

**NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION
NATIONAL CONSERVATION ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
PREVIOUS WINNERS**

SPECIAL 75TH ANNIVERSARY CONSERVATION AWARD

First Lady Michelle Obama

JAY N. "DING" DARLING CONSERVATION AWARD

2012 Ted Roosevelt IV

2010-11 Robert Redford

CONSERVATIONIST OF THE YEAR

2009 Senator John Warner

2007-08 Senator Tim Wirth

JAY N. "DING" DARLING MEDAL

CONSERVATIONIST OF THE YEAR

2006 Vice President Al Gore

2005 Stewart Udall

2004 Lady Bird Johnson

2003 Bruce Babbitt

2002 Mardy Murie

2001 Tom Bell

2000 *None*

1999 John Chafee (posthumous)

1998 Sylvia Earle

1997 *None*

1996 *None*

1995 *None*

1994 George J. Mitchell

1993 Jimmy Carter **1978 Conservationist of the Year*

1992 Maurice F. Strong **1972 International*

1991 Fredric Sutherland (posthumous)

1990 Edmund S. Muskie **1966 Legislative/Legal*

1989 Gaylord Nelson **1968 Legislative/Legal*

1988 Russell E. Train **1974 Conservationist of the Year*

1987 Roger Tory Peterson **1974 Special Achievement*

1986 C.R. Gutermuth

1985 Morris K. Udall **1973 Legislative/Legal*

CONSERVATIONIST OF THE YEAR

1984 William D. Ruckelshaus

1983 National Academy of Sciences and
National Academy of Engineering

1982 S. David Freeman

1981 Glen L. Bowers

	Thomas L. Kimball
1980	Cecil D. Andrus
	Richard K. Yancy
1979	Frank C. Bellrose
1978	Jimmy Carter
	Fred G. Evenden
1977	Butler Derrick
1976	Willaim E. Towell
1975	Warren G. Magnuson *1975 <i>Legislative/Legal</i>
1974	Russell E. Train *1988 <i>Ding Darling</i>
1973	Tom McCall
1972	Jack C. Watson
1971	Russell W. Peterson
1970	H. James Morrison, Jr.
1969	Victor J. Yannacone, Jr.
1968	Orville L. Freeman
1967	Alan Bible
	Thomas H. Kuchel
1966	Dorothy A. Buell
	Paul H. Douglas
1965	Lady Bird Johnson

ADMINISTRATION/LEADERSHIP*

1995	David A. LaRoche
	Richard Russman

AFFILIATE

2012	Delaware Nature Society
2011	Texas Conservation Alliance
2010	North Carolina Wildlife Federation
2009	New Mexico Wildlife Federation
2007-08	Conservation Federation of Missouri
2006	Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
2005	Florida Wildlife Federation
2004	Arkansas Wildlife Federation
2003	Montana Wildlife Federation
2002	Nebraska Wildlife Federation
2001	Planning and Conservation League
2000	Alabama Wildlife Federation
1999	Idaho Wildlife Federation
1998	Natural Resources Council of Maine
1997	Virgin Islands Conservation Society
1996	New Hampshire Wildlife Federation
1995	Delaware Nature Society
1994	South Carolina Wildlife Federation
1993	Michigan United Conservation Clubs *1976 <i>Affiliate</i>

1992	Georgia Wildlife Federation <i>*1974 Affiliate</i>
1991	Environmental Council of Rhode Island, Eugenia Marks
1990	Montana Wildlife Federation <i>*1973 Affiliate</i>
1989	Conservation Council of Hawaii
1988	Vermont Natural Resources Council <i>*1971 Affiliate</i>
1987	Louisiana Wildlife Federation
1986	Minnesota Conservation Federation <i>*1965 Affiliate</i>
1985	Mississippi Wildlife Federation
1984	Colorado Wildlife Federation
1983	Wyoming Wildlife Federation
1982	Natural Resources Council of Maine <i>*1969 Affiliate</i>
1981	Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs
1980	Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
1979	Tennessee Conservation League
1978	Iowa Wildlife Federation
	Virginia Wildlife Federation <i>*1966 Affiliate</i>
1977	South Carolina Wildlife Federation
1976	Michigan United Conservation Clubs
1975	North Carolina Wildlife Federation <i>*1969 Affiliate</i>
	North Dakota Wildlife Federation
1974	Georgia Wildlife Federation
	Oklahoma Wildlife Federation
1973	Kansas Wildlife Federation
	Montana Wildlife Federation <i>*1990 Affiliate</i>
1972	Alabama Wildlife Federation
1971	Vermont Natural Resources Council <i>*1988 Affiliate</i>
1970	Arkansas Wildlife Federation
1969	Natural Resources Council of Maine <i>*1982 Affiliate</i>
	North Carolina Wildlife Federation <i>*1975 Affiliate</i>
1968	Indiana Conservation Council
1967	Federated Sportsmen's Clubs of New Hampshire
1966	Virginia Wildlife Federation <i>*1978 Affiliate</i>
1965	Minnesota Conservation Federation <i>*1986 Affiliate</i>

