



## **World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) Small Grant 2024 Application Form**

**WMBD Small Grant 2024 for East Asian–Australasian Flyway**

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## About World Migratory Bird Day 2024

World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) is an annual awareness-raising campaign highlighting the need for the conservation of migratory birds and their habitats. It has a global outreach and is an effective tool to help raise global awareness of the threats faced by migratory birds, their ecological importance, and the need for international cooperation to conserve them. In 2018, WMBD unified the planet's major migratory bird corridors, or flyways: the African–Eurasian flyway, the East Asian–Australasian flyway, and the Americas flyways. **WMBD is now celebrated twice a year, on the Second Saturday in May and in October. In 2024, WMBD will be held on 11 May and 12 October. This year, the theme is “Protect Insects, Protect Birds”.** The EAAFP Secretariat encourages Partners to celebrate WMBD twice a year.

## Introduction of EAAFP WMBD 2024 Small Grant

The Small Grant for 2024 [World Migratory Bird Day](#) (WMBD) has been established to provide financial support to [EAAFP Partners](#), and [Task Forces](#) and [Working Groups](#) who plan to organize **public events and/or conservation action-oriented workshops** at national or local levels through participating in World Migratory Bird Day. We strongly encourage EAAFP Partners and collaborators to make an application for any suitable event or development of WMBD materials in the local language that aims to raise awareness of the need for conserving migratory waterbirds and the value of their habitats in the East Asian–Australasian Flyway.

## Eligibility Criteria

Applicants who plan to organize an event to celebrate World Migratory Bird Day 2024 need to be **based in EAAFP Partner countries**. In addition, EAAFP Partner countries included in the DAC list of ODA Recipients are our priority to support (If you are not sure, please see the [list of EAAFP Partners](#), and [DAC list of ODA Recipients](#)). If you are not the country focal point of EAAFP, please consult and plan with the EAAFP focal point of your country before you apply.

Please note that this grant is to initiate a WMBD event. You can co-fund the event with other sources, but please indicate this in the budget session. Applications with similar content (location, target participants, etc.) to previous years may not be accepted. We also encourage proposals to promote Flyway Network Sites for the WMBD activities.

### **Information of the application**

Firstly, applicants must meet the eligibility criteria set for funding assistance under the EAAFP WMBD 2024 Small Grants Programme.

For your budget planning, please note a maximum of 1,000 USD will be allocated to each country. We recommend you submit your application as early as possible.

The deadline for application is **21<sup>st</sup> August 2024**. Please submit your application to the Communications Officer via email (Word or PDF document) to [communication@eaaflyway.net](mailto:communication@eaaflyway.net) and [wmbd@eaaflyway.net](mailto:wmbd@eaaflyway.net).

After the Secretariat receives your application, the approval of successful proposals is made by the Secretariat. Applicants will hear the result within two weeks after the deadline. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Successful applicants have the responsibility to help translate the World Migratory Bird Day materials into their own languages. These translations will be shared on the World Migratory Bird Day website (<https://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/>).

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_ 17 August 2024 \_\_\_\_\_

**1. Applicant Contact Information**

	Name of applicant:	Rahmat Hidayat
a.	Name of the organisation:	Wildlife Observer Community
b.	Applicant's position and division in the organisation	Chairman
c.	Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other — specify):	Local Organisation
d.	Email:	Rahmathidayat.1205627@gmail.com
e.	Postal address:	Jalan Banjar Rejo, Kecamatan Jambi Selatan, Jambi city, Jambi province
f.	Office phone numbers:	-
g.	Applicant's mobile number:	+6281268140148
h.	Website of organisation:	-
i.	Additional contact person	Arbi Wiguna ( +6281270014091 )

Please check if you permit to reveal your personal contact information on EAAFP website.

