

ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

EC-1 CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES

Best in Group: Certificate of Merit + \$100 sponsored by National Capital Area Garden Clubs, Inc.

Given to those conservation activities deemed overall excellent and well-balanced. Includes activities such as conservation education, legislative activities, conservation field projects, natural resource development such as watershed, erosion control, reforestation, wildlife refuge, etc.

1. Garden Club:
 Small
 Medium
 Large
2. Group of Clubs, Council, District
3. State Garden Club:
 Small
 Medium
 Large
4. Individual club member

EC-2 CONSERVATION EDUCATION

Best in Group: Certificate of Merit + \$100 sponsored by The Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland, Inc.

Given for the most comprehensive work and/or study in conservation education.

1. Garden Club (NGC or IA):
 Small
 Medium
 Large
2. Group of Clubs, Council, District
(NGC or IA)
3. State Garden Club:
 Small
 Medium
 Large
4. Individual club member (NGC
or IA)

EC-3 WILDLIFE SURVIVAL

Best in Group: Certificate of Merit + \$100 sponsored by Kent Garden Club, Grand Rapids, MI

Given for the most comprehensive and effective project for pollinator, bird, or wildlife protection and welfare. This may include habitats or gardens specific to the natural population being supported, sanctuaries, migratory routes, public education project or program, legal and legislative activities, or other.

1. Garden Club:
 - Small
 - Medium
 - Large
2. Group of Clubs, Council, District
3. State Garden Club:
 - Small
 - Medium
 - Large

Please refer to the **Specific Scoring Rubric for EC 3.**