



LOUISIANA WILDLIFE FEDERATION

"... conserving our natural resources and your right to enjoy them."

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SOME SERVICES THE FEDERATION OFFERS YOU – YOUR ORGANIZATION

As an affiliate organization of the Louisiana Wildlife Federation (LWF), your group would join forces with conservationists from throughout the state to correct abuses in the use of our soils, air, water, forests, wildlife and fisheries; to bring about the wise use of our natural resources; and to serve as a voice of the people in outdoor recreation and conservation matters.

1. Your organization would have an opportunity to present proposals before the representatives of the Federation's other affiliates to gain approval, support, and influence.
2. Your members and delegates would have an opportunity to participate in the annual Federation convention which decides most questions of conservation policy by democratic majority vote of the delegates.
3. Each year the Louisiana Wildlife Federation sponsors the Governor's Conservation Awards Program in cooperation with the National Wildlife Federation. This awards program is designed to give recognition to those persons and organizations who make outstanding contributions through their natural resources work. The Federation can also assist affiliates in giving special recognition to other individuals or organizations who make outstanding contributions to the affiliate's conservation efforts.
4. The Louisiana Wildlife Federation is the official state affiliate of the National Wildlife Federation (NWF). Thus, the leaders of LWF affiliates may receive regular publications, communications, and conservation news from NWF.
5. The LWF maintains a small, full-time staff and office in Baton Rouge to assist affiliates and to carry on the day to day administrative duties of the organization. Staff work includes monitoring legislation and notifying affiliates of any action that needs to be taken.
6. Representatives of the Federation attend public meetings of the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to present Federation policy, views, and resolutions. Representatives of the LWF also attend meetings of other state and federal agencies whose actions have an effect on sportsmen, natural resources, and the environment.
7. The LWF provides, through its Board of Directors and members, the services of trained and skilled people of many professions and trades who contribute their knowledge, skills and labor for the common good.