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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of World Land Trust - US Washington, DC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of World Land Trust - US (a nonprofit organization) as of December 31, 2011, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the World Land Trust - US's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of World Land Trust – US as of December 31, 2011, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Kronzek, Fisher & LOPEZ, PLLC KRONZEK, FISHER & LOPEZ, PLLC

Certified Public Accountants

Washington, DC July 17, 2012

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

# DECEMBER 31, 2011

# **ASSETS**

CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$	914,497
Prepaid expense	<b>.</b>	1,380
		915,877
FIXED ACCETO		
FIXED ASSETS Equipment		1,964
Accumulated depreciation		1,686
		278
OTHER ACCETS		
OTHER ASSETS Security deposit		1,300
Coounty deposit	·	1,000
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$</u>	917,455
<u>LIABILITI</u>	ES AND NET ASSETS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable & accrued expenses	\$	7,876
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TOTAL LIABILITIES		7,876
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted		143,757
Temporarily restricted		765,822
		909,579
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	œ	017 /55
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# STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total
REVENUE			
Grants & contributions	\$339,643	\$2,662,971	\$3,002,614
Investment income	3,136	-	3,136
Miscellaneous income	431	_	431
Net engle soll to	343,210	2,662,971	3,006,181
Net assets released from: Satisfaction of program			
restrictions	2,462,611	(2,462,611)	_
Total revenue	2,805,821	200,360	3,006,181
EXPENSES			
Program:			
World Land and Biodiversity Conservation	2,685,328	_	2,685,328
Support:			
General & Administrative	53,272	_	53,272
Fundraising	34,514	-	34,514
Total aumanasa			
Total expenses	2,773,114		2,773,114
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	32,707	200,360	233,067
Beginning net assets	111,050	565,462	676,512
Ending net assets	\$143,757	\$765,822	\$909,579
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## WORLD LAND TRUST - US STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

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Payroll, payroll taxes & benefits Rent & utilities Project grants Consultants	\$	135,425 7,513 2,374,901 124,809	\$ 18,856 1,347 - 11,528	\$	9,299 673 - 7,460	\$ 163,580 9,533 2,374,901 143,797
Professional fees Travel & meals & entertainment Telephone Insurance		28,075 8,687	14,340 - 1,271 1,471		636 -	14,340 28,075 10,594 1,471
Printing & reproduction Postage & delivery Office supplies & expense Website		1,243 1,227 3,448	182 180 505		3,214 818 252 12,102	4,639 2,225 4,205 12,102
Bank & other fees Depreciation Miscellaneous expense	<del>-</del>	- - -	 913 337 2,342		- - 60	 913 337 2,402
Totals	_\$	2,685,328	\$ 53,272	\$	34,514	\$ 2,773,114

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

Cash flows from operating activities:		
Cash received from grants & contributions	9	52,855,649
Cash received from program activities & other income		431
Cash received from interest		2,886
Cash paid to employees & vendors		(2,770,598)
Net cash provided by operating activities		88,368
Cash flows from investing activities		
Sale of donated stocks		148,285
Net cash provided by investing activities		148,285
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		236,653
Cash and cash equivalents - January 1, 2011		677,844
Cash and cash equivalents - December 31, 2011	\$	914,497
Reconciliation of increase in net assets to net		
cash provided by operating activities:		
Change in net assets	\$	233,067
Adjustments to reconcile increase in net assets		
to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation		337
Donated stock		(146,965)
Realized gain/loss on investments		(250)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Increase in prepaid expense		(403)
Increase in security deposit		(1,300)
Increase in accounts payable & accrued expenses	-	3,882
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	88,368

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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#### **NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION**

World Parks Endowment is a nonprofit organization organized in the state of New York on May 19, 1989. During 2006, it adopted the doing-business-as name of World Land Trust – US.

World Land Trust – US was established in order to provide funds for conservation of parks and protected areas around the world that are of international importance for the conservation of biological diversity. Its program emphasizes the conservation of private lands, especially through acquisitions of critical sites for conservation. The organization is exempt from income taxes under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The organization is a public foundation under Section 509(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code, Subsection 170(b)(A)(vi).

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting Standard – The organization follows Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 105-10, FASB Codification. The FASB Codification is the single source of authoritative U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Accordingly, references to GAAP have been updated for the appropriate Codification reference.

<u>Basis of accounting</u> - The financial statements of the organization have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Revenue recognition – Unconditional grants and contributions are recognized when the grant or contribution has been awarded. Restricted revenue is classified in the temporarily restricted fund until the provisions of the restriction are satisfied. Unrestricted grants & contributions are recognized in the unrestricted fund when awarded. The organization had no permanently restricted assets in 2011.

<u>Cash and Cash Equivalents</u> – The organization considers cash equivalents to be highly liquid investments with original maturities at time of purchase of less than 90 days.

<u>Furniture and equipment</u> - Furniture and equipment are recorded at cost. Depreciation is determined by the straight-line method based on an estimated useful life of five or seven years.

