

**Virginia Land Conservation Foundation  
Board of Trustees Meeting  
Monday, November 14, 2022 – 1:00 p.m.  
East Reading Room, Patrick Henry Building, Richmond, VA**

***DRAFT AGENDA***

Welcome

1. Call to Order, Introduction of Members, Opening Remarks: *Travis Voyles, Acting Secretary of Natural and Historic Resources – 10 minutes*

Business and Financial Matters

2. Approval of Minutes from July 12, 2022 Board Meeting – *1 minute*
3. Update on the three parcels in Shenandoah County willed to the VLCF – *Suzan Bulbulkaya, Land Conservation Manager, DCR – 5 minutes*
4. Virginia Land Conservation Fund Financial Update: *Sharon Partee, Director of Finance, DCR – 5 min*

Land Preservation Tax Credit Program

5. Update from Department of Taxation: *Larry Durbin, Assistant Tax Commissioner, Department of Taxation – 15 minutes*
6. LPTC Program Transfer Fee Revenues and Approval of distribution of the 2021 VLCF Stewardship Fund, pursuant to § 58.1-513: *Gina DiCicco, Land Conservation Specialist, DCR – 10 minutes*

VLCF Grant Program

7. Recently Completed VLCF Grant Projects: *Larry Mikkelson, Land Conservation Specialist, DCR – 10 minutes*
8. FY23 Grant Round – *60 minutes*
  - a. Grant Round Overview: *Suzan Bulbulkaya, Land Conservation Manager, DCR*
  - b. Presentation of Recommended Grant Applications from the Interagency Taskforce:
    - i. Farmland Preservation: *Jen Perkins, Coordinator, Office of Farmland Preservation, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services*

- ii. Forestland Preservation: *Karl Didier, Forestland Conservation Program Manager, Department of Forestry*
- iii. Historic Areas Preservation: *Karri Richardson, Easement Program Specialist, Department of Historic Resources*
- iv. Natural Area Protection: *Jason Bulluck, Director, Virginia Natural Heritage Program, DCR*
- v. Open Spaces and Parks: *Kristal McKelvey, Recreation Grants Manager, Planning & Recreation Resources Division, DCR*

c. Comments from Grant Applicants and the Public

d. Board Discussion and Approval of FY23 Grant Awards

9. Public Comment

10. Adjourn

**Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees**

*Chairman:* The Honorable Travis Voyles, Acting Secretary of Natural and Historic Resources

*Vice Chair:* Mary-Carson Stiff

*Member Ex Officio:* The Honorable Matthew Lohr, Secretary of Agriculture and Forestry

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Dr. James F. Casey

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*Executive Secretary:* Matthew Wells, Director, Department of Conservation and Recreation

**Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees  
Tuesday, July 12, 2022  
Richmond Public Library  
Richmond Virginia**

**TIME AND PLACE**

The meeting of the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees took place at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at the Richmond Public Library.

**VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEMBERS PRESENT**

The Honorable Travis Voyles, Chair

Deputy Secretary Beth Green for the Honorable Matthew Lohr

Mary-Carson Stiff, Vice Chair

Jay C. Ford

Krys White

Susan E. Donner

The Honorable David W. Marsden

Bruce VlK

Elizabeth Andrews

Glenda C. Booth

Matthew S. Wells, DCR Director, *ex officio*

Lisa Quigley

**VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEMBERS NOT PRESENT**

Dr. James F. Casey

Leslie Cockburn

Kat Imhoff

Andrew C. Jennison

Samantha Vargas Poppe

Sonya Powell

The Honorable Richard H. Stuart

**AGENCY STAFF PRESENT**

Suzan Bulbulkaya, DCR

Kimberly Freiberger, DCR

Derrick Bolen, DCR

Dan Harmon, DCR

Jason Bulluck, DCR

Lisa McGee, DCR

Sherry Buttrick, VOF

Kristal McKelvey, DCR

Emi Endo, DCR

Larry Mikkelson, DCR

Gina DiCicco, DCR

Karri Richardson, DHR

Karl Didier, DOF

Frank Stovall, DCR

Laura Ellis, DCR

Allison Tillett, DCR

Rob Evans, DCR

Richard Mahevich, Office of the Attorney  
General

Michael R. Fletcher, DCR

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Parker Agelasto, Capital Region Land Conservancy

Jason Powell, Senate Finance Committee

Ellen Shepard, VaULT

**ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM**

With eleven (11) members of the Board present, a quorum was established.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Secretary Voyles called the meeting to order at 1:13 p.m. and asked for introductions for members and staff. Ms. Bulbulkaya also introduced the Inter Agency Team (IAT).

Secretary Voyles noted that with the passage of the state budget, there is a record \$16M to be appropriated for VLCF and \$12M for the land conservation grand program.

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM OCTOBER 27, 2021 BOARD MEETING**

Ms. Stiff moved that the minutes from the October 27, 2021 meeting of the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees be approved as submitted. Ms. Booth seconded and the motion carried.

#### **BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO FOIA** – *Michael Fletcher, FOIA Officer, Board and Constituent Services Liaison, DCR*

Mr. Fletcher gave a brief presentation regarding the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) as it applies to Board members.

#### **REAL PROPERTY IN SHENANDOAH COUNTY** – *Suzan Bulbulkaya, Land Conservation Manager, DCR*

Ms. Bulbulkaya gave an overview concerning three properties in Shenandoah County. Mr. Andrew Thomas Ogle left the parcels to the VLCF in his last will and testament. The properties are part of a development in the county and are not contiguous.