**1.1 Supporter Information**

	Name of supporter:	-
a.	Name of the organisation:	-
b.	Supporter's position and division in the organisation	-
c.	Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other — specify):	-
d.	Email:	-
e.	Postal address:	-
f.	Office phone numbers:	-
g.	Supporter's mobile number:	-
h.	Website of organisation:	-
i.	Additional contact person	-

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**2. Proposed Event Plan and Expected Outcome (Please check the relevant categories of your proposed event)**

Public awareness activity — local and/or national	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Birdwatching — field trip	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Monitoring/survey — field trip	<input type="checkbox"/>

Educational activity/lecture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Festival	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media Event	<input type="checkbox"/>
Movie/video	<input type="checkbox"/>
Others – specify	<input type="checkbox"/>

### 2.1 Please specify your proposed event plan and expected outcomes

Title of event:	World Migratory Bird Day 2024: Promoting the Important to Protect Insects and Migratory Birds Species in Kota Harapan Village, Jambi, Indonesia
Date of event:	14-16 October 2024
Organisers:	Wildlife Observer Community
Target participants:	Local farmers, students, teachers, youth
Expected number of participants:	70 persons

*Event objectives and plan (max. 500 words):*

Wildlife Observer Community (WOC) has been celebrating World Migratory Bird Day in Sumatra since 2021 with community awareness activities to protect migratory birds and their habitats. This year WOC will again celebrate World Migratory Bird Day 2024 with the theme "Protect Insects, Protect Birds". The event will be held in Kota Harapan village, Tanjung Jabung Timur regency, Jambi province, Indonesia.

Kota Harapan village in Jambi coastline is considered an Important Bird Area (IBA) by BirdLife International. Kota Harapan village is home to a diverse array of wild pollinators, including insects and migratory bird species. These pollinators are essential to the health and productivity of this unique ecosystems, as they are responsible for the pollination of a wide variety of plant species thus help in sustaining local biodiversity. However, due to factors such as deforestation and agricultural activities particularly the use of synthetic pesticides, many of these wild pollinators are at risk of local extinction.

Therefore, this event aims at raising public awareness and providing conservation education on the importance of conserving insects and migratory birds species in the Kota Harapan village . WOC will celebrate World Migratory Bird Day 2024 with activities such as :

#### 1. Educational and awareness campaign

It is important to sensitise local peoples, especially farmers around the agricultural and mudflat lands in Kota Harapan village on the benefits of conserving wild pollinators such as insects and migratory birds species in order to ensure its continued health and productivity. This can be achieved through initiatives such as educational and awareness campaigns to conserve and protect pollinators from local extinction. We will organize an educational and awareness-raising campaign about the beneficial of insect and migratory birds species among the local peoples, especially farmers and school-going children in the nearest area to promoting sustainable agricultural practices and the conservation of insect and migratory birds in order to ensure the long-term survival of these beneficial species and the health and productivity of the entire ecosystem. Local peoples will get knowledge and will play important role to protect insect and migratory birds in their area.

**2. Workshop and Training about beneficial insects and migratory birds**

We will held a workshop about the important to protect insect and migratory birds and migratory birds identification training with local peoples in agricultural lands and mudflat in Kota Harapan village. It is hope local people will as one in front of warriors to protect insect and migratory birds conservation in this area.

**3. School educational activity**

For our school educational outreach efforts, we will visit schools at nearest area in Kota Harapan village, create and distribute informative materials aimed at raising awareness about the importance of insects and migratory birds species to local students. A discussion session about identifying migratory birds, their migration route and importance of conserving insects and migratory birds species for migratory birds will be organized in a local school with the engagement of students and teachers.

**Expected Outcome :**

1. Local farmers from Kota Harapan Village have a better knowledge of the important role of insects in agricultural and mudflat ecosystems and as a food source for birds
2. Increase public awareness to protect insects and migratory birds species and and local peoples get knowledge about beneficial of insects and migratory birds species in their village.
3. Local people , Farmer, and Local students can become environment warrior to take real action to protect insects and migratory birds species also protecting the ecosystem in Kota Harapan village.

