



## Restoring Endangered Atlantic Salmon Habitat on Henderson Brook

This project will remove the last remaining barrier to native fish passage on Maine's Henderson Brook, aiding in the reestablishment of native Eastern brook populations and allowing the federally endangered Atlantic salmon to return to native rearing waters. This project will work to restore stream hydrology and restore fish passage to 3.4 miles of Henderson Brook.

**Park:** Appalachian Trail

**Non-Profit Partner:** Appalachian Trail Conservancy



## Reduce Deferred Maintenance on Trail Bridges and Improve Recreational Access in Two Park Units

This project will support the repair of three trail bridges in the Palisades and Bowmans Island Units of the Park. These bridge repairs will restore trail access in areas that have been closed since summer 2020. This project will improve the visitor experience, and proactively avoid future trail closures in these areas.

**Park:** Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area  
**Non-Profit Partner:** Chattahoochee National Park Conservancy (CNPC)





## CDTC Acoma Youth Hiking Group and Dark Night Skies Education Project

This project will provide foundational support for the first year of the Youth Hiking Group, a collaborative effort between CDTC and the Pueblo of Acoma. Specifically, funding will support 4 guided hikes along the CDT in El Malpais National Monument, each of which will have a different educational component as well as a service component. These hikes will provide stewardship education to the participants, provide an opportunity for youth to learn about the Ancestral significance of the landscape, and in many cases may be the first experience on the CDNST for many of the individuals involved.

**Park:** El Malpais National Monument

**Non-Profit Partner:** Continental Divide Trail Coalition



## Building Connections with Shoshone and Goshute Tribal Communities

This project will be the first step in 4-year plan of building the relationship between the park and the Shoshone and Goshute tribes in a meaningful way, by bringing tribal youth to the park where they can connect to it through their culture and evolving the relationship from consultants to co-educators.

**Park:** Great Basin National Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Great Basin National Park Foundation



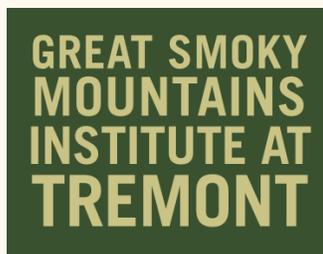


## Environmental and Community Leaders Fellowship

This project will support the Environmental and Community Leaders Fellowship (ECLF) program at a Title I high school in Knoxville, TN, where around 50% of students are eligible for the National School Lunch Program. This project will also increase the program's footprint at other high schools and build a pipeline of future participants from middle schools by formalizing ECLF's structural components and impacts through program research, analysis, and stakeholder engagement.

**Park:** Great Smoky Mountains National Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Great Smoky Mountains Institute at Tremont



## Revitalizing the New Hope – Iola Ski Hill Segment of the Ice Age Trail

This project will engage volunteers and support the rerouting of 1.5 miles of trail including the construction of a boardwalk, a bridge, and a stone staircase. This project will also support the reopening of 1.6 miles of trail by replacing a defunct boardwalk with a new elevated boardwalk. These updates will improve trail access and better highlight the landscape shaped by glaciers thousands of years ago.

**Park:** Ice Age National Scenic Trail

**Non-Profit Partner:** Ice Age Trail Alliance





## Connecting Detroit Youth to Land Management Conversations across the Midwest

This project will allow Bus for Outdoor Access and Teaching (BOAT) to partner with local organizations to run a series of educational learning journeys in and around Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore. Participants from Metro Detroit will partake in multi-day expeditions, gain an increased understanding of conservation practices, form a deeper knowledge of the role of public lands, and create lasting connections to the land.

**Park:** Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore

**Non-Profit Partner:** Bus for Outdoor Access & Teaching (BOAT)



## Environmental Youth Task Force: Community Engagement, Stewardship, and Environmental Justice

This project will support the Environmental Youth Task Force. This task force will unite students from across the city to act on their concern for the environment and their community. Focusing on environmental justice issues related to biodiversity loss, land use, and climate change. Students will conduct stewardship and outreach projects and develop leadership, interpretation, science, and resource management skills.

**Park:** Lowell National Historical Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust



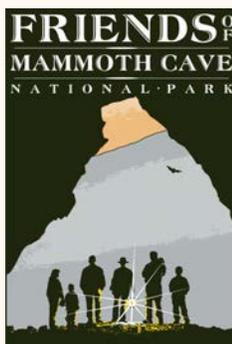


## Tickets to Tour Mammoth Cave National Park with an Emphasis on Bat Education

This project will provide funding for schools to visit the park, a bat gate for safety and cave conservation, and a day of environmental education activities. The visit will include a private cave tour led by rangers with an emphasis on bat education. The students will learn about the park through a guided hike/educational activity and a ranger led cave tour. This project will also provide students with a free educational trip to the park that focuses on bat education and safety.