Ms. Bulbulkaya noted that the fiscal liability of the properties is beyond any benefit to the Foundation. Those include:

- Delinquent and accruing annual taxes and POA dues.
- Costs of due diligence required to accept title to the parcels
  - Surveys
  - Phase I Environmental Site Assessments
  - Title reports and insurance
- Realtor fees to sell the property

Ms. Bulbulkaya presented a draft resolution prepared by the Office of the Attorney General stating that the Board would not accept the properties.

Mr. Ford asked if this was the best way to handle the situation.

Ms. Andrews advised that this did happen on occasion but that the gifts were sometimes to the Commonwealth and not a specific entity. There is no requirement for the Board or the Commonwealth to accept the gift.

Senator Marsden suggested that there be standard language to provide to those who may wish to donate property in a similar manner.

Secretary Voyles advised that the specific motion was before the Board to deal with this property. He noted that the Board could have a detailed discussion of policies and procedures at a future meeting.

BOARD ACTION

Mr. Ford moved that the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees adopt the following Resolution:

VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FOUNDATION  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
RESOLUTION

Adopted July 12, 2022

WHEREAS, Andrew Thomas Ogle (“Ogle”) devised three parcels of land located in Shenandoah County to the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation (“VLCF”) in his last will and testament (“Will”);

WHEREAS, the three parcels are described as (i) Bryce Mountain Lot 83, Section 9, (ii) Bryce Mountain Lot 201, Section 9, and (iii) Bryce Mountain Lot 127, Section 12 (collectively, the “Property”), all located in the Sky Bryce Association, a homeowner’s association;

WHEREAS, Ogle died in May 18, 2020 and the executor of his estate probated the Will in the Clerk’s Office of the Circuit Court of Shenandoah County on November 16, 2020;

WHEREAS, VLCF never received notice of the devise of the Property nor was aware of the devise of the Property until it received a real estate tax bill from the Shenandoah County Treasurer, and a homeowner’s association assessments invoice from the Sky Bryce Association, Inc.;

WHEREAS, the Property does not further the objectives of VLCF nor does VLCF desire to take ownership of the Property;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby officially rejects acceptance of the Property as indicated in the recitals;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Director of the Department of Conservation and Recreation (“DCR”), and the Land Conservation Manager of DCR, either whom may act individually, are authorized, in the name and on behalf of the Board and VLCF to make, execute and deliver or cause to be made, executed and delivered, all actions necessary to disclaim any interest VLCF has in the Property and shall work in coordination with the Office of the Attorney General to disclaim the same.

Ms. Stiff seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

**VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FUND FINANCIAL UPDATE** – *Sharon Partee, Director of Finance, DCR*

Secretary Voyles advised that Ms. Partee was unable to attend the meeting. The Financial Update will be provided at the next meeting.

**REQUEST TO SPEND INTEREST FROM VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FUND, PURSUANT TO § 10.1-1020** – *Suzan Bulbulkaya, DCR*

Ms. Bulbulkaya advised that in accordance with §10.1-1020.G, the Department of Conservation and Recreation (Department) was requesting authorization to expend up to \$200,000 for the purposes of addressing existing administrative, web service and database-related expenses incurred by the Department in support of Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Related activities. Specifically, the funding will be used in support of staff working to assist with grant management, tracking and stewardship to include site inspections of VLCF projects, development and management of ConserveVirginia and related data, land conservation database support of the Foundation's mission, and fulfillment of reporting requirements.

**BOARD ACTION**

Senator Marsden moved that the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board approve the request from the Department of Conservation and Recreation to expend up to \$200,000 in FY 2023 for use consistent with the legislative authority on the use of interest generated by the Fund. *Code of Virginia § 10.1-1020.G.*

Ms. Booth seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

**UPDATE ON CLOSED VLCF GRANT PROJECTS** – *Larry Mikkelson, Land Conservation Specialist, DCR*

Mr. Mikkelson gave the update regarding existing VLCF grant projects. He noted that seven projects have closed since the October 2021 Board meeting. Nine of the approved projects have been withdrawn.

There are currently 56 open grants:

- There are five open grants from the FY20 VLCF grant round. These remaining grants have been extended until January 1, 2023.
- There are eight open grants from the FY21 grant round.
- There are 17 grants that remain open from the FY21 Round II grant round.
- For the FY22 grant round, 26 of the 30 grants awarded are active.

Mr. Mikkelson reported that the following seven VLCF grants and one Dominion Surry-Skiffes Creek grant have successfully closed since the October 27, 2021 VLCF Board meeting.

1. Clarke County Conservation Easement Authority – Smithfield Farm (FY2020).  
The Clarke County Conservation Easement Authority utilized a VLCF grant to acquire an open-space easement over the Smithfield Farm, a certified Century Farm- located adjacent to the West Virginia state line in Clarke County consisting of 196 acres.  
Grant Award: \$121,875  
Payment Amount: \$121,875  
Match: \$477,789
2. The Conservation Fund – Stanley Land and Lumber (FY2020)

Located at the confluence of Roanoke and Wards Ford Creeks, the Stanley Land and Lumber project now protects 5,004 acres of unparalleled forest habitat in Charlotte County through the creation of a new State Forest. Various sources of federal funding and the VLCF grant in the amount of \$300,000 were used by the Department of Forestry to purchase the land for long-term stewardship and management as Virginia's 26<sup>th</sup> sustainably managed state forest.

