

Alberta Conservation Association Grants

Project Funding Allocations 2019 - 2020



Conservation, Community, and Education Grants (CCEG)

PROJECT TITLE	GRANT	ORGANIZATION
Increasing Habitat for Species at Risk in Alberta's Grassland Region through Adaptive Management, Habitat Enhancement, Assessment, and Outreach	\$25,100.00	Alberta Fish and Game Association (AFGA)
Pronghorn Antelope Migration Corridor Enhancement	\$40,698.00	AFGA
Conservation Education for the Army Cadet League of Canada - AB	\$3,000.00	Alberta Hunter Education Instructors' Association (AHEIA)
AHEIA's Outdoor Bound Mentorship Program	\$3,000.00	AHEIA
16th Annual OWL Day - "Outdoor Wildlife Learning"	\$3,000.00	AHEIA
26th Annual Outdoor Women's Program	\$15,000.00	AHEIA
Outdoor Youth Seminar	\$3,000.00	AHEIA
Provincial Hunting Day Initiatives	\$20,000.00	AHEIA
AHEIA Teachers' Workshop	\$6,000.00	AHEIA
AHEIA's Wildlife Workbook Rewrite for Children	\$3,000.00	AHEIA
AHEIA's Youth Hunter Education Camps (Weeks 1, 2, 3, 4)	\$48,000.00	AHEIA
AHEIA's National Archery in the School Program	\$40,000.00	AHEIA
Wild Game for the Food Bank Program	\$8,000.00	Alberta Hunters Sharing the Harvest
Expansion and Promotion of the Early Detection and Distribution Mapping System (EDDMapS) Alberta	\$15,000.00	Alberta Invasive Species Council
"AC Conference" (Alberta Youth Outdoor Skills Conference)	\$2,510.00	Alberta Junior Forest Wardens Association
Fungal Biodiversity Survey, West Castle - Mushroom Identification	\$3,000.00	Alberta Mycological Society
Grazing Schools for Women: Promoting habitat and improved livestock grazing stewardship in south and central Alberta	\$3,000.00	Alberta Riparian Habitat Management Society - Cows and Fish
Implementing Riparian Habitat Management Improvements for Westslope Cutthroat Trout	\$11,150.00	Alberta Riparian Habitat Management Society - Cows and Fish
Trapper Education in Schools	\$21,100.00	Alberta Trapper's Association (ATA)
Youth Camp	\$19,480.00	ATA
Helping to Educate Future Trappers and Ensure Long-Term Sustainable Harvest Using the Best Available Science	\$20,248.00	ATA
Lake Isle Flowering Rush Project	\$30,000.00	Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation
Outdoor Conservation Education for High Needs Schools	\$6,250.00	Ann & Sandy Cross Conservation Area (ASCCA)
Alberta Wetlands 101 Online Experience	\$13,000.00	Aquality Environmental Consulting Ltd.
Water on Wheels	\$12,075.00	Aquarium Society of Alberta
A Complex Relationship Between Agricultural Practices and Wildlife Habitat in Central-East Alberta	\$2,950.00	Battle River Research Group
Public Engagement, Wildlife Conservation, and Monitoring at Beaverhill Lake	\$23,250.00	Beaverhill Bird Observatory

