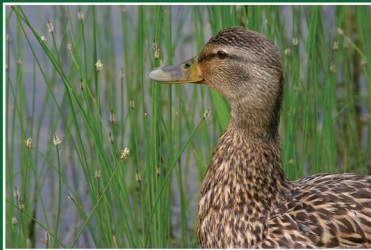


# 2010 INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF BIODIVERSITY

## Sign this Personal Pledge & Call to Action Today!



### PERSONAL PLEDGE

I PLEDGE TO CELEBRATE BIODIVERSITY ON EARTH BY COMMITTING TO:

- Do my part to use nature's resources wisely and conserve energy at home and work.
- Support native birds and butterflies by planting gardens and placing feeders around my home.
- Learn ten new things about nature in my region, and share what I know with ten other people.
- Read at least one book or watch one movie this year about biodiversity, nature, or the environment.
- Participate in at least one outdoor expedition, such as a bird watching trip, to connect with nature.

### CALL TO ACTION

TO ENSURE BIODIVERSITY ON EARTH IS PROTECTED, I CALL ON THE GOVERNMENT TO:

- Protect at least 50 per cent of Canada's Boreal Forest.
- Protect Canada's endangered wildlife by effectively implementing the Species at Risk Act.
- Save one of Canada's greatest grasslands treasures and the wildlife that live there. Close the door on further industrial development within Alberta's Suffield National Wildlife Area.
- Declare a moratorium on new tar sands expansion until environmental and human health issues have been fully addressed.
- Commit to environmentally sustainable development in Canada's North. Demand that the Mackenzie Gas Project proceed only if it does not negatively impact the region's people and wildlife.

**ADD YOUR NAME TO NATURE CANADA'S CALL TO ACTION AND SEND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT A MESSAGE: BIODIVERSITY IS LIFE. BIODIVERSITY IS OUR LIFE.**