Grant Award: \$300,000

Payment Amount: \$300,000

Match: \$12,335,000

3. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Gateway to Cape Charles – Public Access Project (FY2020)

DCR's Natural Heritage Division utilized this VLCF grant, and Federal funds under the Coastal Zone Management program, to acquire this 20-acre property as an addition to the Cape Charles Natural Area Preserve in the town of Cape Charles in Northampton County.

Grant Award: \$237,888

Payment Amount: \$174,541

Match: \$677,101

Remaining Funds: \$63,347 to be returned to the Natural Areas category.

4. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Bush Mill Stream Natural Area Preserve Addition (FY2020)

DCR's Natural Heritage Program purchased a 41-acre property as an addition to Bush Mill Stream Natural Area Preserve in Northumberland County.

Grant Award: \$130,500

Payment Amount: \$125,956

Match: \$0

Remaining Funds: \$4,544 to be returned to the Natural Areas category.

5. Virginia Outdoors Foundation – Camp Kum-Ba-Yah (FY2020: FY2021: FY2022)

VLCF grants totaling \$530,941 helped to make possible the purchase of the 44-acre urban forest known as Camp Kum-Ba-Yah in the City of Lynchburg.

Grant Awards: \$201,134; \$79,807; \$250,000

Payment Amount: \$530,941

Match: \$529,732

6. Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation – Brill (FY2021)

A VLCF grant assisted in the Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation's (SBVF) acquisition of a 72-acre property in Warren County, which intersects the Cultural and Historic Preservation, Protected Landscapes Resilience, and Water Quality Improvement categories of ConserveVirginia.

Grant Award: \$411,807

Payment Amount: \$411,807

Match: \$1,021,182

7. Virginia Outdoors Foundation – Forkland Dairy (FY2021 Round 2; FY2022)

Virginia Outdoors Foundation utilized two VLCF grants, totaling \$1,000,000, to protect one of the last two dairies in Cumberland County with an open-space easement on the 904-acre Forkland Dairy Farm.

Grant Awards: \$500,000; \$500,000

Payment Amount: \$1,000,000

Match: \$850,247

8. American Battlefield Trust – Egger Tract (Dominion Surry-Skiffes Creek)

A VLCF grant through the Dominion Surry-Skiffes Creek settlement agreement helped the American Battlefield Trust acquire the 251.17 acre Egger Tract in York County, with frontage along both the Colonial National Parkway and Interstate 64.

Grant Awards: \$300,000; \$519,999

Payment Amount: \$819,999

Match: \$2,639,138

Mr. Mikkelson advised that the following nine projects were withdrawn since the October meeting.

1. Patrick Henry Memorial Foundation – Red Hill (FY2020)  
Grant Award: \$600,000
2. City of Suffolk Parks and Recreation – Blackwater River Park and South Quay Sandhills Natural Area Preserve (FY2020)  
Grant Award: \$400,000
3. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Wilderness Road Connectivity Property (FY2020)  
Grant Award: \$500,000
4. Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority – River Farm (FY2021)  
Grant Award: \$150,000
5. Department of Wildlife Resources – Eastern Shore Forest Conservation Initiative II (FY2021, Round 2)  
Grant Award: \$400,000
6. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Pickett’s Harbor Maritime Forest & Migratory Bird Protection (FY2021, Round 2)  
Grant Award: \$255,549
7. Department of Conservation and Recreation – The Cedars Natural Area Preserve Northeast Addition (FY2021, Round 2)  
Grant Award: \$164,000
8. Virginia Outdoors Foundation – The Green at the Science Museum of Virginia (FY2021, Round 2, FY2022)  
Grant Award: \$90,000; \$250,000
9. Department of Conservation and Recreation – The Cedars Natural Area Preserve Powell River Addition (FY2022)  
Grant Award: \$50,000

**VLCF FY23 GRANT ROUND** – *Suzan Bulbulkaya, DCR*

Ms. Bulbulkaya reviewed the funding plan for FY23.

**VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FOUNDATION  
GRANT FUNDING PLAN FOR FY23**

July 12, 2022

FUNDING CATEGORIES		FY23 Budget Bill Chapter 2, Item 375 A.1.	Unspent Grant Funds to be Approved & Reallocated	TOTAL Available for Grant Round
1.	I. VOF Open-Space Lands Preservation Trust Fund (25% per § 10.1-1020 C.)	\$4,000,000		
2.	II. Grant Program			
3.	(i) Farmland Preservation	\$2,400,000	0	\$2,400,000
4.	(ii) Forest Preservation	\$2,400,000	\$400,000	\$2,800,000
5.	(iii) Historic Area Preservation	\$2,400,000	\$600,000	\$3,000,000
6.	(iv) Natural Area Protection	\$2,400,000	\$937,440	\$ 3,337,440
7.	(v) Open Space and Parks	\$2,400,000	\$990,000	\$ 3,390,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		\$16,000,000	\$2,927,440	\$14,927,440

