

## U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

# Federal Duck Stamp

## *Your Quack Back Rewards Card*

### What is the Duck Stamp?

The Federal Duck Stamp is one of the most effective ways of conserving wildlife. Each stamp currently costs \$25, with 98% of the funds going towards purchasing land and easements. Much of the land conserved by Duck Stamp dollars is open to the public. Despite its name, this stamp is not used for postage, but for conservation.

### Who can buy a Duck Stamp?

You do not have to be a waterfowl hunter to purchase one. If you enjoy hunting, fishing, hiking, bird-watching, nature photography, clean air and clean water; please consider buying at least one Duck Stamp every year. There is no limit to the number of stamps you can buy.

### Where to buy the Duck Stamp?

Your local U.S. Post Office often carries the Duck Stamp. Anywhere hunting licenses are sold, such as at sporting good stores, also carry the Duck Stamp. When buying your deer or small game license, ask to add the Federal Duck Stamp. Another option is to order online at:



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**<https://www.fws.gov/birds/get-involved/duck-stamp.php>**

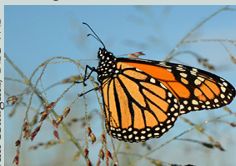


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*Red-headed woodpecker at Malan Waterfowl Production Area in Michigan, a site conserved with Duck Stamp dollars.*

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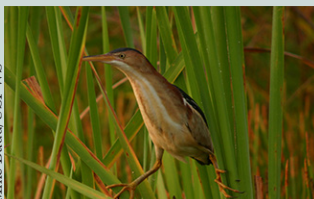


*Monarch butterfly at Malan Waterfowl Production Area in Michigan, a site conserved with Duck Stamp dollars.*

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## **Ducks are just the beginning!**

The habitat conserved through the purchase of Duck Stamps benefits a wide range of species that goes beyond waterfowl. Migratory songbirds, shorebirds, deer, turkey, northern bobwhite, frogs, turtles and fish all benefit from the Duck Stamp. The more stamps sold, the bigger the impact for wildlife. Additionally, the habitat conserved provides places to hunt, bird-watch, hike and enjoy the outdoors. These are activities that benefit local economies. Wetlands help filter pollutants, recharge our groundwater supplies, and ease the danger of flooding - something we all need.