COMMUNICATIONS

2012	Jack Johnson
2010-11	Anderson Cooper
	Tim Palmer
2009	Tom Toles
2007-08	Thomas Friedman
2006	Bill McKibben
2005	Grist Magazine
2004	Elizabeth Shogren
2003	Subhankar Banerjee
2002	Becky Gillette
2001	<i>None</i>

2000	Michael Grunwald
1999	Donald L. Barlett and James B. Steele
1998	Rocky Barker
1997	Martin Kratt and Chris Kratt
1996	Ted Williams
1995	Lynn Betts
1994	<u>The Atlanta Constitution</u>
1993	High Country News *1978 <i>Special Achievement</i>
1992	Ted Gup
1991	The Oregonian, Hilliard
1990	Los Angeles Times
1989	Charles Seabrook
1988	South Bend Tribune
1987	Gordon Bishop, The Star-Ledger
1986	Edward Flattau, Global Horizons
1985	Thomas W. Horton, Baltimore Sunpapers
1984	Louisville Courier-Journal
1983	Martin Crutsinger, Associated Press
1982	Lawrence Mosher, National Journal
1981	Robert H. Boyle, Sports Illustrated
1980	Walter Cronkite
1979	WGBH-TV, Boston, NOVA
1978	The Boston Globe
1977	Arkansas Gazette
	George Fisher
1976	Brian Kelley
1975	The Detroit News
1974	Ernest B. Ferguson
1973	<i>None</i>
1972	Lupi Saldana
	The Providence Journal-Bulletin
1971	<i>None</i>
1970	Jacques Cousteau
	Patrick R. Cullen
1969	Bill Mauldin
	Pat Oliphant
1968	Christian Science Monitor
1967	NBC News
1966	National Association of Broadcasters
1965	Outdoor Writers Association of America

CORPORATE LEADERSHIP

2012	Nickelodeon
2010-11	Aveda
2009	Kettle Foods
2007-08	Lindblad Expeditions

2006	Stora Enso, North America
2005	Stonyfield Farm
2004	Swiss Re
2003	Saunders Hotel Group
2002	Interface, Inc.
2001	The Prius Project (Toyota Motors USA)
2000	Duke Energy Corp.
1999	Wild Birds Unlimited
1998	Native and Nature
1997	Anheuser Busch Companies, Inc.
1996	Bass Pro Shops
1995	<i>None</i>
1994	Western Resources, Inc.
1993	Bank of America
1992	Stephan Schmidheiny
1991	Amway, James Stover
1990	Ben and Jerry's (<i>declined</i>)
1989	Patagonia, Inc.
1988	<i>None</i>
1987	<i>None</i>
1986	L.L. Bean, Inc.
1985	David M. Roderick
1984	Duke Power Company
1983	Tenneco, Inc.

EDUCATION

2012	Jim Fowler
2010-11	Jayni Chase
2010-11	Connecticut River Salmon Association
2009	James Elder
2007-08	Common Ground High School
2006	Kathy Kramer
2005	Shelburne Farms
2004	Jeff Belk
2003	U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops
2002	Wild Sentry
2001	Joyce E. Perrin
2000	Journey North
1999	<i>The Magic Schoolbus</i>
1998	Maureen Austin
1997	Stephen Kellert
1996	Missouri Stream Teams
1995	Hector Ibarra
	Dr. James H. Wilson
1994	Dr. Christine L. Thomas

1993	<i>None</i>
1992	David Orr
1991	Kids for Saving Earth, Tessa Hill
1990	William Stapp
1989	Charles F. Wilkinson
1988	Shirlee Cavaliere
1987	William F. Hammond
1986	Marge Hagerty
1985	The Alliance for Environmental Education
1984	Yosemite Institute
1983	Western Regional Environmental Education Council
1982	Eugene Odum
1981	Clarence A. Schoenfeld
1980	John H. Reeves, Jr.

