



P.O. Box 4310, Whitefish, Montana 59937

The Jack Potter Glacier National Park Stewardship Award

Award Purpose: *The Jack Potter Glacier National Park Stewardship Award is given to an individual or non-governmental organization who demonstrates courageous and above average commitment to the stewardship and protection of the natural resources of Glacier National Park.*

Award Inscription: *The Jack Potter Glacier National Park Stewardship Award is presented to [name] in recognition of your exceptional service to the protection and enhancement of Glacier National Park's natural resource such that they remain "unimpaired for future generations". Your [short description of action/activity] has helped perpetuate a culture of conservation and deep appreciation for Glacier National Park.*

Criteria: Candidates for this award may fulfill the requirement for this award based on (but not limited to) the following kinds of activities: *Specific project initiative; Research; Advocacy; Whistle Blowing; Resolution of conflicting uses; Protection of park resources from private personal gain; Citizen involvement; Volunteerism; and Wise or courageous decision-making.*

Eligibility: This award may be made to employees of Glacier National Park, the National Park Service outside of Glacier, researcher, volunteer, or non-governmental organization. *Headwaters Montana* thinks that this broader pool of potential nominees will ensure proper recognition of outstanding service across the population of individuals striving to protect and enhance Glacier National Park.

Nominations Process: *Headwaters Montana* will accept nominations from any individual or group willing to offer such nomination. Please provide a completed nominations form (attached here) via email to info@headwatersmontana.org or by US Mail to: PO Box 4301, Whitefish, MT 59937.

Nominations Closing Date: September 30 of each year.

Decision Making Process: The Jack Potter Glacier National Park Stewardship Award will be determined by the board of directors of *Headwaters Montana* with the advice of its Award Committee, to be appointed annually. The award may not be made in years where the quality of nominations falls short of the essential criteria of 'above and beyond' the call of service.

Award Amount: This award is a cash award with certificate. The amount of the award will be determined by the board of directors of *Headwaters Montana*.

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