

# 12. Funding

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A few of the potential funding sources for some of the LMSP programs include:

**American Sport fishing Association Fish American Foundation (FAF) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)** – offers funding for community based restoration programs for on-the-ground habitat restoration in marine, estuarine and anadromous fish habitats. \$5,000-\$30,000. NOAA Fisheries Restoration Center, HC-3, RM 15322; 1315 East West Highway; Silver Spring, MD 20910 (301) 713-0174 Ext. 200. [www.nmfs.noaa.gov/habitat/restoration/community/index.htm](http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/habitat/restoration/community/index.htm).

**California Resources Agency - California Department of Parks and Recreation , Planning and Local Services Section - Habitat Conservation Fund.** P.O. Box 942896; 1416 Ninth St., Sacramento, CA 94296-0001; (916) 653-7423 or visit <http://parks.ca.gov/grants/hcf/hcf.htm>

**California Resources Agency - California Department of Parks and Recreation Recreational Trails Program Grants.** Contact (916) 651-8572 or <http://parks.ca.gov/grants/rtp/rtp00.htm>

**California Resources Agency – Environmental Enhancement and Mitigation Fund Program (EEM)** Grants for acquisition, restoration or enhancement of watersheds, wildlife habitat, wetlands and forests. Grants generally limited to \$250,000. Contact (916) 653-5656 or [http://ceres.ca.gov/cra/eemp\\_new.html](http://ceres.ca.gov/cra/eemp_new.html)

**California Department of Conservation Division of Land Resource Protection -California Farmland Conservancy Program (CFCP).** Contact (916) 322-9721 or be e-mail at [CFCP@consvr.ca.gov](mailto:CFCP@consvr.ca.gov).

**California Department of Conservation Resource Conservation District Assistance Grant Program.** Contact the Division of Land Resource Protection. (916) 324-0774

**CALFED – Various, including the CALFED Ecosystem Restoration Program and Watershed Program.** See [www.calfed.ca.gov](http://www.calfed.ca.gov) for details and deadlines.

**Great Valley Center – LEGACI Program:** Offers grants which address and integrate land use, economics, agriculture, and other interrelated resources. Contact (209) 522-5116. See [www.greatvalley.org](http://www.greatvalley.org).

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**Mokelumne River Partnership – Partnership Fund**– East Bay Municipal Utility District, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the CA Dpt. of Fish and Game established a Lower Mokelumne River Partnership to protect and enhance the anadromous fishery and Mokelumne River ecosystem. A Partnership Fund provides grants ranging from \$600 to \$50,000. Contact: East Bay Municipal Utility District; 1 Winemasters Way, Suite K; Lodi, CA 95240.

**National Association of Conservation Districts – Conservation Incentives Program (CIP)** – visit [www.nacd.org](http://www.nacd.org)

**National Fish and Wildlife Foundation** – extensive list of grants for resource conservation activities. Contact (415) 778-0999 or visit [www.nfwf.org/programs/guidelines.htm](http://www.nfwf.org/programs/guidelines.htm)

**Northwest Water Law and Policy Project.** Video to assist communities in securing funding for restoration projects in local streams and watersheds. Call (503) 768-6761 or e-mail [water@lclark.edu](mailto:water@lclark.edu)

**Proposition 13 (Costa-Machado Water Act of 2000).** Includes: State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Watershed Protection program, SWRCB Nonpoint Source Pollution Control Program, CALFED Watershed Program and the CALFED Drinking Water Quality Program. Contact the State Water Resources Control Board Division of Water Quality (916) 341-5455 or visit [www.swrcb.ca.gov/prop13/index.html](http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/prop13/index.html)

**United States Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service – Conservation Programs.** Extensive list of funding sources and assistance programs: Conservation Technical Assistance, Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP), Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP), Forestry Incentives Program (FIP), Farmland Protection Program (FPP), and many more. [www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/PROGRMAS/cpindex.htm](http://www.nhq.nrcs.usda.gov/PROGRMAS/cpindex.htm)

**United States Fish and Wildlife Service Small Wetlands Grants,** under \$50,000. Contact (703) 358-1784 or visit <http://northamerican.fws.gov/NAWCA/smgrants.html>