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**Conservation Moose Plate 2023 Grant Awards Announced
by the NH SCC Conservation Grant Program**

The New Hampshire State Conservation Committee has awarded twenty Conservation Moose Plate Grants to municipalities and conservation organizations, totaling \$487,600

The New Hampshire State Conservation Committee's 2023 Conservation Moose Plate Grant Program has awarded \$487,600 in grant funds to twenty projects that will protect, restore, and enhance the state's valuable natural resources.

The NH State Conservation Committee's competitive grant program awards grants annually to exceptional projects that enhance conservation benefits in one of six project categories: Water Quality and Quantity, Wildlife Habitat, Soil Conservation and Flooding, Best Management Practices, Conservation Planning, and Land Conservation.

Eligible grant applicants include county conservation districts, municipalities, qualified conservation nonprofit organizations, county cooperative extension natural resource programs, public and private schools (Kindergarten through Grade 12), and scout groups.

To view a list of the 2023 grant recipients and to learn more about the State Conservation Committee's annual Conservation Grant Program, visit <http://www.nh.gov/scc/grants/>

The SCC Conservation Grant Program is funded through the sale of Conservation and Heritage License Plates, known as "Moose Plates". Vehicle owners may purchase conservation license plates for \$38 the first year, and \$30 in succeeding years when renewing or registering a vehicle. To learn more, visit www.mooseplate.com.



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NH State Conservation Committee ~ Conservation Moose Plate 2023 Grant Recipients				
Recipient	Project	Grant Award	Municipality	County
Ammonoosuc Conservation Trust	Swiftwater Farm	\$17,000.00	Haverhill	Grafton
Ausbon Sargent Land Preservation Trust	Bradford Bog Headwaters	\$24,000.00	Bradford	Merrimack
Bear-Paw Regional Greenways	Coveland Farm	\$25,000.00	Strafford	Strafford
Bear-Paw Regional Greenways	Hume Conservation Easement	\$10,505.00	Nottingham	Rockingham
Belknap County Conservation District	Wood Ash / Lime Spreader Equipment for Belknap County	\$30,000.00		Belknap
Carroll County Conservation District	Carroll County Stream Restoration Project	\$23,500.00	Jackson	Carroll
Town of Fremont Conservation Commission	Glen Oaks Forest Expansion	\$30,000.00	Fremont	Rockingham
Lakes Region Conservation Trust	Land Conservation on Berry Bay, Ossipee Lake	\$30,000.00	Freedom	Carroll
Merrimack County Conservation District	Morrill Farm Dairy Fencing Project	\$22,750.00	Penacook	Merrimack
Moose Mountains Regional Greenways	Keating Conservation Easement	\$21,000.00	Milton	Strafford
Moose Mountains Regional Greenways	Steer Conservation Easement	\$20,000.00	Milton	Strafford
National Wildlife Turkey Federation	White Mountain Forest Forest Opening Restoration Project	\$29,845.00	Campton	Grafton
Piscataquog Land Conservancy	Clarkridge Farm Conservation Easement	\$24,000.00	Goffstown	Merrimack
City of Portsmouth	Wetland Delineation Update for Portsmouth, NH	\$20,000.00	Portsmouth	Rockingham
Society for the Protection of NH Forests	Coskie Conservation Easement	\$25,000.00	Middleton	Strafford
Society for the Protection of NH Forests	Deepwood Forest Conservation Easement	\$25,000.00	Canterbury & Northfield	Merrimack
Southeast Land Trust of NH	Landry - Nippo Lake	\$20,000.00	Barrington	Strafford
Squam Lakes Association	Squam Watershed Variable Milfoil Management	\$30,000.00		Grafton, Carroll & Belknap
Town of Stoddard Conservation Commission	Little Big Forest	\$30,000.00	Stoddard	Cheshire
Strafford County Conservation District	Sam Plumber Culvert Replacement	\$30,000.00	Milton	Strafford