



**New Hampshire State Conservation Committee
Conservation Moose Plate Grant Program
Fiscal Year 2024 Application Form**



Refer to the State Conservation Committee's *Conservation Grant Application Instructions, 2024*.
This form may require "Enable Editing" to complete.

Section I: Application Information

1. Applicant

2. Applicant Mailing Address

3. Applicant Type *Select one*

- ☐ County Conservation District
- ☐ County Cooperative Extension Natural Resource Program
- ☐ Municipality (including agencies and commissions engaged in conservation programs)
- ☐ Qualified nonprofit organization (engaged in conservation programs)
- ☐ Public and private school (Kindergarten through Grade 12)
- ☐ Scout group

4. Project Title

5. Grant Request

6. Project Category *Select One*

- ☐ 1. Water Quality and Quantity: Restore, enhance, maintain or protect.
- ☐ 2. Wildlife Habitat: Create, restore, enhance, manage or protect.
- ☐ 3. Soil Conservation and Flooding: Reduce or prevent erosion, or improve soils.
- ☐ 4. Best Management Practices: Plan and implement for agriculture, storm water or forestry.
- ☐ 5. Conservation Planning: Accomplish a conservation project or outcome that includes a public involvement component.
- ☐ 6. Land Conservation: Permanent land protection through conservation easement or fee acquisition and / or associated transaction and stewardship costs.

7. Project Location

Street Address:

Municipality:

County:

Landowner Name:

8. Legal Contact *Person authorized to sign Application*

Name:

Title:

Telephone:

Email:

9. Project Contact *if different from Legal Contact*

Name:

Title:

Telephone:

Email:

10. Previous SCC Conservation Grant Awards

A. Recipient of a SCC Conservation Grant: ☐ Yes or ☐ No

B. Award Year of most recent SCC Grant: or ☐ NA

Targeted completion date for open SCC Grant:

11. Authorization to submit a State Conservation Committee Conservation Moose Plate Grant

Signature of Legal Contact

Date

Type Name:

Section II: Project Narrative

1. **Executive Summary** (500 Character Limit)

2. **Project Description** (2,500 Character Limit)

3. Project Tasks (4,500 Character Limit)

4. **Conservation Priorities** (4,000 Character Limit)

5. **Regional Context** (3,000 Character Limit)

6. Long-Term Project Management and Stewardship (2,000 Character Limit)

7. Applicant Institutional Capacity and Project Partners (2,000 Character Limit)

8. Water Quality and Quantity Projects Only - Additional Narrative *(Project Category 1)*

A. Best Management Practices (1,000 Character Limit)

B. 319 Projects (1,000 Character Limit)

C. Pollution Estimate Reductions (1,000 Character Limit)

9. **Land Conservation Projects Only – Narrative, Property Table, Resource Table** *(Project Category 6)*

A. **Land Conservation Project Narrative**

1) **Conservation Easement and/or Fee Deed: Reserved Rights, Other Unique Terms** (1,300 Characters)

2) **Conversion Threat and/or Opportunity** (1,000 Character Limit)

3) **Additional Information – Extra Space** (1,000 Character Limit)

B. **Land Conservation Tables** *See SCC website for Land Conservation PDFs.*

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|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Single Property Table completed | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Multi-Property Table completed | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Property Resource Table completed | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Section III. Budget: Task Budget and Total Project Budget

See SCC website for Budget PDFs. All Budgets listed below are required

1. Task Budget(s).

2. Total Project Expense Budget and Total Project Revenue Budget.

Section IV. Appendices

- ☐ . Project Site Map *(required)*
- ☐ . Regional Map *(required)*
- ☐ . Natural Resource Maps *(as applicable)*
- ☐ . Photographs *(optional)*
- ☐ . Landowner Consent *(required, except for projects that are not parcel specific)*
- ☐ . Project Site Plan *(as applicable)*
- ☐ . Permits and Approvals *(as applicable)*
- ☐ . Letters of Support *(as applicable & required for certain projects)*
- ☐ . Other Supporting Documentation *(as applicable)*

Task Budget				
Task Title:			Task Budget #	
Will SCC Grant Funds be used for this task?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Task Completion Date	
Project Expense	SCC Grant Funds Requested	Other Project Funds: Cash	Other Project Funds: InKind	Total: SCC + Other Project Funds
Supplies, Materials				
Equipment				
Purchases				
Contract Services				
Staff & Administrative Indirect				
Other (describe)				
Total				

Total Project Expense Budget				
Project Expense Description	SCC Grant Funds Requested	Other Project Funds: Cash	Other Project Funds: Inkind	Total: SCC + Other Project Funds
Supplies, Materials				
Equipment				
Purchases				
Contract Services				
Staff & Administrative Indirect				
Other				
Total				
SCC Grant Funds Percentage of Total Budget:				

Total Project Revenue Budget		
Cash Funds		
Funding Source	Amount	Funding Status: Secure; Pending (date); To Be Determined
SCC Grant Request		December, 2023
Total Cash		
In-Kind Funds		
Type of Volunteer	Amount	How value was determined
Total Inkind		
Total Cash and Inkind		

**New Hampshire State Conservation Committee
Conservation License Plate Grant Program
Landowner Acknowledgment and Consent**

As the owner of the property identified in the New Hampshire State Conservation Committee Conservation License Plate application submitted by
(Applicant), I consent to the project as described and the submission of this application.

