

1 AN ACT concerning open lands.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Illinois Open Land Trust Act is amended  
5 by changing Section 20 as follows:

6 (525 ILCS 33/20)

7 Sec. 20. Illinois Open Land Trust Program. The  
8 Department of Natural Resources shall develop and administer  
9 the Illinois Open Land Trust Program. The purpose of the  
10 program is to acquire real property, or conservation  
11 easements for natural areas, from willing sellers for  
12 conservation and recreation purposes. The land shall be  
13 chosen because it will preserve and enhance Illinois' natural  
14 environment, create a system of open spaces and natural  
15 lands, and improve the quality of life and provide recreation  
16 opportunities for citizens of Illinois ~~this-State~~ now and in  
17 the future.

18 (Source: P.A. 91-220, eff. 7-21-99.)