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**Purchase a Piece of Paradise at Eastern Sierra Land Trust's
Art for Conservation Gallery Opening**

Whether you live in Bishop or Beverly Hills, bring the beauty of the Eastern Sierra into your home with a timeless work of art. Eastern Sierra Land Trust's annual *Art for Conservation* Show and Sale offers a collection of purchasable artwork that captures all the things we love most about the Eastside: from the towering Sierra Crest to the winding Owens River, and everything in between.

Join Eastern Sierra Land Trust (ESLT) on Thursday, July 3 from 5-7pm for the Grand Opening Reception of their 6th annual *Art for Conservation* Show and Sale at Mono Council for the Arts Gallery in Mammoth Lakes. Original paintings, pastels, photographs, and more – all done by acclaimed ESLT member-artists – will be on display from the end of June until mid-September. Twenty-five percent of all proceeds will be donated to support ESLT's important land conservation efforts throughout the Eastern Sierra region.

Those unable to attend the Grand Opening Reception are encouraged to visit the Gallery during their normal business hours, between 12pm and 5pm seven days a week. ESLT plans to hold several special events in conjunction with *Art for Conservation* later this summer – for details on when you can join in the fun, contact ESLT's Special Events Assistant, Allison Peeler, at (760) 873-4554.

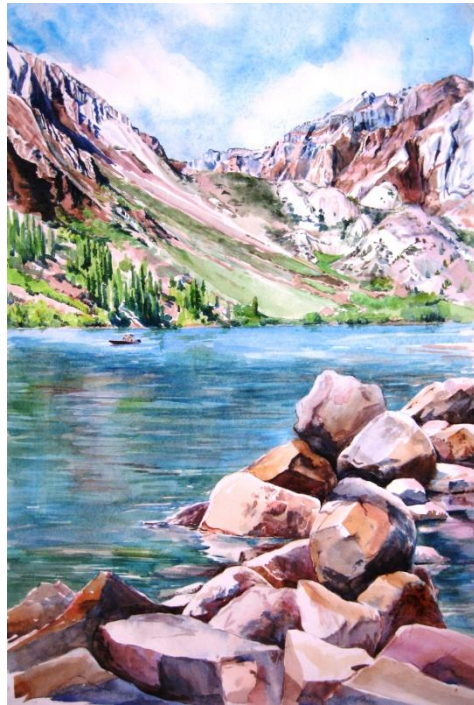
Since 2009, *Art for Conservation* has featured the work of talented professional artists who care about ESLT's mission to preserve the unique Eastern Sierra landscape. ESLT hopes to inspire the community with these timeless art pieces to bring awareness to its mission of preserving vital lands in the Eastern Sierra in perpetuity.

ESLT works with willing landowners to preserve vital lands in the Eastern Sierra for their scenic, agricultural, natural, recreational, historical, and watershed values. ESLT's goal is to preserve a healthy balance of land uses that can be sustained forever, ensuring both a strong local economy and environment. For more information about ESLT's mission and preserved lands, visit our website at www.eslt.org.

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High resolution photos available upon request by contacting Allison at (760) 873-4554. Sample low-resolution images are shown below.





Convict Lake in Summer
by Lynn Marit Peterson



Phalaropes South Tufa
by Rick Kattelman



Photograph by ESLT member and participating artist, Vern Clevenger.