



**Official Nomination Form  
2026 Kansas Ornithological Society  
Avian Conservationist of the Year**

The Kansas Ornithological Society's Avian Conservationist of the Year Award is given to an individual for making significant contributions to bird conservation and/or education. Nominations should be made for outstanding work in bird conservation, through the management or preservation of habitats, education or research. A nominee may be any professional, volunteer, educator or other person that has accomplished significant contributions in any of the areas listed. The nominee does not have to be a member of KOS, but the nominator must be a current member of KOS. The accomplishment should reflect a long-time commitment to bird conservation, research and/or education within the State of Kansas. This award will be presented during the fall annual meeting. More information can be found at: <https://www.ksbirds.org/kos/AvianConservationist.html>

**NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL AUGUST 1<sup>ST</sup>.**

**Nomination Form**

To make a nomination, send this form with attachments to:  
Bob Gress, 1409 W 35th N, Wichita KS, 67204 or to [bobgress@cox.net](mailto:bobgress@cox.net)

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Attach a typewritten description of no more than two pages, both sides of paper may be used, giving a detailed account of specific work the nominee has accomplished. Past and current achievements, organization membership or any other information the nominator feels pertinent will be considered.**