Landowner Acknowledgment

Signature _____

Print/Type Name

Date _____

Address

OR

Governing Body Acknowledgment

Governing Body

Municipality (if appropriate)

Signature _____

Duly Authorized Representative

Print/Type Name

Date _____

Address

SCC Land Conservation Project: Single Property Project

1	Property Name	
2	Conservation Action	
	Conservation Easement (CE) and/or Fee Project	
3	Acres	
	Total Property Acres	
	Conservation Fee Acres	
	Conservation Easement Acres	
4	Property Landowner & Easement Holder	
	Property Owner (Fee)	
	Easement Holder	
5	Purchase and Sale or Option Agreement	
	Yes: Term (expiration date)	
	No: Explanation	
6	Appraisal - Property Assessment	
	Yes Appraisal: Report Date (date)	
	No Appraisal: Assessment Method	
	Appraised / Assessed Value Conservation Easement (\$)	
	Appraised /Assessed Value Fee (\$)	
7	Donation and/or Bargain Sale	
	Yes / No / To Be Determined	
8	Purchase Price	
	Fee Purchase Price (\$)	
	Conservation Easement Purchase Price (\$)	
	SCC Grant Fund Portion (\$)	
9	Stewardship	
	Stewardship Policy	
	Stewardship Endowment Fund	
	Land Trust Accredited by Land Trust Alliance (as applicable)	
10	Transaction Costs	
	Total Transaction Costs (\$)	
	SCC Grant Fund Portion (\$)	
11	Closing Date (month/Year)	

SCC Land Conservation Project: Multi-Tract Project

		Property Name Sample 1	Property Name Sample 2	Property Name Sample 3
1	SCC Grant Property Yes / No			
2	Conservation Action			
	Conservation Easement (CE) and/or Fee			
3	Acres			
	Total Property Acres			
	Conservation Fee Acres			
	Conservation Easement Acres			
4	Property Landowner & Easement Holder			
	Fee Owner			
	Easement Holder			
5	Purchase and Sale or Option Agreement			
	Yes: Term (expiration date)			
	No: Explanation			
6	Appraisal - Property Assessment			
	Yes Appraisal: Report Date (date)			
	No Appraisal: Assessment Method			
	Appraised / Assessed Value Conservation Easement (\$)			
	Appraised /Assessed Value Fee (\$)			
7	Donation and/or Bargain Sale			
	Yes / No / To Be Determined			
8	Purchase Price			
	Fee Purchase Price (\$)			
	Conservation Easement Purchase Price (\$)			
	SCC Grant Fund Portion (\$)			
9	Stewardship			
	Stewardship Policy			
	Stewardship Endowment Fund			
	Land Trust Accredited by Land Trust Alliance (as applicable)			
10	Transaction Costs			
	Total Transaction Costs (\$)			
	SCC Grant Fund Portion (\$)			
11	Closing Date (month/Year)			

SCC Land Conservation Project: Property Resources		Yes / No	Acres	% Total Easement or Fee Acres	Description
	Acres				
a	Total Property acres				
b	Total Conservation Easement or Fee acres				
c	Zoning District				Describe e.g. Rural; Residential; Commercial
2	Agriculture				
a	Significant agricultural soils:				
	Local Importance				
	State Importance				
	Prime Soils				
b	Actively managed agriculture land e.g. cropland, hayfields, pastures				
c	Other Open Land				
d	Property is operated as a commercial farm				
e	Non-commercial farmland or managed for wildlife				
3	Forests				
a	Total Forest acres				
b	Forest Type				Forest Type:
c	Forest Soils - Group 1 (optional)				
d	Forest - Actively Managed				
e	Forest Management Plan				Year Plan prepared:
4	Water Resources				
a	Wetlands (NWI acreage)				
b	Floodplain (FEMA 100 Year Floodplain)				
c	Shoreline/Surface water Linear Feet		LF		
d	Aquifer				
e	Public Drinking Water				Water Source:

5	Wildlife Habitat, Ecological Resources				
a	Threatened and Endangered Species: NH Natural Heritage Bureau				
b	Exemplary Natural Community: NH Natural Heritage Bureau				
c	Wildlife Action Plan critical habitat (NHFG)				
	Tier 1- Highest Ranked Habitat in NH				
	Tier 2- Highest Ranked Habitat in Biological Region				
	Tier 3 - Supporting Landscape				
6	Resilient Landscape & Connectivity				
a	Climate Resiliency (The Nature Conservancy Resilient Lands)				
b	Wildlife Connectivity				Source:
c	Abuts conserved land				
7	Conservation Priority Area				
a	Conservation Priority Area (Municipal, Regional, State or Federal)				Source:
8	Public Access, Scenic, Historic & Cultural Resources				
a	Public access will be allowed and/or required				Describe type of access, recreation use:
b	Trails - existing and/or proposed				
c	Public water access for recreation				
d	Scenic vista, viewshed				
e	Historic, cultural resources				Describe: