



WILDLIFE ENHANCEMENT INITIATIVES

Total Wildlife Project Funding \$3,065,450.93

Organization Grant Total

\$2,498,818.35

Manitoba Department Grant Total

\$566,632.58

2024 Wildlife Projects			
Organization	Project Name		Amount
Red River Basin Commission	Netley-Libau Marsh Restoration Pilot Project		\$20,000.00
University of Manitoba	Impacts of red foxes on Arctic fox habitat use and persistence		\$35,000.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Restoring Forest Connectivity within the Blue Wing Corridor		\$100,000.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Enhancing Hunter Education and Hunter Recruitment Program Outreach		\$41,300.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP)		\$165,000.00
Team Lady Fowlers	Team Lady Fowlers: Hunting for Knowledge - Mentoring for Tomorrow		\$15,000.00
		2024 Organization Grant Total	\$376,300.00

2023 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Wildlife Management Area Enhancement Pilot Project	\$9,000.00
Delta Waterfowl	Using mallard nest structures to improve duck production in Manitoba 2023	\$21,320.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Manitoba Wild Turkey Trap and Transfer Program	\$13,000.00
Nature Conservancy Canada - MB region	Prescribed fire: Restoring natural disturbance to enhance prairie and parkland habitat for wildlife in southern	\$25,000.00
Bird Studies Canada - Manitoba office	Marsh Watch' the Marsh Monitoring Program For All Ages - Engaging the Public and Contributing to Waterbird	\$27,000.00
Brandon Retriever Club	Conserve Game, Hunt with a Trained Retriever	\$5,000.00
Delta Waterfowl Foundation	Delta Waterfowl's University Hunting Program	\$25,000.00
Lac du Bonnet Wildlife Association	Lac du Bonnet Wildlife Association Outdoor Education Centre - Phase 2	\$150,000.00
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers Museum Interpretive Panel Development	\$15,000.00
	2023 Organization Grant Total	\$290,320.00

2022 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Delta Waterfowl	Using Mallard Nest Structures to Increase Duck Production in Manitoba 2022	\$37,000.00
Association of Manitoba Community Pastures	Prescribed Burning to Benefit Deer, Elk, Moose and Grouse Habitat	\$10,000.00
Red River Basin Commission	Netley Marsh Renewal Pilot Project	\$25,000.00
Sharp-tails Plus Foundation Inc.	Vegetation Control to Improve Sharp-tailed Grouse Leks in Wildlife Management Areas	\$38,440.00
Delta Waterfowl	Waterfowl Production Research in the Parklands of Western Manitoba	\$55,000.00
University of Manitoba	Understanding and Addressing the Decline in Waterfowl Hunting in Manitoba	\$51,750.00
Boreal Woods Nature Center	Construct and Maintain Hunting/Trapping Trail and Program in the Boreal Forest	\$10,000.00
Brandon Wildlife Association	Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Hunter Education Awareness	\$13,500.00
Clear Your Gear Inc.	Clear Your Gear Fishing Line Recycling Manitoba 2022	\$20,000.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	WMA Enhancement Initiative Communications Campaign	\$47,000.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Trapping - How -to Video Series	\$8,813.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Province of Manitoba Big Game Surveys - How the Province Surveys, Assesses, and Manages Big Game Populations	\$10,200.00
River and Area Game and Fish Association Inc.	Phase 2 -Finish Upgrade of Shooting Stand and Fish/Wildlife Education Centre	\$20,000.00
Russell Game and Fish Association	Russell Game and Fish Gun Range Enhancements	\$18,121.00
Team Lady Fowlers	Team Lady Fowlers Hunting for Knowledge - Mentoring for Tomorrow	\$10,000.00
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers Museum Interpretive Plan	\$7,748.00
Brandon Wildlife Association	Construction of a New Clubhouse/Classroom at the Brandon Wildlife Association Range Facility	\$50,000.00
Russell Game and Fish Association	Gun Range Equipment for Trap Shooting	\$6,650.00
	2022 Organization Grant Total	\$439,222.00

2021 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
St. Hubertus Wildlife and Conservation Inc.	5-Stand and Sporting Improvements	\$4,500.00
Association of Manitoba Community Pastures (AMCP)	Prescribed Burning to Enhance Deer, Elk and Moose Habitat	\$50,000.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Improving Connectivity for Wildlife around Riding Mountain National Park	\$2,275.00
Swan Valley Regional Secondary School	Swan Valley Outdoors Association	\$9,244.68
University of Winnipeg	Assessment of Remote Sensing and Machine Learning Technologies for Big Game Surveys	\$149,960.00
Owyhee Air Research LLC	Utilization of Infrared technology for assessing big game populations	\$153,000.00
	2021 Organization Grant Total	\$368,979.68

