

Applicant	Project Name	County	Award	Project Type	Project Description
<b>Recommended for Funding</b>					
EmpowHer Institute	EmpowHer Social Justice STEAM Camp	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide a summer program for girls of color, ages 12-15, that explores the use of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) to address social justice empowerment through marine science and ocean activities such as snorkeling, kayaking, and scuba diving. Includes a visit to Catalina Island and instruction from a marine biologist.
Acta Non Verba: Youth Urban Farm Project	Nurturing with Nature	Alameda	\$242,310.00	Program	Project to provide 240 low-income youth of color with approximately 43 trips to natural and cultural resources, including junior counselor leadership program for middle school and high school students.
Friends of the Urban Forest	Reimagining Urban Forestry Workforce Development	San Francisco	\$286,718.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to create a Green Workforce Development Program for approximately 50 underserved and low-income youth. Program includes field trips to natural and cultural resources and healthy living workshops. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.
Outward Bound Adventures	African American Experience in Early California	Los Angeles	\$204,041.28	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support 120 youth from disadvantaged communities of color in South Los Angeles and Northwest Pasadena on 3-day/2-night camping trips to explore the history of the African American experience in early California. Youth will engage in physically challenging activities that promote community building, leadership development, and Leave No Trace ethics. Includes the acquisition of two clean vehicles.
Sonoma County Regional Parks	YES! Parks	Sonoma	\$297,320.00	Program	Project to provide 160 youth with access to multiple Sonoma County Regional Parks through field trips, overnight camping trips, and stewardship projects.
Social Advocates for Youth, San Diego, Inc.	Youth Empowerment Program	San Diego	\$237,156.00	Program	Project to provide 30 field trips to natural and cultural resources and train approximately 50 youth through a Youth-Led Participatory Action Research framework to conduct community needs assessments to address challenges impacting youth wellbeing.
Institute for Public Strategies	The East County Outdoor Youth Empowerment and Adventure Program	San Diego	\$300,000.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to create a new outdoor access program for 18 youth participants and 18 youth interns. In addition to day trips and a multi-day camping trip, youth will learn about health, wellness, and empowerment. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.
New Village Girls Academy	Outdoor and Cultural Education for Disadvantaged Adolescent Girls of Color	Los Angeles	\$57,500.00	Program	Project to support one year of the outdoor education and wellness program at New Village Girls Academy for approximately 100 vulnerable youth. Participants engage in 36 access experiences including a multi-day backpacking trip to Yosemite National Park.
Coalition for Engaged Education	Pathways out of Poverty and Recidivism for L.A.'s Systems-Involved Youth through Outdoor and Cultural Enrichment Programming	Los Angeles	\$100,000.00	Program	Project to serve approximately 255 transition-age, systems involved youth through nature and cultural heritage enrichment activities over two years.
Adventure Risk Challenge	Hybrid Vehicles for Outdoor Leadership Program in Rural Placer County	Placer	\$93,579.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to acquire two clean vehicles to transport youth and supplies for outdoor excursions including backpacking, rock climbing, skiing, and rafting.
Coastal Watershed Council	Watershed Rangers	Santa Cruz	\$87,287.00	Program	Project to support a total of six student cohorts of the Watershed Rangers afterschool program to increase youth access to the San Lorenzo River. Approximately 90 third through fifth grade youth in Santa Cruz will engage in youth-led, service-learning based field trips to the river, environmental education, and stewardship action projects.

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Yuba City, City of	Teen Resource for Environmental Education (TREE): Yuba City Outdoor Teen Leadership and Workforce Development Program	Sutter	\$271,563.00	Program	Project to provide a two-year intensive outdoor summer teen leadership program for youth ages 13-16. Program includes three week-long modules at different outdoor venues, guest speakers, and workforce development to teach leadership, team building, environmental science, career and higher educational opportunities, and healthy habitat building.
Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy	Inspiring Young Emerging Leaders (IYEL)	San Francisco	\$299,711.00	Program	Project to support the ongoing Inspiring Young Environmental Leaders Program, a youth leadership program for underserved and low-income high school aged youth. Activities will occur at Mt. Tamalpais and Golden Gate National Recreation Area. Includes stipends for participants.
One Cool Earth	Earth Genius	San Luis Obispo	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support year-round weekly garden-based science program in outdoor classrooms at five schools and 45 one-day field trips to the coast. Students actively work in the gardens and learn about agriculture, local watersheds, nutrition, and land use. Includes Green Teams, a leadership program for older youth. Green Team members lead garden activities, support field trips, and take on campus greening projects.
