly • Swallowtail Butterfly species • Giant Silk Moth species • Clearwing Moth species <p>Other Invertebrates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Native Bee species • Dragonfly and Damselfly species • Hover Fly • Lady Beetle species • Lightning Bugs • Six-spotted Tiger Beetle • Crab Spider species • Orb Weaver spider • Wolf Spider species <p>Mammals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bat species • Southern Flying Squirrel • Short-tailed Shrew <p>Reptiles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern Box Turtle • Eastern Fence Lizard • Five-lined Skink • Snake Species
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