



Washington Association of Conservation Districts

Funding Opportunities for Washington Conservation Districts

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WACD is partnering with the [Washington Conservation Society](#) (WCS) to share grant opportunities! Please note that some funders require your conservation district to use a 501(c)3 entity as a fiscal agent (also called a [fiscal sponsor](#)). Conservation districts can choose to partner with the WCS or another non-profit if a fiscal agent is needed.

Funding Entity	Areas of Interest	Location	Application Process	Due Date
National Fish and Wildlife Foundation	NFWF provides competitive grants to accelerate the voluntary adoption of regenerative agriculture principles and conservation practices on private working lands in priority geographic areas. Grants range in size but are typically between \$200,000 to \$1million. The focus for Washington State is on grazing lands.	Washington State	On-line Grant Application	7/15/25
				Review Period: July-November 2025
				Awards Announced: December 2025

National Forest Foundation	Collaborative Capacity Program for Forests & Communities grant builds Washington State capacity for forest stewardship.	Washington State	Proposal Packet	June 2025
Mrs. Meyers Clean Day Gardening Grant	The Lots of Compassion Grant program supports local leaders looking to transform vacant lots into gardens to help grow compassion in their community. In 2025, 10 grantees will receive \$20,000 each to transform a vacant lot into a garden.	Washington State	On-line Application	6/16/25
Nature's Path Organic Foods Plant it Forward Grant	Gardens for Good awards grants to support non-profit community gardening projects providing accessible, healthy, organic food to their communities. \$6,500 per garden, 10 gardens will be selected in 2025.	Washington State	On-line Application	6/17/25
Brutten Family Foundation	The Brutten Family Foundation funds projects that aspire to actively support the environment, education, and mental health. Grants are provided to groups of all sizes, but	Washington State	On-line Application	On-going

we seek partners that
have a clear strategy and
goal toward supporting
the well-being of
communities.

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