

# “GUARDIAN OF THE GRASSLANDS”

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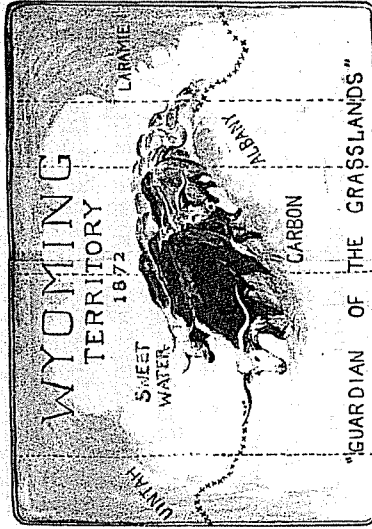
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## A Higher Level of Commitment

### WYOMING STOCK GROWERS ASSOCIATION GUARDIAN OF THE GRASSLANDS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

\$500 A HIGHER LEVEL OF COMMITMENT

Provision in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993 disallow as a deduction for Federal Income Tax purposes that portion of membership dues used to directly influence state or federal legislation and require notification of association members. In accordance with Internal Revenue Service Code 6033, we hereby notify you that 15% (estimated) of your membership dues are nondeductible as an ordinary business expense; 85% (estimated) of your dues may be tax deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense.  
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# HISTORY and PURPOSE

One astute observer has advised:

“Read the history of the Wyoming Stock Growers Association and you will have read not only the history of the state of Wyoming but the history of territorial Wyoming and even of the rugged frontier of pre-territorial days.” This is true. The men who, in 1872, founded the Wyoming Stock Growers Association, and nurtured it during the first uncertain decades of its existence, were the same men who carved the Territory of Wyoming out of the wilderness, and officiated at the birth of the state.

It is also true that the history of Wyoming and the growth and development of the cattle industry in Wyoming have been synonymous. Nowhere else in the United States of America has a comparable situation existed.

“Guardian of the Grasslands”  
John Rolfe Burroughs

## “Am I Paying My Fair Share?”

WSGA Guardian of the Grasslands membership is available at \$500 annually. We urge you to consider this higher level of commitment to your industry association. Your level of membership is your decision. The leadership of WSGA promises you a fair return for a fair share. A greater financial commitment by our membership empowers us to do more in addressing the challenges and opportunities facing Wyoming's cattle industry.

## DUES

INFORMATION  
\$500.00 per Year

In recognition of your commitment as a Guardian, you will receive:

- A complimentary subscription to Range Magazine.
- An opportunity to participate in a “Guardians Only” event at Summer Convention.
- A plaque with your ranch name or your name.