

## 2024 GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATORS PREPARATION OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



The Wildlife Society is an international, non-profit scientific and educational organization serving professionals in all areas of wildlife conservation and resource management. The society seeks to enhance scientific, technical, managerial, and educational capabilities and achievements of wildlife professionals in conserving diversity, sustaining productivity, and ensuring the wise use of wildlife resources for the benefit of society.

South Dakota Chapter of the Wildlife Society is offering one (1) Master of Science scholarship in the amount of \$400.00 for the 2023-2024 academic year.

- 1. This scholarship is available to candidates currently enrolled at a South Dakota College or University, majoring in a biological or allied discipline with a research or scholastic emphasis focused on, or related to, research or management of wildlife or its habitats.
  - a.) M.S. scholarship candidates must have been enrolled in an accredited program and be in good academic standing with their respective university for at least one year prior to being eligible for nomination.
- 2. All scholarship nomination forms must be completed in entirety and signed by the nominator in order to be considered.
- 3. Completed forms should be mailed to:

SDTWS Scholarship Committee c/o Nathan Baker SD Game, Fish, and Parks 20641 SD HWY 1806 Fort Pierre, SD 57501

The nominations can also be emailed to Nathan Baker at <u>Nathan.Baker@state.sd.us</u>. If you have any questions please call (605) 223-7709.

4. The South Dakota Chapter of the Wildlife Society Scholarship Selection Committee must receive all nomination forms on or before **January 31, 2024**. Unfortunately, nominations received after that date will not be considered.