



Outdoor Alliance of Story County 2013 Annual Report

The Outdoor Alliance of Story County (OASCO) filed its Articles of Incorporation with the State of Iowa in Dec 2012.

In early 2013 the IRS issued OASCO an EIN number allowing OASCO to open a bank account in its name.

However, the major focus in 2013 was creating, editing and filing the application documents the IRS required to establish the OASCO as an IRS 501(c)3 tax deductible non-profit status. This was done as soon as possible in August 2013, as required by the IRS, eight months after the filing of the Articles of Incorporation with the State of Iowa.

Our tax deductible status was approved by letter dated December 5, 2013. Tax deductible donations include any post Dec 12, 2012 contributions.

Since then, we have had one planning session. We also focused on creating a web site, brochure and a display for public meetings. With these tasks finished, we attended our first public forum hosted by Story County Conservation which was its first Legislative Forum.

Our plans for 2014 are still taking shape and will include data base development as well as starting several projects that will enhance outdoor recreation, education and conservation in Story County.

Mission: Enhancing outdoor recreation, education and conservation in Story County

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