**Park:** Mammoth Cave National Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Friends of Mammoth Cave National Park



## Itasca County NCNST Construction

This project will support construction of an 18 mile segment of the North Country National Scenic Trail (NCNST) in Itasca County, MN. This is the first phase of the larger effort to complete the NCNST across Northeastern Minnesota following Congress' passage of the North Country National Scenic Trail Route Adjustment legislation in 2019. Eventually, 150 miles of new trail will be built in between the Chippewa National Forest northeast of Remer and the Kekekabic Trail northeast of Ely.

**Park:** North Country National Scenic Trail

**Non-Profit Partner:** North Country Trail Association





## Youth in Parks

This project will expand outdoor exploration and science experiences for underserved youth from June to December of 2022. This request covers a portion of the total expected cost for co-creating programs for 600 youth in the 2022 calendar year. This project will support transportation, meals and snacks, and supply costs for 15 full-day youth programs

**Park:** Point Reyes National Seashore

**Non-Profit Partner:** Point Reyes National Seashore Association



## Forests for All: Connecting Underserved & Marginalized Communities to the Coast Redwood Forest

This project will support the implementation of an eight-month project that consists of two backpacking excursions and six daytrips in the park. These trips are fun and inclusive outdoor educational opportunities for underserved and marginalized communities of the local Humboldt and Del Norte County. This will create equitable access to redwood forests and its powerful benefits for diverse populations.

**Park:** Redwood National and State Parks

**Non-Profit Partner:** Redwood Parks Conservancy





## Rock Creek Resilience: The Future of The Forests

This project will support the development of an innovative plan to ensure the future of Rock Creek's forests & the park's climate resilience. Monthly convenings of subject matter experts will describe the current conditions of Rock Creek's forests & identify a path to comprehensively revitalize Rock Creek Park's forests. This will lay the foundation for a long-term collaboration to engage the community in people-powered restoration and implement the forest conservation plan

**Park:** Rock Creek Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Rock Creek Conservancy



## Rosie's Service Corps Outdoor Engagement

This project will support Rosie's Service Corps (RSC), which enables at-risk teens to engage in free outdoor challenge activities, workforce development and STEAM learning, both after school and at summer camp. Modeled on Rosie the Riveter, the program will challenge girls to build outdoor enjoyment, tackle physical challenges and use tools. Watershed science, construction, natural history exploration, camping, and community service projects are central units and students develop emotional strength and experience safe open spaces.

**Park:** Rosie the Riveter WWII Home Front National Historical Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Rosie the Riveter Trust



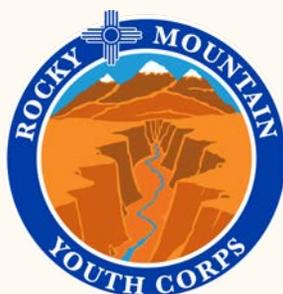


## VALL Trail Delineation & Youth Development Project

The project will allow the Rocky Mountain Youth Corps to assist the park in creating a safe and enjoyable experience for visitors by installing carsonite posts on the 116 miles of established trails within the preserve, since the park's trails are mostly made up of old logging roads, which currently have little to no signage at trailheads or along the paths.

**Park:** Valles Caldera National Preserve

**Non-Profit Partner:** Rocky Mountain Youth Corps



## Mitigating Climate Change Impacts in the White Clay Creek Wild and Scenic Watershed Through Youth and Teacher Conservation Education

This project will support the creation of hands-on, minds-on programs and events to engage youth, family, and educators in conservation education, recreation, and stewardship in watershed-themed climate change literacy. Events will provide benefits to water quality and wildlife habitat, including stormwater reduction/infiltration, as well as meaningful outdoor learning opportunities for a range of audiences.

**Park:** White Clay Creek National Wild and Scenic River

**Non-Profit Partner:** Stroud Water Research Center, Inc.





## **Zion Volunteer Bike Ambassador Program**

This project will support the implementation of a new Volunteer Bike Ambassador Program. The usage of bicycles, especially ebikes, has increased over the last two years. This new program will help to provide education, outreach, and safety to park visitors outside and inside the park about this type of outdoor recreation opportunity. Volunteers will also provide critical data regarding bicycle usage for ZION's visitor use planning.

**Park:** Zion National Park

**Non-Profit Partner:** Zion National Park Forever Project



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