GOVERNMENT

2012	Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes
2010-11	Senator Richard Lugar
2009	Mayor Michael Bloomberg
2007-08	Governor Charlie Crist
2006	Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger
2005	Greg Nickels
2004	Bill Richardson
2003	John Kitzhaber
2002	Thomas Daschle
2001	Parris N. Glendening
2000	Michael P. Dombeck
1999	James Lee Witt
1998	Wellington E. Webb
1997	Valdus Adamkus
1996	Jim Nelson
1994	Hazel Rollins O'Leary
1993	Ann W. Richards
1992	Lorraine Mintzmyer
	John Mumma
1991	Willard Munger
1990	Madeleine Kunin
1989	Thomas H. Kean
1988	Lee M. Thomas
1987	David L. Hall
1985	Lamar Alexander
1984	Bob Graham
1983	James B. Hunt, Jr.

INTERNATIONAL

2012	Timberland Company
2007-08	Senator Patrick Leahy
2006	Annie Sugrue, EcoSasa Developments
2005	Cheryl Johncox
2004	William Drayton
2003	<i>None</i>
2002	Pronaturas Chiapas
2001	Arcandina
2000	Rosa Maria Ruiz
1999	Josefina Mena Abraham
1998	Hiroshi Hasegawa
1997	Razali Ismail
1996	Lynda Taylor
1995	Mr. J. Brian Atwood
1994	Dr. Nafis Sadik
1993	Carlos Salinas de Gortari
1992	Martin Holdgate
1991	Jim Barnes
1990	Youli Kanev
1989	Saburo Okita
1988	Mostafa K. Tolba
1987	Gro Harlem Brundtland
1986	David A. Munro
1985	<i>None</i>
1984	<i>None</i>
1983	HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh
1982	Salim Ali
1981	<i>None</i>
1980	<i>None</i>
1979	<i>None</i>
1978	Ian McTaggart Cowen
1977	Ruth C. Clusen
1976	Robert M. White
1975	Peter Markham Scott
1974	<i>None</i>
1973	<i>None</i>
1972	Maurice F. Strong

LAW ENFORCEMENT*

1995	Terry L. Grosz
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LEGISLATIVE/LEGAL

2012	Governor Martin O'Malley and First Lady Katie O'Malley
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2007-08	Weil, Gotshal & Manges
2006	Senator Jeff Bingaman
2005	Pat Parenteau
2004	Joseph I. Lieberman and John McCain
2003	Eliot Spitzer
2002	Natural Resource Damage Program
2001	James Blackburn
2000	Rep. Hilda Solis
1999	Dr. Joseph Feller
1998	John Adams
1997	Elizabeth Furse
1996	<i>None</i>
1995	Frank J. Kelley
1994	<i>None</i>
1993	<i>None</i>
1992	Johanna Wald
1991	Robert W. Kasten, Jr.
1990	George Miller
1989	Claudine Schneider
1988	Congressional Black Caucus
1987	David E. Bonior
1986	John F. Seiberling
1985	Patrick Leahy
1984	Silvio O. Conte
1983	John Breaux
1982	Dale Bumpers
1981	John H. Chafee
	George Mitchell
1980	Edwin B. Forsythe
1979	<i>None</i>
1978	Phillip Burton
1977	Gary Hart
1976	Richard L. Ottinger
1975	Warren G. Magnuson <i>*1975 Conservationist of the Year</i>
1974	Ernest Hollings
1973	Morris K. Udall <i>*1985 Ding Darling</i>
1972	Clinton P. Anderson
1971	Henry S. Reuss
1970	Philip A. Hart
1969	Henry M. Jackson
1968	Gaylord Nelson <i>*1989 Ding Darling</i>
1967	John D. Dingell
1966	Edmund S. Muskie <i>*1990 Ding Darling</i>
1965	Frank Church

