

The categories are defined as:

- Landscape is defined as a scenic view or overview of a particular region or land, showing an area's terrain and/or diversity in ecosystem(s) It may include landmarks and geological highlights, as well as land, sky, and bodies of water. While it may include wildlife and people, emphasis should be on the habitat or terrain.
- Flora and Fauna are defined as non-artificial plants, plant life, animals or part thereof. Preference will be given to native Ohio plants and wildflowers. Remember to leave no trace by not picking or damaging wild plants. This is strictly prohibited. Remember, if you are photographing wildlife practice safety and leave plenty of room between you and the animal.
- **Wildcard** is defined as a photo that does not specifically fit into any one category. Have fun with this category!
- **People in nature**: We love seeing hikers, walkers, and all kinds of people in the Hocking Hills region! We will provide photo release forms for photos that include people who can be easily identified. The form MUST be submitted. If the form is not submitted with the photo it will be immediately disgualified.

Photos may be taken in Hocking, Athens, Perry, Vinton, and Fairfield counties.

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