

# Rhode Island Wild Plant Society

## Press Release

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### **RHODE ISLAND WILD PLANT SOCIETY OFFERING GRANT**

***Deadline February 29, 2012***

The Rhode Island Wild Plant Society is offering a grant to aid individuals in the study of wild plants and their habitats. To qualify you must be an educator, a member of a Rhode Island botanical or environmental association or a student in a field related to botany or environmental studies.

The grant is for up to \$1,000 and includes a one year membership to RIWPS. The project goal must involve environmental activities or research in any area of study related to wild plants and/or their habitats. These activities may involve such things as installation of gardens, invasive removal, or support for extracurricular activities. It can also be used for project materials, to create workshops or courses with a community outreach component. The award is open to Rhode Island residents or non-residents at a Rhode Island educational institution.

For additional information, specific grant requirements, eligibility guidelines and applications, call the RI Wild Plant Society at (401) 789-7497 (voicemail) or email [office@riwps.org](mailto:office@riwps.org). You can also download the information from the website, [www.RIWPS.org](http://www.RIWPS.org).

Applications must be received by February 29, 2012

*Send to: RIWPS, P.O. Box 888, North Kingstown, RI 02852*

*Or*

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*The Rhode Island Wild Plant Society is a non-profit conservation organization dedicated to the preservation and protection of Rhode Island's native plants and their habitats.*