

RAY LISTER - 2004

Many years of commitment to Nevada's wildlife resources will be recognized during the June 24th Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners meeting in Winnemucca when Ray Lister, of Spring Creek, will receive the Commission's Wayne E. Kirch Conservation Award.

Lister, an avid sportsman, has been working for the betterment of Nevada's wildlife for more than 24 years. During 2004, Lister, a wildlife/fisheries team leader with the Bureau of Land Management in Elko, was involved in many wildlife-related issues, working with conservation and sportsmen's groups such as Trout Unlimited, Elko Bighorns, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and the Mule Deer Foundation. During 2004, Lister was instrumental in installing five new water guzzlers, reconstructing one and retrofitting two other guzzlers with pipe rail fencing to help prevent wild horses from causing damage to the guzzlers. Additionally, Lister has recruited many volunteers to assist with these projects donating time, money and materials