ORGANIZATION

2010-11	Energy Action Coalition
2009	Ella Baker Center for Human Rights
2007-08	Sustainable Bronx
2006	Wildlife Center of Virginia
2005	Sulphur River Oversight Society
2004	West Atlanta Watershed Alliance
2003	Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests
2002	Detroiters Working for Environmental Justice
2001	Bat Conservation International
2000	Southern Environmental Law Center
1999	<i>None</i>
1998	Partners for Wildlife
1997	Los Angeles Conservation Corps
1996	Center for Environment, Commerce and Energy Neuse River Foundation
1994	National Religious Partnership for the Environment
1993	Student Conservation Association
1992	United Steelworkers of America
1991	Oregon Natural Resources Council, Andy Kerr
1990	Southeast Alaska Conservation Council
1989	Project Lighthawk
1988	World Resources Institute/World Resources Report
1987	International Crane Foundation
1986	<i>None</i>
1985	Natural Resources Defense Council
1984	The Conservation Foundation
1983	The Wildlife Society
1982	<i>None</i>
1981	The Nature Conservancy
1980	American Fisheries Society
1979	The Izaak Walton League of America
1978	Environmental Study Conference
1977	Wildlife Management Institute
1976	Rachel Carson Trust for the Living Environment Conservation Federation of Missouri
1975	Gulf State Paper Corporation (special)
1974	Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests
1973	The United States Jaycees Environmental Improvement Program
1972	The Scouting Movement of America
1971	<i>None</i>
1970	Douglas MacArthur High School Anti-Pollution Committee
1969	Save Our Bay Action Committee
1968	League of Women Voters
1967	<i>None</i>
1966	Ford Motor Company
1965	General Electric Company

PHILANTHROPY

2012	Alicia Celorio
2010-11	Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation
2009	D. Keith Cambell & Verna Harrison
2007-08	Joshua Whetzel
2006	Canaday Family Charitable Trust
2005	Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hattersley, Jr.
2004	The McKnight Foundation
2003	Virginia Ball
2002	The Charles Mott Foundation
2001	Peter M. Wege
2000	Gilman Ordway
1999	Ted Turner and the Turner Foundation

RESOURCES DEFENSE

1981	Joseph L. Sax
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SCIENCE

2012	Nimansha Jain
2010-11	Dr. Virginia Burkett
2009	Dr. Katey Walter
2007-08	Dr. Heidi Cullen
2006	Dr. Camille Parmesan
2005	Robert Corell, Ph.D
2004	Paul A. Johnsgard, Ph.D.
2003	Gordon H. Orians, Ph.D.
2002	Dr. Stephen Schneider and Dr. Terry Root
2001	Dr. Michael Soule
2000	Orie L. Loucks, Ph.D.
1999	Dr. Norman Myers
1998	Dr. L. David Mech
1997	Dr. JoAnn Burkholder
1996	Dr. Thomas Eisner
1995	Linda Birnbaum
	Norris Dodd
	Judy Pratt-Shelley
1994	Dr. F. Herbert Bormann
1993	Theodora Colborn
1992	Herbert Needleman
1991	E.O. Wilson
1990	Robert D. Bullard
	Jack Ward Thomas

1989	James Hansen
1988	Peter H. Raven
1987	F. Sherwood Rowland
1986	Earnest F. Gloyna
1985	Gilbert White
1984	George Schaller
1983	Durward Allen

YOUTH

2010-11	Grace Breitenbeck Wetlands Education Team
2009	Taylor Francis
2007-08	Carlos Morenos
2006	Colby Davidson
2005	Welland Burnside
2004	Alexis Kuiper
2003	Shelley Cheung
2002	Nicole Halpin
2001	Angela and Lauren Strong
2000	Danae Drashner
1999	United Anglers of Casa Grande High School
1998	Ney Frog Project Students
1997	La'Moyne Williams
1996	<i>None</i>
1994	The Dolphin Defenders
1993	Brenda Lee Haylett
1992	Zoe Adams Ferguson

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT

2012	Jack Spadaro Don Baugh Dwayne Rambo
2010-11	Annie Leonard Jim Range Chris Madson
2009	Cheryl "Charlee" Lockwood Tony Dean Ian Stirling Richard Watkins Nicholas Kristof