Planting Justice	Food Sovereignty Leadership Program	Alameda	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support an agriculture and garden workforce development program for formerly incarcerated youth and other low-income and underserved youth. Includes a paid internship for 85 youth.
Project Avary	Outdoor Leadership Program for Children of Incarcerated Parents	Marin	\$271,622.00	Program	Project to support an existing outdoor leadership program for youth ages 8-18 with incarcerated parents. Grant funding contributes to 2-years of program services for approximately 1,200 youth participants and 800 youth leaders and includes age-appropriate outdoor activities to teach positive social-life skills through weekend outings, overnight retreats, summer camps, teen adventure days and family camp. Includes leadership training that supports workforce readiness.
FOODWHAT INCORPORATED	Empowering Historically Marginalized Youth Through Equitable Access to Local Natural Resources	Santa Cruz	\$249,459.50	Program	Project to support the existing FoodWhat Program, an agricultural based leadership development program for two years. Paid interns will work on two organic farms in the Santa Cruz region.
Boys & Girls Club of Greater Ventura	MC ² (My Culture, My Community or Mi Cultura, Mi Comunidad) for Greater Ventura Youth	Ventura	\$141,452.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support a two-year field trip program to natural and cultural resources for underserved and low-income youth at four Boys & Girls Clubs. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.
Pomona, City of	Let's MOVE Pomona!	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Vehicle Acq	Project to acquire two clean energy 18-passenger buses with ADA accessibility to transport approximately 4,000 youth on trips to natural and cultural resources.
John Muir Land Trust	Family Harvest Farm - Natural Resource Workforce & Leadership Development for Foster Youth	Contra Costa	\$133,500.00	Program	Project to support an urban farming program at the Family Harvest Farm for youth ages 6-24. Includes hiring 15 transition age foster youth in a farm apprenticeship. Program includes field trips, organic farming and conservation education.
Woodcraft Rangers	Woodcraft Rangers EcoWarriors Youth Leadership Program	Los Angeles	\$299,882.84	Program	Project to support a 3-day/2-night nature camp retreat for more than 400 middle school and high school age youth. High school students serve as members of a Youth Advisory Council and receive a stipend. Retreat programming included hiking, bird watching, kayaking, paddleboarding, rock climbing, astronomy, and archery.

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San Joaquin County Office of Education	Durham Ferry Outdoor Education Center-Let's Play Outside! Summer Camp	San Joaquin	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide 400 students K - 7 in San Joaquin County with a four-day summer camp where students will engage in hiking, archery, STEM activities, kayaking and healthy eating. Paid youth leaders and camp counselors will be recruited from underserved and low-income communities
R.M. Pyles Boys Camp	Pyles Youth Development Program	Tulare	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide a 2-week youth development, wilderness camping program for low-income and underserved boys and young men. Includes transportation for youth to attend camp.
Los Angeles, County Of Department of Parks and Recreation	Our SPOT: Summer at the Hollywood Bowl	Los Angeles	\$79,825.00	Program	Project to provide 500 underserved and low-income youth in Los Angeles County access to the Hollywood Bowl. Trips include a tour with discussions on the history and cultural legacy of the Bowl and a live performance.
City Surf Project	Belonging in the Natural World through Surfing: equitable access to coastal learning & leadership in ocean recreation	San Francisco	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to expand existing a surfing program for underserved and low-income high school youth. Includes a surf instruction leadership training program.
Gateway Mountain Center	Natural High Retreats	Nevada	\$299,989.75	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to provide 12 3-day nature retreats at Donner Summit for underserved and low-income youth. The Retreat ncludes opportunities for hiking, rock climbing, kayaking, swimming, and showshoeing. Includes acquisition of 1 clean vehicle.
Growth Opportunities through Athletics, Learning, & Service - GOALS	GOALS For Valcrest	Los Angeles	\$298,586.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to provide a two-year wilderness camping and nature advocacy experience at historic Camp Valcrest in the Angeles National Forest. Approximately 984 low-income and underserved youth ages 9-18 will attend. In addition, another 100 youth ages 18-26 will serve as leaders. Project includes the acquisition of a clean passengar van.
Ventana Wildlife Society	Providing Youth of North Monterey County with Meaningful Outdoor Experiences and Empowering Them to Address Access Inequities	Monterey	\$297,483.86	Program	Project to fund outdoor nature programs for more than 2,000 youth in Monterey County, including an Outdoor Leadership Training Program for older youth. Program will provide transportation, pay park entrance fees, and provide bilingual instruction and materials.
