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Order the 2017 Illinois Conservation Foundation Wall Calendar Now

SPRINGFIELD, IL – The Illinois Conservation Foundation will once again be producing their annual calendar. Advance sales are under way for the 2017 ICF Wall Calendar available for shipment in October. These popular calendars include Illinois Department of Natural Resources hunting, trapping and fishing season information, and events celebrating Illinois' great outdoors. Proceeds from the sale of the calendar support the Foundation's youth conservation education programs in Illinois.

"The ICF calendar is a handy reference, and looks great with amazing photography highlighting the beauty of the outdoors in Illinois," said Eric Schmidt, Illinois Conservation Foundation Executive Director. "Those who purchase the calendar also know they're helping the cause of getting youth outdoors."

"The Illinois Conservation Foundation has a focus on youth outreach programs, with the ICF Torstenson Youth Conservation Education Center, along with a mobile education station that allows our staff to take programs on the road," said Wayne Rosenthal, Chairman of the ICF Board and Director of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. "Proceeds from the sale of the ICF calendar help make these worthwhile programs possible."

Supplies of this calendar are limited, so order calendars today for shipment in October. The calendar is the perfect holiday gift for your outdoor friends and family, so order a supply and check a number of people off your gift-giving list early this year.

The 9-inch x 12-inch calendar contains photography of Illinois, and can be purchased for \$15. Credit card orders can be placed at the secure Illinois Conservation Foundation website www.ilcf.org or by phone at (217) 785-2003. Checks and money orders can be mailed to Illinois Conservation Foundation, ATTN Wall Calendar, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield, IL 62702-1271.

ICF is a multi-faceted 501(c) (3) organization working since 1994 on projects to preserve, protect and manage Illinois' natural resources. Your purchase of a 2017 Illinois Conservation Foundation wall calendar will help further ICF's efforts to connect youth with nature by "Turning Screen Time into Green Time."

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