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Bow River Policeman's Flats River Access Upgrade 2019	\$6,304.00*	Bow River Trout Foundation
Post-Secondary First Pheasant Mentor Hunt Program	\$4,850.00	Calgary Chapter Pheasants Forever Canada Society
Pop Up Archery Range for Youth Education	\$2,500.00	Calgary Fish and Game Association (CFGA)
CFGA Pheasant Crate Upgrade for Remaining Crates	\$4,095.00	CFGA
Enhancing Conservation Areas within Camrose County	\$36,652.56	Camrose County
2019 Camrose Purple Martin Festival	\$1,350.00	Camrose Wildlife Stewardship Society
Healthy Habitats: Getting Albertans outside to enjoy, value, and use alberta wilderness	\$20,000.00	Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society - Southern Alberta Chapter
Creation of Archery Club and Range	\$3,000.00	Carbon and District Agricultural Society and Curling Club
Evaluation of Parr Reservoir (Castor Creek) for Fish Stocking Suitability	\$3,000.00	Castor Fish and Game Club
Ross Creek Conservation Site Food Plots Planting	\$3,250.00	Chinook Pheasants Forever
Sauder Reservoir Habitat Project	\$26,970.00	Chinook Pheasants Forever
Marshkeeper's - Conservation through Volunteer Empowerment	\$5,500.00	Ducks Unlimited Canada (DUC)
Land Stewardship and Monitoring of New Natural Areas in Beaverhills Biosphere Reserve	\$7,650.00	Edmonton and Area Land Trust
2019 Invasive Species Management at Glenbow Ranch	\$12,400.00	Glenbow Ranch Park Foundation
Kids Can Catch with Growing Great Kids	\$3,000.00	Growing Great Kids Coalition; Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) Town of Hinton
H. A. Kostash School Youth Mentorship Program	\$8,000.00	H.A. Kostash School
"Extreme by Nature" Environmental Education for 11- to 15-year-olds	\$3,000.00	Helen Schuler Nature Centre
Community Engagement in River Valley Conservation	\$3,000.00	Helen Schuler Nature Centre
J.T. Foster School Wildlife Education and Recruitment	\$3,000.00	J.T. Foster School
Conservation Community	\$3,000.00	Legacy Land Trust Society
Avian Monitoring and Outreach Education Programs at Lesser Slave Lake	\$24,500.00	Lesser Slave Lake Bird Observatory Society
Riparian and Ecological Enhancement Program	\$25,000.00	Mountain View County
Nature Kids Family Nature Nights and Field Trips Across Alberta	\$10,400.00	Nature Alberta
An Integrated Pest Management Strategy for Tackling Non-Native, Noxious Weeds Across Alberta	\$35,000.00	Nature Conservancy of Canada
Fish Habitat Restoration in NE and Central Alberta Lakes	\$15,000.00	NE AFGA
Conserving and Restoring Arctic Grayling in the Upper Pembina River Watershed - Habitat Restoration Planning	\$8,997.00	Northern Lights Fly Fishers/Trout Unlimited Canada (TUC) Edmonton Chapter
Fishery Enhancement - Beaumont	\$9,250.00	Northern Lights Fly Fishers/ TUC Edmonton Chapter
Birdhouses	\$2,500.00	Onoway & District FGA
Wildlife and Native Habitat Enhancement in Red Deer County via Alternative Land Use Services (2019)	\$40,000.00	Red Deer County