Children's Bureau of Southern California	Oak View Youth Community Access Initiative	Orange	\$298,908.00	Program	Project to provide outdoor excursions, including day trips to Bolsa Chica Wetlands and Laguna Coast Wilderness Park, to youth ages 8-21. Includes workshops on healthy lifestyles, career exploration, history, mental health awareness, and environmental science.
Coachella Valley Unified School District	CVUSD Middle School Environmental Science Field Research	Riverside	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support field trips for middle school students enrolled in the District's elective Career Exploration Environment and Ecology course. Participants will conduct field observations and collect data to inform in-class projects.
Literacy for Environmental Justice	The Eco-Adventures Program: Expanding Youth's Worlds and Well-Being through Meaningful Connections with Nature	San Francisco	\$180,020.00	Program	Project to provide access to natural and cultural resources to approximately 2,000 youth in grades 3-12. Activities include kayaking, hikes, growing native plants, and environmental restoration at Candlestick Point State Recreation Area. Includes a youth leadership program.
Justice Outside	Outdoor Educators Institute	Alameda	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to deliver the Outdoor Educators Institute (OEI) program, which is an immersive, three month training program to underresourced young adults interested in pursuing a career in outdoor education, facilitation, and leadership. Includes a youth leadership component.

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San Gabriel Valley Conservation Corps	SGVCC Youth Resiliency & Engagement: Learning Through Nature and Action	Los Angeles	\$299,972.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to acquire an electric van to transport underserved and low-income youth, ages 16-26, on 40 outdoor trips. Field trip locations include educational hikes, environmental cleanups, and improvement projects throughout the San Gabriel Valley and the nearby mountains.
Los Angeles Boys & Girls Club	"World Outside Our Doorstep" Program	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to acquire an 8-10 passenger hybrid vehicle to transport approximately 240 youth on a total of 36-monthly nature outings and cultural experiences around Los Angeles and beyond over a 3-year period. The program includes youth led opportunities.
Family Assistance Program	Youth Exploring San Bernardino	San Bernardino	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support 600 foster, unhoued, and formerly incarcerated youth explore and enjoy outdoor experiences throughout San Bernardino County including hiking and camping, rock climbing, snow boarding, and whiterwater rafting.
Eden Youth and Family Center	Eden Youth Outdoors for All (EYofA)/Eden Juventud al Aire Libre Para Todos	Alameda	\$299,814.00	Program	Project to provide youth, ages 11-26, in Hayward with monthly field trips to natural and cultural resources and multiple overnight camping trips. Includes a youth-led outdoor awareness campaign.
Rose Foundation for Communities and the Environment	Rose Foundation's Summer Climate Justice Leadership Academy Program	Alameda	\$150,000.00	Program	Project to support a six-week summer program for approximately 25 high school aged youth to learn about environmental justice, social justice, and leadership. Includes field trips, hands-on learning labs, a multi-day camping trip, and stipends for youth.
Little Manila Rising	Our California: Healing and Leading our Community into the Outdoors	San Joaquin	\$259,997.50	Program	Project to expand an existing after school program for high school students to include immersive visits to multiple outdoor, cultural, and historical sites.
Friends of Sausal Creek	Sausal Creek Youth Learn and Lead Project (SCYLL)	Alameda	\$298,332.00	Program	Project to support on-site nature experiences and field trips for 400 students in Oakland. Includes a paid internship opportunity for older youth.
Point Reyes Bird Observatory dba Point Blue Conservation Science	Learners to Leaders: Advancing equitable outdoor access through K-12 watershed science education and early career training	Sonoma	\$295,322.08	Program	Project to provide watershed education to youth, ages 5-26, hands-on outdoor lessons at local plant nurseries and restoration sites around the Bay Area. Includes leadership opportunities in watershed restoration and environmental education to youth, ages 18-26, through paid early career training and apprenticeships.
Koreatown Youth and Community Center	Koreatown, Pico Union and Westlake (KPW) Rooted Youth	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide an outdoor education program for high school youth in Los Angeles. Includes stipends, construction of a demonstration garden, field trips to local parks, and environmental and cultural workshops.
Integral Community Solutions Institute	Youth, Environment and Cultural Wealth	Fresno	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide 200 youth a cultural and environmental enrichment experience near Sequoia National Park.
Green Arrow CoLab	Green Arrow CoLab - Connecting formerly incarcerated youth with nature	Los Angeles	\$287,700.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support a year-round gardening program to promote healing for low-income and underserved formerly incarcerated and justice involved youth at Chuco's Justice Center. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle and stipends for youth.