*Summary of Additional Unspent Grant Funds*

Forest Preservation	\$400,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20R2II, Dept. Wildlife Resources, E. Shore Forest Conservation Initiative II <b>\$400,000.</b>
Historic Area Preservation	\$600,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 Patrick Henry Mem. Foundation, Red Hill <b>\$600,000.</b>
Natural Area Protection	\$937,440	<u>Unexpended Remainder:</u> FY20 DCR-DNH, Bush Mill Stream NAP Addition <b>\$4,544</b> ; FY20 DCR-DNH, Gateway to Cape Charles NAP <b>\$63,347.</b> <u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 Suffolk Parks and Rec., Blackwater R. Park & South Quay Quay NAP Addition <b>\$400,000</b> ; FY21R2II DCR-DNH Pickett's Harbor Maritime Forest <b>\$255,549</b> ; FY21R2II DCR-DNH The Cedars NAP Northeast Addition <b>\$164,000</b> ; FY22 DCR-DNH, The Cedars NAP Powell River Addition <b>\$50,000.</b>
Open Space and Parks	\$990,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 DCR-State Parks, Wilderness Rd. Connectivity Prop. <b>\$500,000</b> ; FY21 NOVA Parks, River Farm <b>\$150,000</b> ; FY21R2II VOF, The Green at the Science Museum of VA <b>\$90,000</b> ; FY22 VOF, The Green at the Science Museum of VA <b>\$250,000.</b>

**Item 375 of Chapter 2 of the 2022 Virginia Acts of Assembly Special Session I**

A.1. Included in the amounts for Preservation of Open Space Lands is \$16,000,000 the first year and \$16,000,000 the second year from the general fund to be deposited into the Virginia Land Conservation Fund, § 10.1-1020, Code of Virginia. No less than 50 percent of the appropriations remaining after the transfer to the Virginia Outdoors Foundation's Open-Space Lands Preservation Trust fund has been satisfied are to be used for grants for fee simple acquisitions with public access or acquisitions of easements with public access. This appropriation shall be deemed sufficient to meet the provisions of § 2.2-1509.4, Code of Virginia. [**Grant Funds**]

2. Included in the amounts for Preservation of Open Space Lands is \$1,500,000 the first year and \$1,500,000 the second year from nongeneral funds to be deposited into the Virginia Land Conservation Fund to be distributed by the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation pursuant to the provisions of § 58.1-513, Code of Virginia. [**Stewardship Funds**]

Ms. Booth asked how the agency was addressing the area of underserved populations.

Ms. Bulbulya replied that DCR is reaching out to localities and to other partners.

Mr. Ford noted that there are many localities where the match is not an option. He asked if the agency had the ability to waive the match.

Director Wells noted that the match is a statutory requirement and that the agency could not legally waive or supply the match.

**PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR APPLICATIONS AND AWARDS** – Suzan Bulbulkaya, DCR

Ms. Bulbulkaya presented the following proposed timeline.

<b>Proposed FY23 VLCF Grant Schedule</b>	
<b>July 12, 2022</b>	<b>VLCF Board meeting</b> to approve grant manual and initiate the grant round request for proposals (RFP).
<b>Week of July 12, 2022</b>	<b>Announce</b> official opening of grant round (update website and send emails).
<b>Week of August 1, 2022</b>	<b>Virtual Grant Workshop:</b> orientation and program information for grant applicants. Continued outreach to underserved communities.
<b>Tuesday, September 6, 2022</b>	<b>Deadline for application submittal.</b>
<b>Weeks of September 19 and 26, 2022</b>	<b>Interagency taskforce meetings</b> to score projects - usually takes two meetings.
<b>Early October 2022</b>	<b>SNR and Director's review</b> of applications and recommendations of IAT.
<b>Late October 2022</b>	<b>VLCF Board meeting.</b> Approval of grant awards.
<b>By end of November 2022</b>	<b>Grant agreements sent to grant recipients.</b> Projects have two years to close.

**GRANT MANUAL AND APPLICATION** – Suzan Bulbulkaya, DCR

Ms. Bulbulkaya reviewed the grant manual with edits provided to the Board prior to the meeting. She noted that there were minor edits received after the mailing.

Ms. Booth commented that throughout the manual there were words such as conserve, preserve, and protect which are all a part of the VLCF mission. However in some areas, especially in suburban areas and historic areas there aren't areas to preserve but there is often need to restore.

Ms. Bulbulkaya noted that there is language that provides for infrastructure or restoration. She advised that the Inter Agency Team will consider the language in the Code of Virginia and how it could apply to future grant rounds if funding is available.

Ms. Stiff asked if it would be possible to post modifications to the grant manual online with more time for review prior to Board approval. That would allow time for public feedback.

Ms. Andrews asked if those who have gone through the process were surveyed.

Ms. Stiff noted that in 2021 a subcommittee had an open-ended discussion with stakeholders regarding the process and how it could be improved.

Ms. Green asked how often the due diligence reports must be submitted.

Ms. Bulbulkaya replied that the reports are due before the money is disbursed.

Senator Marsden asked if the agency could provide a summary paragraph of the changes when the edits are sent out.

Ms. Bulbulkaya noted that the version was sent with track changes, but that a summary paragraph could be added.

Director Wells commented that it would be appropriate to post the manual to allow for public comment prior to Board approval.

Ms. Bulbulkaya noted that the agency is looking into web-based applications that will allow for the application process to be put online. Hopefully that will be available for the 2023 (FY2024) grant round.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT ON GRANT ROUND MATERIALS**

Secretary Voyles called for public comment regarding the grant round materials.

Ms. Shepard expressed appreciation to Senator Marsden and the board for increasing funds and for adapting and including tribes. She noted appreciation for the comments regarding public participation. She commented that, both localities and non-profits would appreciate a reduced match or no required match.

There was no additional public comment.