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Pheasant Pen Replacement Program	\$14,412.00	Red Deer FGA
Junior Palaeontologist II Day Camp	\$1,980.76	River of Death and Discovery Dinosaur Museum Society (operating as Philip J. Currie Dinosaur Museum)
Summer Day Camps	\$1,763.62	River of Death and Discovery Dinosaur Museum Society
Operation Water Drop, Operation Water Pollution, and Operation Water Biology: Kits to be used by students in Alberta as part of field trips/outdoor education	\$3,825.00	Safe Drinking Water Foundation
Archery Program	\$2,500.00	Southern Alberta Bible Camp
Pelletry Program	\$1,500.00	Southern Alberta Bible Camp
Bird/Bat Box Project	\$2,000.00	Spruce Grove FGA
Lac Delorme (George's Lake) Access Improvement	\$5,000.00	St. Paul FGA
Environmental Opportunities Enhancement	\$15,000.00	Sturgeon School District
Winter Family Fun Fishing Day	\$9,528.13	Taber FGA
Taber Fish and Game Outdoor Day and Antler Measure	\$2,500.00	Taber FGA
Taber Fish and Game & ACA Youth Fishing Recruitment Day	\$18,900.00	Taber FGA
Botha School Wildlife Education Program	\$2,625.00	The Botha School Society
Kids Can Catch 2019	\$3,000.00	Town of Cochrane
Stream Rehabilitation Training (SRT) Program	\$11,900.00	TUC
Yellow Fish Road (YFR) and Water Edu-Kit (WEK)	\$22,310.00	TUC
Bringing Back Bull Trout	\$30,000.00	TUC
Promoting Wetland Stewardship and Improving Wetland Habitat in Waterton Biosphere Reserve	\$10,856.00	Waterton Biosphere Reserve Association
Weaselhead Invasive Plant Program 2019	\$2,500.00	Weaselhead/Glenmore Park Preservation Society
10 Years Later - A Closer Look at Riparian Enhancement Projects in the Beaverlodge River Watershed	\$22,926.69	West County Watershed Society
Wetaskiwin/Leduc Alternative Land Use Services	\$4,500.00	Wetaskiwin County
Going to Bat for Bats: Citizen Science in Alberta	\$29,500.00	Wildlife Conservation Society Canada
Conserving Species-At-Risk Bumblebees, Associated Bee Communities, and Their Habitats in Glenbow Ranch Provincial Park	\$20,032.00	Wildlife Preservation Canada
Kids Can Catch Event	\$1,700.00	Yellowhead County
Junior Forest Wardens Regional Camp 2019	\$1,200.00	Yellowhead Junior Forest Wardens Regional Council
Trailblazer Advanced Camp	\$2,000.00	Yellowhead Junior Forest Wardens Regional Council

**This amount not included in the total, as funding from previous year allocated.*

TOTAL FUNDING CCEG	\$969,634.76	
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Research Grants

PROJECT TITLE	GRANT	ORGANIZATION
Characterizing Arctic Grayling Distribution and Habitat Preferences Using Environmental DNA	\$15,000.00	Athabasca University
Understanding the Importance of Migratory and Breeding Habitat Selection for Northern Pintails	\$14,600.00	Ducks Unlimited Canada
Quantifying Yield Impacts and the Profitability of Wetlands in Agricultural Cropland	\$16,800.00	Fiera Biological Consulting Ltd.
Using Citizen Science to Enhance Fisheries Data Collection and Monitoring	\$15,000.00	Goldstream Publishing Inc.
Evolutionarily Sustainable Management of Bighorn Sheep	\$9,950.00	Université de Sherbrooke
Chronic Wasting Disease in Deer: Modeling transmission from contact rates	\$32,400.00	University of Alberta
Assessing the Effectiveness of Alberta's Walleye Regulations to Sustain High-Quality Fishing Opportunities	\$14,100.00	University of Calgary
Assessing the Capacity of Urban Wetlands to Support Biodiversity Using Amphibian Sentinels	\$14,500.00	University of Calgary
Ecological Epidemiology of Emerging Ambystoma Tigrinum Virus (ATV) in a Population of Tiger Salamanders in Southwestern Alberta	\$6,338.00	University of Lethbridge
Contribution of Pesticides and Climate Change to the Decline of Freshwater Mussel Populations in Alberta	\$27,000.00	University of Lethbridge
Biodiversity and Distribution of Cryptic Duckweed in Species in Alberta	\$25,000.00	University of Lethbridge
Assessing Translocation Success and Implications of Greater Sage Grouse in Alberta Using Genetic Assignment Methods	\$35,000.00	University of Lethbridge
Effects of Oil Infrastructure and Noise on Nest Predators in Alberta's Grasslands	\$25,000.00	University of Manitoba
Bull Elk Recruitment, Survival, and Harvest in a Partially Migratory Elk Herd in the Ya Ha Tinda	\$30,000.00	University of Montana
Sex-Specific Responses to Climate Change in a Wild Hibernator	\$22,700.00	University of Saskatchewan
Evaluating the Efficacy of Bat Boxes for the Conservation and Recovery of Bats	\$26,000.00	Wildlife Conservation Society Canada
TOTAL FUNDING RESEARCH GRANTS	\$329,388.00	