NatureTrack Foundation, Inc.	Fostering a Lifelong Fascination with Nature	Santa Barbara	\$97,445.00	Program	Project to support outdoor field trips to local beaches and trails within Santa Barbara County for K-12 students. Older youth will be recruited from local colleges to work as trip docents.

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Outdoor Outreach	Building Youth Resilience in the Outdoors	San Diego	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support outdoor experiences for 250 youth in Southeast San Diego. Outings will include half and full day trips to nearby green spaces and natural areas as well as opportunities outside of the community including state parks and beaches, national parks and forests, and wildlife refuges.
The Unity Care Group	Seasons of Learning	San Francisco	\$289,134.00	Program	Project to enhance the Seasons of Learning program by providing 24 trips to natural and cultural resources to foster youth. In this program youth will be taught new career paths, life skills, and leadership abilities.
Los Angeles, City of	CLASS Parks Youth Employment Internship Program (YEIP) – Outdoor Education Leadership Training	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support an outdoor internship program for 60 at-risk youth in Los Angeles. Participants receive hands-one training and gain knowledge in camping and outdoor skills, topographical maps, survival skills, astronomy, plants, and outdoor careers. Includes stipends for participants.
Los Angeles, County of, Department of Parks and Recreation	Los Angeles County Parks ESTEAM Youth Summer Camp	Los Angeles	\$285,163.00	Program	Project to expand a ten week ESTEAM (Environment, Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) summer camp for youth ages 6-12. Each camp week has a theme and includes field trips to local natural and cultural resources, guest speakers, and hikes.
The Wahine Project	Proyecto de Wahine	Monterey	\$ 275,000.00	Program	Project to expand a program to take rural youth from South Monterey County on outdoor experiences that will connect them to their indigenous land, their watershed, and the ocean. Includes 74 days of field trips and camp days during the project.
Boys and Girls Clubs of the North Valley	Outdoor Adventures for Teen Centers	Butte	\$47,713.00	Program	Project to provide 90 youth from three different Boys and Girls Clubs of the North Valley with outdoor excursions including Lassen National Park. Includes one four-day camping trip.
Friends of the Los Angeles River	LA River Fellowship	Los Angeles	\$228,573.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support 12 months of the LA River Fellowship Program, a workforce development program for underrepresented high school age youth. Fellows attend weekly workshops at Lewis McAdams Riverfront Park, an multi-day camping trip in the Eastern Sierras, a paddle trip, and conduct habitat restoration at Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Reserve. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.
Wilderness Youth Project	Bridge to Nature	Santa Barbara	\$288,812.96	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support outdoor access to nature and mentoring programs for underserved and low-income youth ages 7-17. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.
Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Monica	Outdoor, Nature and Cultural Programs and Field Trips	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to provide 1,000 youth, ages 6-18, with nature and cultural field trips and programs over two years, consisting of hiking, field trips to local, state and national parks, environmental education, camping trips, bird watching, cultural field trips to museums, and gardening education. Includes stipends for leader in training participants.
Boys & Girls Clubs of San Francisco	Green Vehicle & Electric Charging Stations to Enable Outdoor Access and Cultural Field Trips and Programs	San Francisco	\$295,020.00	Program/Vehicle Acq/Capital	Project to acquire two transit passenger vans and install two Level 2 charging stations at their clubhouses to support various resource access programs, including taking youth to Camp Mendocino.

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Reef Check Foundation	Dive Into Science — Coastal Chumash	Los Angeles	\$299,800.00	Program	Project to expand an existing scuba and marine biology program for tribal youth. Youth from the Coastal Band of Chumash Nation will be trained and certified in Open Water, Advanced and Rescue SCUBA, and engaged in courses in marine biology, ocean conservation, and monitoring kelp forest ecosystems. Includes a six-day trip to Emerald Bay in Catalina and more than 40 days of ocean diving.
Conservation Corps of Long Beach	Conservation Corps of Long Beach Experiential Learning & Leadership Program	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to support a wilderness immersion program from California Conservation Corps members. Youth receive wilderness exploration training, and two multi-day camping trips. Includes the acquisition of two clean vehicles.
Watts Labor Community Action Committee	WLCAC Clean Vehicle and Youth Nature Excursion Access	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to acquire a 10+ passenger EV transit vehicle to transport youth to bi-monthly and quarterly nature experiences or outdoor excursions. Includes a paid leadership internship program.
Action Network	Connecting Through Culture	Mendocino	\$234,716.77	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to provide cultural and outdoor experiences focused on indigenous practices for underserved and low-income youth ages 8-18. Includes two paid youth internships and clean vehicle acquisition.
