

**Alberta Conservation Association  
Grant Eligible Conservation Fund Project  
Listing 2006 - 2007**



**57 projects approved in 2006 - 2007**

**Total Funding Allocation \$1,151,122.00**

Project Title	Funding	Organization
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Sherwood Park Fish & Game Purple Martin House Project	\$1,020.00	Sherwood Park Fish and Game Association
Onoway Birdhouse Project	\$600.00	Onoway & District Fish and Game Association & Gun Club
White Bark Pine Survey, Castle Wilderness	\$2,000.00	Alberta Wilderness Association
Millennium Creek Project – Phase Two – Fish Habitat Enhancement 2006	\$20,000.00	Bow Valley Habitat Development
Partners in Habitat Development	\$50,000.00	Partners in Habitat Development
The Living by Water Project	\$20,000.00	Federation of Alberta Naturalists
Recreation and wildlife in the Rockies of Southwestern Alberta: Human Use and its effects on wildlife, riparian areas and regional connectivity	\$20,000.00	The Miistakis Institute for the Rockies
Fur Management: Past and Present an Alberta Perspective	\$20,000.00	Alberta Trappers Association
The Economic Benefits of Recreational Fishing on the Bow River: Canmore to Bassano	\$30,000.00	University of Calgary
Riparian Area Management Improvements	\$20,000.00	Mountain View County a
Genetic Analysis of Walleye ( <i>Sander vitreus</i> ) Populations in Alberta for Management and Forensic Purposes	\$15,000.00	University of Alberta
Northern Alberta Non-game Fish Status Assessment – Year 4	\$29,535.00	The Provincial Museum of Alberta
South Raven River Spawning Preservation	\$4,000.00	Dickson Fish & Game Association
Ephemeral and intermittent streams: are they important in maintaining biodiversity in a forested landscape?	\$35,500.00	Alberta Research Council
Modelling Mercury Biomagnification in the South Saskatchewan River Basin	\$25,000.00	The University of Lethbridge
Hunting For Tomorrow Foundation – Working Group Deliverables	\$32,000.00	Hunting For Tomorrow Foundation
Dodds Lake Feasibility Study	\$2,000.00	Society of Poplar Grove Guardians
Riparian Fencing Initiative	\$12,400.00	Red Deer County
Rangeland Habitat Initiative	\$25,700.00	Southern Alberta Land Trust Society
Community Conservation Partnership	\$45,400.00	Alberta Fish & Game Association
Monitoring of the Nature Conservancy of Canada's Properties in the Parkland and Boreal Forest Natural Regions of Alberta	\$13,500.00	Nature Conservancy of Canada – Alberta Region (NCC)
McLeod River Rehabilitation Project	\$5,050.00	Trout Unlimited Canada
LARGE Woody Debris in small Streams of Alberta's Foothills	\$19,300.00	Geography, University of BC

Understanding the Dynamics of Change in Critical Subalpine Meadow Habitat	\$15,380.00	University of Victoria
Cows and Fish: Managing Riparian Areas Through Community Collaboration	\$70,000.00	Alberta Riparian Habitat Management Society - Cows and Fish
Re-print of Conservation and Hunter Education manuals	\$24,500.00	Alberta Hunter Education Instructors' Association
Assessing effects of sportfish-stocking and aeration on communities in small Boreal Foothills lakes	\$36,709.00	University of Alberta
Innovation Alberta Omnimedia Project	\$7,000.00	Porcupine Stone Productions
Assessing the effects of fish on waterbird abundance in shallow lakes in the Boreal Transition Zone	\$20,000.00	University of Alberta
Moth diversity in the Buffalo Lake and Lowden Springs Conservation Areas	\$1,000.00	individual
Distribution of fisher (and other high-profile species) in Cooking Lake/Blackfoot PRA	\$1,380.00	individual
Beaverhill Bird Observatory 'Steaks and Saw-whets' and 'Bird Banding Breakfast' Events	\$1,900.00	Beaverhill Bird Observatory
Boreal Forest Bird Research	\$15,000.00	Lesser Slave Lake Bird Observatory
Atlas of Breeding Birds of Alberta: Update Project	\$58,000.00	Federation of Alberta Naturalists
Road Watch in the Pass; an innovative community- based monitoring project to identify wildlife crossing locations along Highway 3 in the Crowsnest Pass of Southwestern Alberta	\$14,700.00	The Miistakis Institute for the Rockies
Identifying Essential Breeding Habitat for Burrowing Owls in Alberta	\$22,744.00	University of Alberta
Landscape mechanisms behind the distribution and abundance of Ring-necked Pheasants in Southeastern Alberta	\$8,000.00	University of Alberta
Cougar Predation on Wild Ungulates in a Multi-Prey, Multi-Predator System in West-Central Alberta	\$39,080.00	University of Alberta
Assessing the importance of wetland productivity and upland cover characteristics to waterbird populations in the Boreal Transition Zone	\$28,000.00	University of Alberta
Wapiti! Roaming the Plains and Pines	\$5,600.00	Society of Grasslands Naturalists
Caribou response to encounters with people in Jasper National Park (Year 2)	\$12,300.00	Royal Roads University, Victoria, B.C.
New field techniques for estimating wolf densities and predation rates in the Central East Slopes of Alberta: Models for wolf sightability and kill-site identification	\$33,000.00	University of Alberta
Modeling deer movements to predict CWD spread in Alberta	\$30,000.00	University of Alberta
Alberta Grouse Technical Council: Status of grouse in Alberta	\$15,900.00	Alberta Grouse Technical Council
Effects of aversive conditioning on elk migration and fescue growth	\$18,580.00	University of Alberta
Ecological traps and temporal trends in habitat-use for waterfowl in the aspen parkland	\$10,400.00	Alberta Co-operative Conservation Research Unit (ACCRU)
Monitoring Important Bird Areas (MIBA) – Phase II: Global Framework	\$38,560.00	Federation of Alberta Naturalists
Protecting Wolverines in Alberta Provincial Parks - How many are there and how well are they protected?	\$25,000.00	Alberta Research Council Inc.
Operation Grassland Community	\$45,010.00	Alberta Fish & Game Association

Biodiversity of Fungi in Alberta: a Provincial Database	\$12,500.00	Edmonton Mycological Society
Reducing Bear Conflict in Rural Communities: Bear-Resistant Container Program	\$7,476.00	Karelian Bear Shepherding Institute of Canada (KBSIC)
Ecosystem Effects Driven by Cattle Habitat Selection	\$20,000.00	University of Calgary, Faculty of Environmental Design
Animal Resource Teaching Implements	\$7,475.00	Edmonton Nature Centres Foundation
Factors Affecting Harlequin Duck Use of a Local Breeding Stream in the Alberta Foothills	\$5,980.00	Bighorn Wildlife Technologies Ltd.
20 Years of Bird Monitoring at Beaverhill Bird Observatory	\$16,350.00	Beaverhill Bird Observatory
Ecology and conservation of mountain goats in Alberta	\$17,993.00	Laval University
Increasing public access for wildlife-related recreation on private lands: A review and assessment of practices	\$17,600.00	University of Calgary, Faculty of Environmental Design

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