

Accession # 2017-1

Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers

Series 1 and 2 FINDING AID

Biographical Information about Creator of Collection:

According to the website, "Friends of Noxubee Refuge was founded in 2003 as an independent, nonprofit 501(c)3 organization, dedicated to conserving our natural resources through volunteer work and fund raising. Friends promote and support the preservation, history, and use of the Noxubee Refuge, as well as assist Refuge staff in carrying out their mandates."

Collection Processor and Creator of Finding Aid: Perian Kerr

Provenance: Sometime around 2017 this collection was brought to the Starkville Public Library in two boxes, which we refolded and transferred to two banker's box sized archival boxes. Later more boxes of papers and some more textiles were added. In July 2023, the local history librarian reorganized the whole collection, relabeling file folders, separating minutes and treasury reports from other papers, adding a 4th box for non- FONR materials from the National Friends of Wildlife Refuges, and adding another series for textiles.

Extent: This collection is presently contained in 3 archival boxes the size of banker's boxes. This collection is of a changing nature, since periodically the organization sends more papers to be added to the collection.

Scope: Friends of Noxubee Refuge papers and textiles.

Arrangement:

Series 1: PAPERS

Box 1: Subject Files A-Z

Box 2: Media, FONR Organization Files, Papers not minutes, FONR Newsletters

Box 3: Minutes/Treasury reports files 2003-2020

Box 4: National Friends of Wildlife Refuges organizational and funding guidelines, samples of other states Friends of Wildlife Refuges.

Series 2: TEXTILES

Box 1: Friends of Noxubee Refuge Cap; and Bill Hayden's Friend of Noxubee Refuge Volunteer T-shirt (stained in bottom part), name tag, pin, and entrance pass

Box 2: 3 vests for Volunteers at US. Fish & Wildlife Service: Size Medium: 1; Size XL: 2

Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers			
Series 1: Papers : Boxes 1 through 4 Contents			
Folder or Item List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
Artist In Residence	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Barn Quilts	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Bat Conservation Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Bird Sanctuary, Margaret Copeland's plans	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Correspondence	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Craig Pond Trail Dedication	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Douglas Bluff Trail (booklet written by Starkville High School students) 2 copies	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Dr. Ray Watson Trail	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Eagle Nest Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1

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Fishing Derby	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Interview Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Junior Refuge Manager Activity Book	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Lamar Advertising	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Landscape Plants, Selecting	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Larry Box Environmental Education Center	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Mississippi Wildlife Federation Banquet and Award	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Morgan Hill Prairie Demonstration Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Morgan Hill Prairie Demonstration Project --Grant Papers --Not funded in 2004	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Native Plants: Selecting Trees, Shrubs, and other landscape plants	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1

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News Clippings	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Noxubee National Wildlife Refuge	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Noxubee Native Plant Garden	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Noxubee Nature Store	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Noxubee News 2003/4-2013	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Noxubee Refuge Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Oral History Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Parliamentary Procedure Presentation for 4 H	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Photography Contest/Workshop	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Publicity 2005 - 2010	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1

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Publicity 2011 - 2014	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Renaming Ceremony, Sam D. Hamilton NWR	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Rookery Camera Project	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Sam D. Hamilton, Friends of Noxubee Refuge, Graduate Conservation Scholarship	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Saturdays at the Refuge	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Scholarships	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Sculpture	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
U.S. Fish Wildlife Service	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Visitor Center, Opening and Closing	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Visitor Center Volunteers	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1

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Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Volunteer Handbook (2 copies)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Volunteer Projects for Students & Members -- Ideas for GrantsQW2	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Volunteer Survey FONR Projects	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Volunteer Time Log	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Watson Trail See Dr. Ray Watson Trail	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Website	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Webster, Sheldon Burton	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Wildlife Refuge Friends Organizations, Building Sustainable	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Wildlife Refuge Friends Organizations, Fund Raising for Projects	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1