2020-2021 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Flat Creek Archers	Promoting Archery and Hunting to Youth and Adults in Western Manitoba	\$19,500.00
Souris River Watershed District	Souris River Watershed Youth Trapper Education	\$600.00

		2020-2021 Organization Grant Total	\$293,480.00
Rivers and Area Game and Fish Association Inc.	Chernos Upgrade Gun Range and Education Centre		\$100,000.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Enhancing Wildlife Habitat through Riparian Conservation		\$28,350.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Wildlife Management Areas: Pilot Management Initiatives		\$106,500.00
Yellowhead Bowhunters	Women's Bowhunting Weekend Seminar		\$8,875.00
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers' Museum Public Education Program		\$4,680.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Wildlife-friendly Fencing to Facilitate Wildlife Movement		\$24,975.00

2019-2020 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Wild Gobblers Unlimited	Wild Gobblers Unlimited Trap and Transfer Program	\$21,400.00
Cormorant Local Fur Council	Cormorant Youth Trapping Mentorship Project	\$12,074.22
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Becoming an Outdoors-Woman	\$20,000.00
	Organization Grant Sub-Total	\$53,474.22
Sustainable Development - Wildlife and Fisheries Branch	White-Tailed and Mule Deer Movement and Habitat Use for CWD Prevention in Southwest Manitoba	\$200,000.00
Sustainable Development - Eastern Region	Moose Health in Manitoba	\$14,950.00
	Manitoba Department Grant Sub-Total	\$214,950.00
	2019-2020 Total	\$268,424.22

2018-2019 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Field to Fork Hunter Education and Outreach	\$7,300.00
Deloraine Game and Fish	Expanding Archery Training and Hunting in Southwest Manitoba	\$17,698.00
Lac du Bonnet Wildlife Association	Outdoor Education Centre	\$50,000.00
Ducks Unlimited Canada	8th North American Duck Symposium	\$10,000.00
Electric Monk Media Limited	Moose Conservation Community Presentation and Video	\$29,500.00
Russell Game and Fish	Russell Game and Fish Shooting Range	\$15,000.00
La Salle Redboine Conservation District	Pelly's Lake Community Park	\$6,000.00
Team Lady Fowlers (Hunting for Tomorrow)	Hunting for Knowledge-Mentoring for Tomorrow	\$5,000.00
Manitoba Trappers Association	Fur Kits for Delivery of Trapper Education Courses and Public Events	\$31,405.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Wildlife Habitat Restoration along the Assiniboine River Floodplain at Fort Ellice Manitoba	\$5,910.00
University of Saskatchewan	Assessing Potential Role of Brain Worm and Liver Fluke in Moose Declines in Manitoba	\$49,400.00
Rural Municipality of Stuartburn	Vita Elk Phase two Investigations- Implications for Innovation Management of Vita and other Manitoba Elk Herds	\$47,200.00
Parks Canada	Mentored Spring Snow Good Parks Canada Hunt in Wapusk National Park for Local Youth and Young Adults	\$5,500.00
	2018-2019 Organization Grant Total	\$279,913.00

2017-2018 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board	You Can Make a Difference - Caribou For the Future Phase II: Grade 7-12 Poster/Prose Contest	\$5,000.00
University of Saskatchewan	Movements and Habitat Selection of the Cape Churchill Caribou Population	\$55,000.00
Cypress River Wildlife Association	Wild Boar Sounder Trapping	\$18,912.00
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers' Museum Public Education Program	\$5,000.00
Manitoba Lodges and Outfitters Association	Wildlife Regulations Researcher	\$30,000.00
West Souris River Conservation District	Water Retention Project on the Gerald W Malaher WMA	\$5,159.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Chronic Wasting Disease Education and Outreach	\$11,000.00
Manitoba Naturalist's Society Inc. (Nature Manitoba)	Manitoba Important Bird Areas Program Wetland IBAs Outreach	\$3,690.00
Red River Basin Commission	Netley-Libau Marsh Restoration Pilot Project and Feasibility Study	\$20,000.00
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Elk Habitat Selection and Reproductive Success in Manitoba's Human-Modified Landscapes	\$57,000.00
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Evaluating Human Influence on Nutritional and Psychological Stress of Manitoba Elk	\$24,500.00
University of Manitoba	Investigating Potential Causes of Arctic Fox Decline in Northern Manitoba	\$51,000.00
Delta Waterfowl	Spring Migration Chronology of Canada Geese and Cackling Geese; Graduate Student Support	\$20,700.00
	Organization Grant Sub-Total	\$306,961.00
Sustainable Development - Wildlife and Fisheries Branch	Game Hunting Area (GHA) 26 Moose Survey	\$114,930.00
Sustainable Development - Western Region	Moose Ecology in the Duck Mountains	\$13,720.00
Sustainable Development - Central Region	Habitat Use and Distribution of Moose in Game Hunting Area 21A	\$52,120.00
	Manitoba Department Grant Sub-Total	\$180,770.00
	2017-2018 Total	\$487,731.00

