

**Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
Natural Resources Board Agenda Item**

**SUBJECT:** Donation acceptance – The Natural Resources Foundation

The Natural Resources Foundation will donate \$17,000. This donation will be used to support the 2014 Citizen Science in the Classroom Workshop.

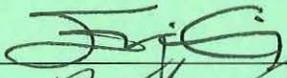
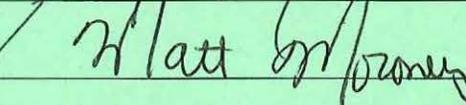
**FOR:** February 2014 Board meeting

**TO BE PRESENTED BY:** Secretary Stepp

**SUMMARY:**

The Bureau of Natural Heritage Conservation will use this donation to support the 2014 Citizen Science in the Classroom Workshop. This workshop will allow educators to learn how to engage students in authentic scientific research and address standards through the implementation of Citizen Science projects as a model of scientific practice.

**RECOMMENDATION:** That the Board accept the generous donation of \$17,000 from The Natural Resources Foundation

Approved by	Signature	Date
Erin Crain, Bureau Director		1/9/14
Kurt Thiede, Administrator		1/12/14
Cathy Stepp, Secretary		1/28/14

cc: Board Liaison - AD/8  
Department rule coordinator - LS/8

# **Acknowledgment of Gift**

This is to certify that at its February 2014 meeting, the Natural Resources Board gratefully accepted a gift of \$17,000 from:

## **The Natural Resources Foundation**

This donation will be used to support the 2014 Citizen Science in the Classroom Workshop.

Our expression of appreciation on behalf of Wisconsin's citizens is hereby recorded in the official records of the Natural Resources Board. We acknowledge this generous contribution.

Natural Resources Board

Preston D. Cole, Chair