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Wilson Conservation Trust & Camp	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 1: Subject Files A - Z	1	1
Media (CD's and DVD's)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR By - Laws	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR EIN, (Employer Identification Number)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Business Card	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Committees	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Mission Statement	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Organization History	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2

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General Interest	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Grants and Other Projects, Past and Future	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Grant Proposals NFWF 2004 (See also Box 1 Morgan Hill Prairie Demonstration Project Grant Papers and Rookery Camera Project)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
IRS Form 1023	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Media Addresses for FONR Publicity	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Membership	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Memorandum of Understanding, (MOU), EZ	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Memorandum of Understanding, folder 2	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2

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Memorials	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Miss. Sec. of State approved of Incorporation of FONR	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2003 Papers (not minutes)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2005 Papers (not minutes) Jan - Mar	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2005 Papers (not minutes) Apr - Dec	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2014 Papers (not minutes)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2015 Papers (not minutes) Folder 1	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2015 Papers (not minutes) Folder 2	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2

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2017 Papers (not minutes)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
2018 Papers (not minutes)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Newsletter: Noxubee Notes 2003- 2011 (Fred Blocker's notebook)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Newsletter: Noxubee Notes (Apr. 2004 - Sept. 2010)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Newsletter: Noxubee Notes Newsletters Jan. 2011 - June 2016	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Collection Series 1: Papers Box 2: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
FONR Newsletter 2018-2019	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Media, Organizational Files, Papers (not Minutes), FONR Newsletters	1	2
Minutes 2003	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2004 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2004 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3

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Minutes 2005	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2006	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2007	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2008 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2008 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2009	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2010 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2010 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2011 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2011 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3

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Minutes 2012 - 2014 Notebook (handwritten)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2012 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2012 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2013 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2013 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2014 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2014 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2015 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2015 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2016 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3

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Minutes 2016 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2017 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2017 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2018 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2018 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2019 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2019 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2020 (Jan - June)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
Minutes 2020 (July - Dec)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 3: Minutes Files w/ Treasury Reports	1	3
National and Other States Wildlife Refuge Friends Organizations, Policies	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 4: National Wildlife Friends Organizations, Guidance Materials for local organizations	1	4

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National Wildlife Refuge Friends Organizations, Creating Sustainable	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 4: National Wildlife Friends Organizations, Guidance Materials for local organizations	1	4
National Wildlife Refuge Friends Organizations, Fund Raising for	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 4: National Wildlife Friends Organizations, Guidance Materials for local organizations	1	4
National Wildlife Refuge Association, Friends in Action Conference U.S.Fish & Wildlife Service <u>(3-ring binder)</u>	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 1: Papers Box 4: National Wildlife Friends Organizations, Guidance Materials for local organizations	1	4
Series 2: Textiles : Boxes 1 through 2 Contents			
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Cap with FONR logo	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 2: Textiles Box 1: FONR cap and Bill Hayden's Noxubee Refuge Volunteer t-shirt,name tag, annual entrance pass	2	1
Friends of Noxubee Refuge Volunteer T-Shirt, Entrance Pass, Bill Hayden's Name tag and pin	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 2: Box 1: Textiles FONR cap and Bill Hayden's Noxubee Refuge Volunteer t-shirt,name tag, annual entrance pass	2	1
Volunteer U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service Vests, navy blue : 1 medium	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 2: Textiles Box 2: 3 Volunteer U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service Vests	2	2

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Volunteer U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service Vests, navy blue: 2 extra large, both with pin <i>National Wildlife Refuge System 1903-2003</i> , 1 with no top button; The other has two additional pins: <i>America's National Wildlife Refuges 1903-2003</i> and <i>Wilderness 50 years 1964-2914 Yours to Enjoy to Protect</i>)	Friends of Noxubee Refuge (FONR) Papers: Series 2: Textiles Box 2: 3 Volunteer U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service Vests	2	2