#### **BOARD ACTION**

Senator Marsden moved that the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees approve the grant fiscal expenditure plan, the proposed timeline, and the revised grant manual for the FY2022 Grant Round.

Mr. Vlk seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Secretary Voyles called for additional public comment.

Mr. Ford asked what was being considered with tribal lands.

Ms. Bulbulkaya replied that it is uncertain how state law applies on sovereign lands. Traditionally, permanent conservation must be done under the Open Space Lands Act or the Conservation Easement Act.

Mr. Ford clarified that there would be no pause in tribal participation.

Mr. Mahevich (OAG) noted that those issues will be explored between now and the next meeting where the applications are formally reviewed. Any proposals that include tribal lands would have a recommendation as to how to accomplish that. Consideration will be given to the entity that is holding the land at the end of the grant process. This applies to both federal and state recognized tribes.

Senator Marsden noted that he had been working with Dominion regarding rooftop solar to take the pressure off of natural resources. The goal is to create 150K acres to meet the requirements of the Clean Economy Act. However there is competition regarding developing around forested lands. There needs to be a balance between protecting forested lands and having a significant amount of property for utility scale solar. He noted that he plans to suggest a public hearing during the next legislative session to hear from conservation organizations regarding these challenges.

Ms. Booth asked that the Board be provided with an updated roster. Mr. Fletcher agreed to send that out.

Ms. McKelvey noted that DCR is working on the 2023 Virginia Outdoors Plan. She invited members to participate in the Virginia Outdoors Survey. Mr. Fletcher will provide the link to the survey on the DCR website.

#### **ADJOURN**

Secretary Voyles thanked members and staff for their participation and support of the VLCF.

There was no further business and the meeting adjourned at 2:37 p.m.

## 2022 Virginia Land Conservation Foundation Stewardship Fund

	AGENCY NAME	NUMBER OF DONATIONS	% OF TOTAL DONATIONS	AMOUNT OF FUNDS
1	American Battlefield Trust (formerly Civil War Trust)	2	0.43%	\$9,107.70
2	Blue Ridge Land Conservancy	25.5	5.47%	\$116,123.12
3	Broad Water Innovations	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
4	Capital Region Land Conservancy Inc	8.5	1.82%	\$38,707.71
5	Central Virginia Battlefields Trust	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
6	City of Charlottesville	2	0.43%	\$9,107.70
7	City of Hampton	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
8	City of Harrisonburg	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
9	City of Staunton	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
10	County of Albemarle	26	5.57%	\$118,400.04
11	County of Clarke	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
12	County of Fauquier	13	2.79%	\$59,200.02
13	County of Loudoun	0.5	0.11%	\$2,276.92
14	County of Stafford	2.5	0.54%	\$11,384.62
15	County of Warren	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
16	Enrichmond Foundation	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
17	Ever Green Team	72	15.43%	\$327,877.04
18	Friends of Dragon Run	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
19	Friends of the Rappahannock	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
20	Historic Green Springs Inc.	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
21	Historic Virginia Land Conservancy	15	3.22%	\$68,307.72
22	Land Trust of Virginia	36	7.72%	\$163,938.52
23	New River Land Trust	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
24	Northern Neck Land Conservancy	14	3.00%	\$63,753.87
25	Northern Virginia Conservation Trust	7.5	1.61%	\$34,153.86
26	Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
27	Old Dominion Land Conservancy, Inc.	47	10.08%	\$214,030.85
28	Outdoors Preservation Foundation	3	0.64%	\$13,661.54
29	Piedmont Environmental Council	4	0.86%	\$18,215.39
30	Shenandoah Valley Battlefield Foundation	2.5	0.54%	\$11,384.62
31	Southern Virginia Land Conservancy	0.5	0.11%	\$2,276.92
32	The 500-Year Forest Foundation	8	1.71%	\$36,430.78
33	The Conservation Fund	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
34	The Nature Conservancy	4	0.86%	\$18,215.39
35	Valley Conservation Council	12	2.57%	\$54,646.17
36	Virginia Department of Conservation & Recreation	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
37	Virginia Department of Forestry	9	1.93%	\$40,984.63
38	Virginia Department of Historic Resources	3	0.64%	\$13,661.54
39	Virginia Eastern Shore Land Trust	1	0.21%	\$4,553.85
40	Virginia Outdoors Foundation	133	28.51%	\$605,661.76
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>466.5</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$2,124,370.00</b>

## Closed VLCF Grant Projects

November 14, 2022

The following seven VLCF grants have successfully closed since the July 12, 2022 VLCF Board meeting.

### 1. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Crow’s Nest Natural Area Preserve Additions (FY2020)

By means of an FY20 VLCF grant for \$186,000, DCR’s Division of Natural Heritage added two parcels totaling 1.3 acres, to Crow’s Nest Natural Area Preserve in Stafford County. Crow’s Nest is one of the signature public access preserves within the Virginia natural area preserve system and is open year round. DCR ownership of both lots will help to provide for a safer public visitor experience and improve the scenic value. The first lot, situated along the preserve entrance gate can now provide more secure access and deter trespassers. The second lot has a heavily run down residence that had become a primary vector for illegal activities, which is now scheduled for removal. The property falls within two categories of ConserveVirginia (Natural Habitat & Ecosystem Diversity and Protected Landscapes Resilience).

The fee acquisition cost for the two lots totals \$119,555, leaving a balance of \$66,445. This grant will be closed out when the final due diligence costs are provided to VLCF staff for reimbursement to DCR DNH.

