

New York's Watchable Wildlife Viewing Guide Site Nomination Form



PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION

Name Title Organization/Affiliation

Phone Fax E-mail

SITE INFORMATION

Name of Site Managing Agency/Entity

Street Address/City County Closest Town/Community

Special Land Classification/Status (if applicable) i.e. wilderness, primitive

Site Manager/Contact

Phone Fax E-mail

Site Website Address (if applicable)

What makes this site a unique, premier wildlife or nature viewing experience? (Attach additional page if necessary)

Hours of Operation _____ **Staff on site?** Yes _____ No _____ **Estimated Annual Visitation** _____

Entrance/Parking Fees _____ **Acreage** _____

WILDLIFE - Please check the types of wildlife present

Birds _____ **Mammals** _____ **Amphibians/Reptiles** _____ **Fish** _____ **Invertebrates** _____

Please list predominant species, season present and reliability of viewing.

Species – Common Name	Season Present* (W, Sp, Su, F, YR)	Reliability of Viewing** (Excellent, Good, Poor)

*W = winter, Sp = spring, Su = summer, F = fall, YR = year-round

**Excellent = sighting every trip, Good = sighting 50-75% trips, Poor = 50% or less

ECOLOGICAL or GEOLOGICAL VALUE Please list key native plant species or geologic features of site.

FACILITIES and FEATURES

	YES	NO	Condition
Wheelchair Accessible			
Restrooms			
Trash cans			
Trails			
Lookouts			
Interpretive signs - Outside			
Brochure/Species List			
Visitor Center			
Drinking water			
Fishing Accessible			
Bus/Motorhome Accessible			
Boat Ramps			
Parking			
Photo Blinds			
Fees Charged			
Pets Allowed			
Other (list)			

PHOTOGRAPHS and OTHER MATERIALS If publication-quality photographs are available of the site, please list the name of the photographer or contact person(s) and their phone numbers. Also include any brochures or other materials that may be useful to the Steering Committee in the evaluation of this site.

SITE DIRECTIONS and PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION Please attach any site maps, directions from closest major town, public transportation information, or GPS coordinates if there is no physical address.

Please email completed Site Nomination Forms to: watchable@gw.dec.state.ny.us or by mailing directly to NYSDEC, Bureau of Public Outreach, 625 Broadway, Albany, NY 12233-4500; or by faxing the nomination forms to 518-402-9036 to the attention of Watchable Wildlife. Thank you.