

## **Wetlands - 30-Second – Captioned for the Visually Impaired**

MUSIC: "HINTERLAND WHO'S WHO" THEME

ANNOUNCER (V.O.):

Some people think wetlands are wastelands.

*[Wetlands]*

Actually, marshes and other wetlands are important ecosystems, home to an amazing diversity of wildlife.

*[Bird, Insects, frog]*

Without them, some species would disappear. We would suffer too since wetlands help purify and control the levels of our water. Many of these fragile areas are being lost to development, so let's do what we can to protect wetlands.

*[A crane digging in the soil]*

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