<u>Estimates</u> - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

<u>Functional expenses</u> – The organization accounts for its expenses on a functional basis. Functional expenses include certain allocated overhead costs (rent, telephone, etc.)

<u>Fair Value of Financial Instruments</u> – The financial instruments of the organization are reported on the statement of financial position at market or fair values, or at a carrying amounts that approximate fair values because of the short maturity of the instruments. See Note 7 for a description of financial instruments carried at fair value

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<u>Investments</u>- Investments consist of certificates of deposits (90 days or greater), equities, and mutual funds and are reported at fair value. Unrealized gains or losses are determined by comparison of cost to fair value at the beginning and end of the reporting period. Realized gains and losses are reflected in the accompanying statement of activities.

#### NOTE 3 – LAND

In performing its exempt purpose, the organization may acquire and distribute various land plots in order to facilitate the conservation of those lands. It is not the policy of the organization to own and hold land, therefore the organization does not recognize the income and the distribution of the above land in the financial statements.

## NOTE 4 - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The organization maintains cash balances in excess of \$250,000 in accounts, which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2011, the organization's cash balance in excess of FDIC insurance totaled \$202,458.

#### NOTE 5 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The organization leases two office spaces, one in Sandwich, NH on a month to month basis for \$400 a month and the other in Warrenton, Virginia. The organization signed an office space lease for the Warrenton, Virginia space through November 2012 for \$1,300 a month.

#### NOTE 6 - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets are available for the following purposes:

Jocotoco General	\$ 115,555
Antisana (Jocotoco)	304,354
Ayampe (Jocotoco)	87,250
Tapichalaca (Jocotoco)	14,675
Land Fund	4,185
ProAves	11,566
El Dorado (ProAves)	66,600
Tangaras (ProAves)	76,030
ProBosque	2,840
Revolving Fund	25,000
Sierra Caral	57,767
Total	\$765.822

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Net assets were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the purpose of time restrictions specified by donors as follows:

Purpose restriction accomplished: Land protection of the following:

Armonia       \$ 5,76         BTMacaw       5,17         Cotinga       42,07         Currasow       25,00         RFMacaw       2,02         Tucuman Parrot       15,00         Cosanga       2,22         Earths Birthday       6,20         Ecominga       1,60         Jocotoco General       253,15         Antisana       746,73         Buenaventura       10,25         Narupa       23,00         Tapichalaca       50         Mindo       15,87         Nature & Culture       64,97         Other Restricted       341,00         Conservation 2       24,50         ProAves       101,94         El Dorado (ProAves)       40         Magdalena (ProAves)       2,00         Tangaras (ProAves)       456,04         ProBosque       6,97         REGUA       6,97         Rio Pucuno       31,86         San Rafael, PY       14         Sierra Caral       130,50         Sust. Hydro       82,25         WLT-UK       50,02         WLT-UK       2,97
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## NOTE 7 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Total

The organization follows FASB ASC 820-10 for financial assets (and liabilities) measured on a recurring basis, as amended. FASB ASC 820-10 clarifies fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value under generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. FASB ASC 820-10 emphasizes that fair value is a market based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement and, therefore, a fair value measurement should be determined based on the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. As a

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basis for considering market participant assumptions in fair value measurements, FASB ASC 820-10 established a fair value hierarchy based upon the transparency of the inputs to the valuation of an asset or liability. These inputs may be observable, whereby the market participant assumptions are developed based on market data obtained from independent sources, and unobservable, whereby assumptions about market participant assumptions are developed by the reporting entity based on the best information available in the circumstances. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820-10 are described as follows:

Level 1 – inputs based on quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities accessible at the measurement date.

Level 2 – inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset and liability, either directly or indirectly, through corroboration with observable market data (market corroborated inputs).

Level 3 – unobservable inputs for the asset or liability including inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions in determining the fair value measurements.

The following table summarizes the Organization's assets (and liabilities) measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of December 31, 2011:

#### Assets Measured at Fair Value

Description	12/31/11	Quoted Prices in Active Markets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)		
Recurring Basis						
Money Market	\$144,359	\$144,359	\$ -	\$ -		

## NOTE 8 - INCOME TAXES

The organization is exempt from income taxes under Internal Revenue Code 501 (c) (3) and applicable DC statutes. No provision for income taxes is required at December 31, 2011, as the Organization had no net unrelated business income.

The organization follows FASB ASC 740 Income Taxes the authoritative guidance relating to accounting for uncertainty in income taxes. These provisions provide consistent guidance for the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an entity's financial statements and prescribe a threshold of "more likely than not" for recognition and derecognition of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Organization performed an evaluation of uncertain tax positions for the year ended December 31, 2011, and determined that there were no matters that would require recognition in the financial statements or which may have any affect on its tax-exempt status. As of December 31, 2011, the statute of limitations for tax years 2008 through 2010 remains open with federal and DC authorities.

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# NOTE 9 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The organization's management has evaluated subsequent events through July 17, 2012 the date of the financial statements were available to be issued. There were no subsequent events identified through July 17, 2012, which were required to be disclosed in these financial statements.