

**REGIONAL SCIENCE CONSORTIUM RESEARCH APPLICATION 2005/6**  
At Tom Ridge Center at Presque Isle

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Welcome to the Regional Science Consortium at Tom Ridge Center at Presque Isle. Please provide the following information that will be used to plan and coordinate your research experience.

**Research Information:**

Title of project \_\_\_\_\_

Principle Investigator(s): \_\_\_\_\_

P.I.

Co-P.I.

Project Start and End Dates \_\_\_\_\_

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SS# \_\_\_\_\_

Consortium Member School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

FAX \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: male \_\_\_ female \_\_\_

Describe any physical or health problems on a separate sheet

Primary funding sources(s) 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
2) \_\_\_\_\_  
3) \_\_\_\_\_

List all project personnel who will be at the laboratory this field season.

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Do you require the use of research boats? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please identify the type of boat(s) requested.

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Is lab space needed? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Do you have storage needs? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes list laboratory \_\_\_\_\_ and  
space requirements. \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you require assistance from laboratory personnel? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If yes, please describe.

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List laboratory equipment needed (i.e. flow through aquaria, D.O. meter, vacuum pump, microscopes, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

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Will you be using hazardous chemicals that will require special disposal? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Examples of hazardous chemical include preservatives and fixatives, acids and bases, and organic solvents.)  
If yes, please list or describe.

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Will you be using SCUBA as part of your research activities? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If yes, please describe. \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be collecting specimens? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, see the Natural History Specimen Collection Information Sheet.

If you will be collecting specimens, you will need either or both collecting permits from Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) and/or the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission (PFBC).

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DCNR # \_\_\_\_\_ PFBC# \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: A COMPLETED RESEARCH APPLICATION FORM MUST BE ON FILE IN THE CONSORTIUM OFFICE SIX (6) WEEKS IN ADVANCE OF THE RESEARCH.

The information which I have provided on this application form is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

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Signature	Date
<b>Return this form as soon as possible to:</b>	<b>Jerry Covert, Executive Director</b>
	<b>Regional Science Consortium</b>
	<b>Suite 9</b>
	<b>301 Peninsula Drive</b>
	<b>Erie, PA 16505</b>
	<b>FAX 833-0266</b>

## Natural History Specimen Collection Information

1. If specimens are collected the following information must be recorded even if the specimens are released back into their habitat.
  - a. Date
  - b. Latitude and longitude of collection
  - c. Nearest site name can be used for a location (land mark)
  - d. Name of collector
  - e. Specimen name
  
2. If specimens are preserved the method should be discussed with the Executive Director of the Regional Science Consortium.
  
3. If specimens are removed from Presque Isle State Park a detailed statement must be provided for the final deposition of the specimens if they are not going to be deposited at the Presque Isle State Park- Tom Ridge Center- Natural History Collection. A date must be provided when the specimens are to be expected at the Natural History Collection if that is for final deposit.

We are anxious to provide a working collection that also has voucher specimens. Your assistance is greatly appreciated and your effort will make the natural history collection one to be proud of and useful for many years.

NOTE: SAMPLES OF ALL COLLECTED MATERIALS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE NATURAL HISTORY COLLECTION IN THE TOM RIDGE CENTER TO BECOME PART OF THE PERMANENT COLLECTION.

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