2016-2017 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Wolf-Ungulate Dynamics in Riding Mountain National Park	\$30,000.00
University of Calgary	Influences of industry on Woodland Caribou decline in Northern Manitoba and West- Central Alberta	\$7,000.00
University College of the North	Small Mammal Population Diversity and Density Comparison between a Mature Black Spruce Forest (the control)	\$3,352.70
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Understanding Moose Ecology in Manitoba	\$120,480.00
Nature Conservancy of Canada	Winter Weather Watchers Program	\$4,150.00
Rural Municipality of Stuartburn	Home Range & Seasonal Movements of the Caribou-Vita Cross Border (Manitoba- Minnesota) Elk Population	\$17,720.00
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers' Museum Public Education Program	\$7,175.00
Wild Gobblers Unlimited	Manitoba Wild Turkey Management	\$7,000.00
Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre	Willow Bluff Boardwalk	\$18,900.00
Boreal Woods Nature Centre	Boreal Woods Nature Center	\$4,208.75
Brandon Wildlife Association	Wild Turkey Trap	\$1,450.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	GO HUNT-Hunting Recruitment Pathway Program Expansion, Promotion and Development	\$27,000.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Bringing Indigenous and Non-Indigenous Communities Together for Moose Conservation	\$19,260.00

	Organization Grant Sub-Total	\$267,696.45
Sustainable Development and Canadian Wildlife Service-	Harvest and Survival Rates of Adult Canvasbacks in Southern Manitoba	\$35,000.00
Sustainable Development and Canadian Wildlife Service-	Spring Migration Chronology of Canada Geese and Cackling Geese	\$50,952.58
Sustainable Development - Eastern Region	Trapper Involvement in Predator-Prey Research	\$29,390.00
Sustainable Development - Wildlife and Fisheries Branch	White-tailed Deer Population Monitoring – A Review and Assessment of Techniques	\$4,500.00
	Manitoba Department Grant Sub-Total	\$119,842.58
	2016-2017 Total	\$387,539.03

2015-2016 Wildlife Projects		
Organization	Project Name	Amount
Whiteshell Fur Council	Whiteshell Trappers' Museum Public Education Program	\$5,300.00
Manitoba Lodges and Outfitters Association	East Side Moose Futures Meeting	\$12,804.00
Duck Mountain Trappers Association	Duck Mountain Trappers Educational Center	\$30,000.00
Manitoba Model Forest Inc.	Educator and Student Experiential Learning of Wildlife and Fisheries Management	\$31,950.00
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Moose-Wolf Dynamics in Manitoba - How do Wolves affect Moose	\$30,000.00
50th North American Moose Conference	50th North American Moose Conference and Workshop & 8th International Moose Symposium	\$10,000.00
Manitoba Wildlife Federation	Creating a Comprehensive Hunting Recruitment Plan and Information System for Manitoba	\$66,700.00
Rural Municipality of Stuartburn	Home Range and Seasonal Movements of the Caribou-Vita Cross Border (Manitoba- Minnesota) Elk	\$12,000.00
	Organization Grant Sub-Total	\$198,754.00
Conservation and Water Stewardship - Northwest Region	North Interlake Elk Population Range Delineation and Population Estimate	\$41,410.00
Conservation and Water Stewardship - Wildlife Branch	Sharp-Tailed Grouse Harvest Survey	\$9,660.00
	Manitoba Department Grant Sub-Total	\$51,070.00
	2015-2016 Total	\$249,824.00