Kings River Conservancy	Kings River Conservancy Youth Led Program (KRCYLP)	Fresno	\$213,940.00	Program	Project to provide youth, ages 10-18, with nature outings and a camp experience to learn about leadership, mental wellness and natural resources in the Kings River. Youth will gain career skills, survival and life training skills, water safety training and certification, learn biology of water systems, and history of local Native populations.
San Diego State University Foundation	SERG Habitat Restoration Internship for Youth from Low Income/Disadvantaged Communities	San Diego	\$285,759.12	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to hire three-full time interns for a paid six-month internship with San Diego State University's Soil Ecology Restoration Group. Includes acquisition of a clean vehicle to transport interns to field sites.
Communities United for Restorative Youth Justice (CURYJ)	Re-Rooting to Earth and Ourselves: Cultural Healing for Systems-Impacted Young People	Alameda	\$299,999.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to increase field trip opportunities for formerly incarcerated youth participating in a Youth Leadership Development and Community Healing Program. Trips include a 2-night camping trip to state or national parks, and day trips to local resources. Includes the acquisition of two clean vehicles.
The Anti-Recidivism Coalition	Youth Reentry Outdoors Program	Amador	\$216,840.00	Program/Vehicle Acq/Capital	Project to support transformative outdoor experiences for formerly incarcerated youths through nature-based excursions including whitewater rafting and a multi-day camping trip. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle and the installation of an electric charging station.
Gilroy, City of	Beyond Gilroy: Nature, Exploration, and Empowerment	Santa Clara	\$284,227.22	Program	Project to provide 80 underserved and low-income youth with four 1-day trips to natural resources and one overnight camping trip. Includes pre and post trip classroom and teambuilding activities.
Boys & Girls Clubs of Fresno County	Youth Outside Now!	Fresno	\$186,002.00	Program/Vehicle Acq	Project to implement the Ultimate Journey Program, which will serve approximately 300 youth from multiple Fresno County Boys & Girls Clubs. Project will engage youth in an exploration of the environment through a 3-day camping trip and day trips to surrounding national parks, and immersive outdoor curriculum on a weekly basis. Includes the acquisition of a clean vehicle.

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Wishtoyo Foundation	Sharing Chumash Culture and Wisdom	Los Angeles	\$150,000.00	Program	Project to integrate marine science education with Chumash culture, wisdom, and values with immersive learning experiences for K-12 students. Programming will occur at the Wishtoyo Chumash Village and includes camping experiences and STEAM opportunities.
Boys and Girls Clubs of Long Beach	Sowing to Healthy Eating	Los Angeles	\$172,500.00	Program	Project to provide a garden-based program at two clubhouses for approximately 350 underserved and low-income youth annually for 2 years. Includes youth leader program.
P.F. Bresee Foundation	Exploring the Outdoor Classroom: Traversing Beyond the Walls for 300 Underserved Youth	Los Angeles	\$294,000.00	Program	Project to provide approximately 300 underserved and low-income youth in Los Angeles with 14 cost trips and overnight excursions to natural and cultural resources. Includes stipends for 12 youth leaders to serve as peer mentors.
Urban Corps of San Diego County	Corps Resilience through the Outdoors Program	San Diego	\$280,680.00	Program	Project to provide 300 Corpsmembers monthly access trips to cultural and natural resources throughout San Diego County. Includes leadership opportunity on the Corpsmember Advisory Board.
Fernandeno Tataviam Band of Mission Indians	Traveling Tataveaveat (TATAVIAM LAND)	Los Angeles	\$300,000.00	Program	Project to support cultural educational programming and field trips for up to 85 youth from the Fernandeno Tataviam Band of Mission Indians territory. Includes trips to Angeles National Forest and the LA River, hikes and an overnight camping trip.
The Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles	Watts Rising Youth Ambassador Program (WR-YAP)	Los Angeles	\$250,000.00	Program	Project to create a one-year pilot program to recruit youth ambassadors to organize climate action clubs at local high schools in the community of Watts. Includes camping trips to national parks and day trips to local parks.
Merced, City of	My City Mentoring Project-Transportation for Outdoor Recreation	Merced	\$102,764.00	Vehicle Acq	Project to acquire two clean vehicles to expand the My City Mentoring Program, a 12 week program that connects youth in a substance abuse treatment program to the benefits of the outdoors. Includes trips to locations such as Yosemite National Park, Merced Wildlife Refuge, and regional parks.
<b>Total Recommended (71 Projects)</b>			<b>\$17,697,140.88</b>		