**Grant Awards:** \$186,000. **Payment amount for purchase:** \$119,555. **Remainder for pending due diligence:** \$66,445. **Match:** \$0. [**Project closed:** September 2022]

### 2. Department of Conservation and Recreation – Cypress Bridge Swamp Natural Area Preserve Addition (FY2020)

DCR’s Natural Heritage Program utilized this VLCF grant from the FY2020 grant round to acquire in fee 17 acres to be added to the Cypress Bridge Swamp Natural Area Preserve (CBSNAP) in Southampton County. The tract falls within four categories of ConserveVirginia: Natural Habitat and Ecosystem Diversity, Protected Landscapes Resilience, Floodplains and Flooding Resilience, and Scenic Preservation. The project and preserve are located in one of Virginia’s essential conservation sites, encompassing five different natural heritage resources deemed critical for biodiversity conservation in Virginia, including one irreplaceable element found nowhere else in the Commonwealth. The parcel is a key inholding at CBSNAP.

**Grant Awards:** \$52,000. **Payment amount for purchase:** \$31,950. **Remainder for pending due diligence:** \$20,050. **Match:** \$0. [**Project closed:** November 2022]

### 3. City of Franklin – Blackwater Conservation Acquisition (FY2021; FY2021 Round II)

The City of Franklin, in partnership with the Virginia Outdoors Foundation (VOF), has acquired 200 acres along the state scenic Blackwater River for the creation of a new public park. Two VLCF grants totaling \$543,500 (FY21 and FY21 Round II grant rounds), contributed to the success of the project. A VOF open-space easement now ensures public access and protects the 140 acres of old growth cypress-tupelo swamp on the property in perpetuity. The park includes an elevated boardwalk through the swamp and a loop pathway on a forested island surrounded by the river’s swamp system. The park also features a picnic pavilion on the upland portion of the property. The

project is within the Natural Habitat & Ecosystem Diversity, Floodplains & Flooding Resilience, Scenic Preservation, and Water Quality Improvement layers of ConserveVirginia.

**Grant Awards:** \$375,000; \$168,500. **Payment amount:** \$543,500. **Match:** \$1,168,438. **[Project closed:** October 2022]

**4. Middle Peninsula Chesapeake Bay Public Access Authority – **South Garden International LLC Public Access Land Expansion (FY2021 Round II)****

The Middle Peninsula Chesapeake Bay Public Access Authority (MPCBPAA) received \$312,000 in VLCF’s Open Spaces and Parks category to acquire 98 acres in Gloucester County to double the size of public access to state waters of the Middle Peninsula region for residents and visitors. This fee-simple acquisition is adjacent to the Captain Sinclair Recreational Area, 97 acres of existing MPCBPAA recreational resources, and will expand recreational interests and preserve important wetland communities. For the last 10 years, South Garden International LLC has provided a space for scientific research and nature observation to encourage preservation of this pristine landscape. This property will be open daily for public waterfront access. The property is in the Floodplains and Flooding Resilience category of ConserveVirginia.

**Grant Award:** \$312,000. **Payment amount:** \$312,000. **Match:** \$471,674. **[Project closed:** August 2022]

**5. Department of Conservation and Recreation – **Crow’s Nest Natural Area Preserve Addition – Accokeek Bottomlands (FY2021 Round II)****

DCR’s Natural Heritage Division utilized a VLCF grant to acquire 58 acres in Stafford County as an addition to Crow’s Nest Natural Area Preserve. The subject parcel is adjacent to the preserve and situated along Raven Road. Acquisition of this tract enhances DCR’s ability to protect key visual and ecological buffers along the main public access corridor into the preserve and prevent incompatible development. The majority of the property includes forested wetlands and extensive forested riparian buffers along Accokeek Creek that provide habitat for numerous species of greatest conservation need including songbird habitat and protect water quality. The tract falls within three categories of ConserveVirginia: Natural Habitat and Ecosystem Diversity, Protected Landscapes Resilience, and Floodplains and Flooding Resilience.

**Grant Award:** \$450,000. **Payment amount for purchase:** \$372,817. **Remainder for pending due diligence:** \$77,183. **Match:** \$0. **[Project closed:** June 2022]

**6. Department of Conservation and Recreation – **Poor Mountain Natural Area Preserve – Northeast Addition (FY2021 Round II; FY2022)****

DCR’s Division of Natural Heritage acquired a 78-acre forested area that adjoins the Poor Mountain Natural Area Preserve in Roanoke County using two VLCF grants (FY21 Round II and FY22) totaling \$346,000. The Preserve, established in 1991, is designed to protect the world’s largest population of a globally imperiled plant species and the pine-oak heath habitats it occupies. This habitat is subject to natural fires that tend to burn across large areas making contiguous, un-fragmented managed areas critical. The newly added acreage not only supports individuals of the globally rare Pirate Bush, it provides significant buffer on the northeastern flank of the Preserve

and effectively completes the Preserve design in this direction. The property falls within the Natural Habitat and Ecosystem Diversity and Protected Landscapes Resilience categories of ConserveVirginia.

Natural Heritage's acquisition costs total \$276,168; leaving a balance of \$69,832 in grant funds to cover DGS and OAG due diligence costs. Once those are paid, the remainder will be returned to the Natural Area Protection grant category.