2007-08	Doris Morris Elon Musk
2006	Rev. Richard Cizik Steve Curwood Laurie David Edward Mazria Black Bear Conservation Committee Colby Davidson
2005	Leo and Kay Drey Elizabeth Williams & Tom Thorne R. King Milling Inter Tribal Bison Cooperative
2004	George H. Balazs Joseph and James Bruchac Everett “Brownie” Carson Calvin B. DeWitt, Ph.D.
2003	Suzanne Hawes Don Henley Galen Rowell C. Thomas Wyche
2002	Eagle Corps Gwich’in Steering Committee Maggy Hurchalla Operation Migration
2001	Franklin Adams John J. Cavanaugh Ned Fritz
2000	Nez Perce Tribe Shirley Reynolds Kevin Lyons
1999	Bette Midler
1998	Earth Ministry
1997	David Bamberger Lorrie Otto Alden Lind
1996	Arthur Bonner and Dr. Rudi Mattoni (co-winners)

	Elizabeth Titus Putnam Senator Thad Cochran
1995	PEER (Public Employees for Environmental Responsibility) Chandler S. Robbins Patrick M. Rose Jeff Van Ee
1994	Dr. Gary Pearson
1993	<i>Earth in the Balance</i> by Al Gore Joe Henry
1992	Atlantic Salmon Federation Neil Compton Marian Wright Edelman Wanga Mumba Terry Tempest Williams
1991	Lou Gold Amory Lovins Dave Willis Robert Bateman Norma Kassi Hugh H. Iltis Ray Mabus, Jr.
1990	1988/89 Fourth Grade Class, Vandenboom Elementary School, Marquette, Michigan Denis Hayes The Shoshone and Arapaho Tribes, Wind River Reservation, John Washakie and Burton Hutchinson R.E. "Ted" Turner Franklin Research and Development Corp.
1989	John Denver Jim Henson Dennis D. Kelso Platte River Whooping Crane Habitat Maintenance Trust, Inc. William K. Reilly Rodale Press and Rodale Institute Monte Ellison Seehorn Carl R. Sullivan
1988	ABC News Robert M. Brister Michael R. Deland

	Frank J. Ehret, Jr. Headquarters, Fort Carson and Fourth Infantry (Mechanized) John McPhee TIME Magazine Francisco "Chico" Mendes Alvaro Umana Quesada
1987	Cheng Tso-hsin Marion Clawson Trudy D. Farrand Ila M. Loetscher Rudolph E. Mancke John L. Strohm
1986	H. Albert Hochbaum Celia Hunter
1985	Elliott Barker Marjory Stoneman Douglas Maurice K. Goddard Ken McLeod Mardy Murie
1984	Chesapeake Bay Foundation Louis Fernandez National Geographic Society Merrill Petoskey Tracks Magazine Reuben Trippensee John Turner
1983	Ansel Adams Robert Northshield
1982	Bruce Babbit J.A. Brownridge Joseph J. Hickey Robert L. Morris Pennzoil Company Remington Farms John W. Vogt Henry Waxman John G. Wellman
1981	Lester R. Brown Kenneth A. Brynaert Louis S. Clapper

	Garry B. Trudeau The World Bank
1980	Richard W. Riley Southern California Edison Company Robert T. Stafford Lucille F. Stickel Keith Wright
1979	J. Clark Akers Norman A. Berg The Conservation Law Foundation of New England, Inc. Lynn Ludlow George Reiger
1978	Luther J. Carter Florida Wildlife Federation High Country News William G. Milliken Ted S. Petit South Carolina Wildlife Magazine Elvis J. Stahr Jane Hurt Yarn
1977	Steve Gallizioli Seth Gordon Henry Herrmann John E. Murphy Laurence Pringle
1976	Barbara Blum Lewis E. Carpenter Henry E. Clepper William J. Hargis, Jr.
1975	Carl N. Crouse Joseph M. Long Arthur R. Marshall Lily Peter Richard H. Stroud
1974	E. Budd Marter III Roger Tory Peterson *1987 <i>Ding Darling</i> Mrs. Lewis E. Smoot
1973	John S. Gottschalk

1972	Ralph A. Macmullan (posthumous)
1971	<i>None</i>
1970	<i>None</i>
1969	Joseph W. Penfold
1968	George A. Slke
1967	<i>None</i>
1966	<i>None</i>
1965	Nelson A. Rockefeller

* 1995 Awards were given in special categories to public employees.