**3. Proposed Event Budget Plan**

Please specify budget plan of your proposed event

Total: \_\_\_\_\_1000\_\_\_\_\_ USD

*Please note that ideal budget scale is approximately 1,000 USD to each country*

**Budget breakdown:**

Permits activity	30 USD
Transportation	290 USD
Birdwatching guide	50 USD
Consumption during activity	250 USD
Event uniform	70 USD

Banners event	50 USD
Migratory bird sticker	100 USD
Internet	60 USD
Souvenirs	100 USD
<b>Total</b>	<b>1000 USD</b>

#### 4. Can you support translating the WMBD materials into your language?

Yes  No

With the support from EAAFP World Migratory Bird Day Small Grant Fund, you need to:

- Register your event(s) at the following websites as well for regional and global statistics of WMBD participation. It won't take you long to fill in the form as it is a simple process. Registration of your event(s) at Global WMBD website (<http://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/register-your-event>)
- **Logos of WMBD and EAAFP have to be shown on all your printed and digital promotional materials.**
- **Reporting:** After any of your WMBD materials are published and your awareness event is held, it is required to provide an event report (see ANNEX I). The Report should include copies of any materials produced under the project. Published materials should be submitted with the report in both hard and electronic copy with suitable photographs illustrating the activities undertaken.

#### Important notes:

Report deadline:	<b>No later than 28<sup>th</sup> October 2024 or within two weeks after the event(s).</b>
Required information:	Name of organiser(s), target participants, programme, outcome summary and finance supporting documents
Submit to:	EAAFP Secretariat via email (Word or PDF document) at <a href="mailto:wmbd@eaaflyway.net">wmbd@eaaflyway.net</a> and <a href="mailto:communication@eaaflyway.net">communication@eaaflyway.net</a>

## ANNEX 1

### Standard Format for the World Migratory Bird Day Final Report Template

#### Section 1. EVENT INFORMATION (Compulsory)

1.1 Contact Information — Provide your contact information for this report.

Full name:	
Name of the organisation:	
Name(s) of the division and/or position:	
Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other:	
Email:	
Postal address:	
Office phone numbers:	
(Your) Cell number (optional):	
Fax (optional):	
Website (optional):	
Additional contact person (optional):	
Date of submission:	

Please check if you permit to reveal your personal contact information on EAAFP website.

1.2 Event Title

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1.3 Event Location — Where did your event take place?

Name of country:	
Name of city:	
Name of event place/venue:	

1.4 Event Type — Check the relevant categories below.

Public awareness activity — local and/or national:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Field trip (e.g. Birdwatching):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monitoring/survey:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Educational activity/lecture:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Festival:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media event (e.g., press release):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Movie/video:	<input type="checkbox"/>

Others — specify:

1.5 Event Organiser — Who were organiser and/or sponsor for your event?

1.6 Target Audience — Who were the participants for your event (**Compulsory**)?

Target Audience Types	Number Participated
School students, teachers or parents	
University students	
Researchers, scientist	
Birdwatchers	
Site managers for flyway site and wetlands	
Decision or policy makers	
Media	
Others — specify	
<b>Total number of participants</b>	

1.7 Outcome — What is the outcome from your event?

1.8 Any additional comments? (Optional)

**Section 2. EVENT PROGRAMME (Compulsory)**

Provide your event agenda, programme or discussion paper in details here. If your event was recorded or held online, please share the links.

**Section 3. SHORT SUMMARY REPORT (Compulsory)**

Provide a short article about your WMBD event or activity you arranged to celebrate WMBD. The following information (venue, organiser, number and type of participants, outcome) should be included in your article. (Minimum 400 words)

**Section 4. EXPENDITURE REPORT (Compulsory)**

Expense items	USD
e.g. venue	
e.g. transportation	
e.g. birdwatching guide (amount x no. of guides)	
Others — specify	
Funding from other sources	
<b>Total</b>	

\*Please keep the receipt in case auditing is needed.

**Section 5. PHOTO, VIDEO & MATERIALS (Compulsory):**

Name of Photo/Video	e.g. photo 1 or video 1
Photo/Video	Please insert a photo here
Credit Info	Please provide credit information for this photo/video
Link	Please provide a link of this photo/video (e.g. FB posting or Flickr link)

Note:

- Email us the electronic file (JPEG or PDF) of your language version of the WMBD poster for publication on the EAAFP website.
- Post the printed poster to the EAAFP Secretariat if you can and have one available.
- Take plenty of photos of events or activities featuring the WMBD poster and send us these photos in .jpg or .png format; and videos if you have any.
- The logos of WMBD and EAAFP must be displayed on all your printed and digital promotional materials.