**Grant Awards:** \$109,153; \$236,847. **Payment amount for purchase:** \$276,168. **Remainder for pending due diligence:** \$69,832. **Match:** \$0. [Project closed: July 2022]

#### 7. Town of Blacksburg – Brush Mountain Park – Edison Property Expansion (FY2022)

An FY22 VLCF grant of \$210,000 contributed to the Town of Blacksburg's acquisition and protection of 205 acres of richly biodiverse forest habitat used as a recreational resource in Montgomery County. The property represents a priority viewshed along the southeastern face of Brush Mountain, which is now protected in perpetuity by an open-space easement held by Virginia Outdoors Foundation. The property will be integrated into the Brush Mountain Park system serving as a bridge between the Poverty Creek Trail System in the Jefferson National Forest, and ultimately to the Huckleberry Trail. Partnerships among the town, New River Land Trust and a diverse set of community stakeholders ensured the long-term success of this project. This property is within the Natural Habitat & Ecosystem Diversity layer of ConserveVirginia.

**Grant Award:** \$210,000. **Payment amount:** \$210,000. **Match:** \$324,075. [Project closed: September 2022]

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### Summary of Open VLCF Grants

There are currently three open grants from the FY20 VLCF grant round. These remaining grants have been extended until January 1, 2023.

There are seven open grants from the FY21 grant round.

There are 13 grants that remain open from the FY21 Round II grant round.

For the FY22 grant round, 24 of the 30 grants awarded are open.

Currently, there are a total of 47 open grants.

**VIRGINIA LAND CONSERVATION FOUNDATION  
GRANT FUNDING PLAN FOR FY23**

July 12, 2022

FUNDING CATEGORIES		FY23 Budget Bill Chapter 2, Item 375 A.1.	Unspent Grant Funds to be Approved & Reallocated	TOTAL Available for Grant Round
1.	I. VOF Open-Space Lands Preservation Trust Fund (25% per § 10.1-1020 C.)	\$4,000,000		
2.	II. Grant Program			
3.	(i) Farmland Preservation	\$2,400,000	0	\$2,400,000
4.	(ii) Forest Preservation	\$2,400,000	\$400,000	\$2,800,000
5.	(iii) Historic Area Preservation	\$2,400,000	\$600,000	\$3,000,000
6.	(iv) Natural Area Protection	\$2,400,000	\$937,440	\$ 3,337,440
7.	(v) Open Space and Parks	\$2,400,000	\$990,000	\$ 3,390,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		\$16,000,000	\$2,927,440	\$14,927,440
<b><i>Summary of Additional Unspent Grant Funds</i></b>				
Forest Preservation	\$400,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20R1I, Dept. Wildlife Resources, E. Shore Forest Conservation Initiative II <b>\$400,000.</b>		
Historic Area Preservation	\$600,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 Patrick Henry Mem. Foundation, Red Hill <b>\$600,000.</b>		
Natural Area Protection	\$937,440	<u>Unexpended Remainder:</u> FY20 DCR-DNH, Bush Mill Stream NAP Addition <b>\$4,544</b> ; FY20 DCR-DNH, Gateway to Cape Charles NAP <b>\$63,347.</b> <u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 Suffolk Parks and Rec., Blackwater R. Park & South Quay NAP Addition <b>\$400,000</b> ; FY21R1I DCR-DNH Pickett's Harbor Maritime Forest <b>\$255,549</b> ; FY21R1I DCR-DNH The Cedars NAP Northeast Addition <b>\$164,000</b> ; FY22 DCR-DNH, The Cedars NAP Powell River Addition <b>\$50,000.</b>		
Open Space and Parks	\$990,000	<u>Withdrawn:</u> FY20 DCR-State Parks, Wilderness Rd. Connectivity Prop. <b>\$500,000</b> ; FY21 NOVA Parks, River Farm <b>\$150,000</b> ; FY21R1I VOF, The Green at the Science Museum of VA <b>\$90,000</b> ; FY22 VOF, The Green at the Science Museum of VA <b>\$250,000.</b>		

**Item 375 of Chapter 2 of the 2022 Virginia Acts of Assembly Special Session I**

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2. Included in the amounts for Preservation of Open Space Lands is \$1,500,000 the first year and \$1,500,000 the second year from nongeneral funds to be deposited into the Virginia Land Conservation Fund to be distributed by the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation pursuant to the provisions of § 58.1-513, Code of Virginia. **[Stewardship Funds]**

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4		Farmland; Amount Available \$2,400,000										Specific Category Scores		Additional Scoring Criteria Points												\$2,400,000							
5	1	Piedmont Environmental Council	Farmland Protection along Brook Run	Esmt	698.00	Culpeper County	30	24	7	FOR	AGR/FOR,CUL,FLO,SCE,WAT	62.00	2.01	3	2	7	2	8	9	3	5	2	105.01	\$2,040,000	\$500,000	\$500,000		\$500,000					
6	2	Piedmont Environmental Council	Farmland Protection West of Gordonsville	Esmt	360.44	Orange County	30	17	7	FOR	CUL,NAT,WAT	49.00	0.00	3	3	7	8	6	2	3	5	2	88.00	\$990,000	\$237,500	\$237,500		\$237,500					
7	3	Virginia Outdoors Foundation	Harris Farm	Esmt	327.00	Spotsylvania County	63	28	7	none	AGR/FOR	62.00	1.56	3	2	8	8	0	0	0	0	2	86.56	\$1,035,000	\$400,000	\$400,000		\$400,000					
8	4	Piedmont Environmental Council	Protection of Thornridge Farm	Esmt	203.32	Rappahannock County	61	28	10	FOR	none	41.00	0.00	3	2	3	0	0	9	2	0	2	62.00	\$676,300	\$160,000	\$160,000		\$160,000					
9	4		Total Farmland acres:		1588.76																		Total Farmland:	\$4,741,300	\$1,297,500	\$1,297,500		\$1,297,500	\$0				
10																										FRM remainder: \$1,102,500							
11		Forest; Amount Available \$2,800,000										Max. 80 points	Max. 20 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 11 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 12 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 172 points			\$2,800,000							
12	1	The Conservation Fund	Nottoway River Wildlife and Recreation Area II	Fee	1,597.00	Sussex County	75	18	4	OSP	AGR/FOR,NAT,SCE	74.00	16.06	3	2	11	2	4	10	10	8	3	143.06	\$6,400,000	\$450,000	\$450,000		\$450,000					
13	2	Upper Mattaponi Indian Tribe	Cons. of Ancestral Lands – Upper Mattaponi Indian Tribe’s Ret. to	Fee	866.00	King William County	97	3	1	none	AGR/FOR,CUL,NAT,SCE,WAT	52.50	12.96	3	0	11	10	8	10	3	10	3	123.46	\$3,610,000	\$310,000	\$310,000		\$310,000					
14	3	Rappahannock Tribe of Virginia	Rappahannock Tribe’s Return to the River, Phase II	F/E	703.09	Richmond County	98	3	1	HIS	CUL,PRO,NAT,WAT	52.10	0.00	3	0	11	10	8	9	5	10	3	111.10	\$4,769,912	\$500,000	\$500,000		\$500,000					
15	4	Virginia Outdoors Foundation	Pierces Lowgrounds, Meherrin River Conservation Easement II	Esmt	2,860.00	Greensville County	75	18	4	FRM	AGR/FOR,NAT,FLO,WAT	71.50	3.43	3	3	7	0	0	9	3	8	2	109.93	\$2,954,000	\$400,000	\$100,000	\$200,000 FRM	\$300,000					
16	5	Virginia Dept. of Forestry	Taylor Mill Farm	Esmt	1,145.00	Greensville County	75	18	4	FRM	AGR/FOR,NAT,FLO,WAT,PRO,NAT,SC	62.00	12.91	3	3	5	0	0	9	0	8	2	104.91	\$1,192,500	\$450,000	\$225,000	\$225,000 FRM	\$450,000					
17	6	The Conservation Fund	Roanoke River Working Forest II	Esmt	1,347.00	Charlotte County	60	15	5	OSP	PRO,NAT,SC	64.10	0.00	3	0	9	0	6	9	2	5	2	100.10	\$1,590,000	\$395,000	\$395,000		\$395,000					
18	7	Dept. of Wildlife Resources	Securing Conservation Corridors in the “Green Sea”	Fee	244.00	City of Chesapeake	89	19	2	OSP	CUL,PRO,NAT,SCE,WAT	35.10	0.00	3	0	11	4	10	10	10	5	2	90.10	\$1,124,875	\$281,219	\$281,219		\$281,219					
19	8	Virginia Dept. of Forestry	Three Creek Capron Phase II	Esmt	376.00	Southampton County	75	18	4	NAT	none	46.20	0.00	3	0	11	0	0	9	3	8	0	80.20	\$436,054	\$36,054	\$36,054		\$36,054					
20	9	Meadowview Biological Research Station	Caroline Diamonds - The Oak Barrens at Barrel Springs II	F/E	96.00	Caroline County	54	4	1	NAT	NAT,FLO	27.30	0.00	3	0	10	8	0	10	10	5	2	75.30	\$800,400	\$139,200	\$131,935		\$131,935					
21	10	Virginia Dept. of Forestry	Hornet Swamp	Esmt	615.00	Southampton and Sussex Counties	75	18	4	FRM	NAT	45.90	0.00	3	0	9	0	0	9	0	8	0	74.90	\$775,000	\$400,000	\$122,500	\$277,500 FRM	\$400,000					
22	11	Clarke County	Newfound Farm	Esmt	59.00	Clarke County	31	1	6	HIS	none	26.40	0.00	3	3	9	6	0	9	0	0	0	56.40	\$254,750	\$125,000	\$100,150		\$100,150					
23	11		Total Forest acres:		9908.09																		Total Forest:	\$23,652,741	\$3,486,473	\$2,651,858	\$702,500	\$3,354,358	\$0				
24																										FOR remainder: \$148,142							
25		Historic Area; Amount Available \$3,000,000										Max. 80 points	Max. 20 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 11 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 12 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 172 points			\$3,000,000							
26	1	Capital Region Land Conservancy	Haskins Farm at New Market Heights	F/E	50.00	Henrico County	70	9	4	OSP	CUL,WAT	65.00	19.99	3	0	8	10	2	10	10	5	0	132.99	\$1,349,000	\$600,000	\$600,000		\$600,000					
27	2	Capital Region Land Conservancy	5270 New Market Road	F/E	40.00	Henrico County	70	9	4	FRM	CUL,PRO,SCE,WAT	58.00	19.88	3	0	7	4	6	5	10	0	0	112.88	\$1,201,500	\$588,250	\$588,250		\$588,250					
28	3	Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation	Shiflett Tract at Piedmont Battlefield	Esmt	141.39	Augusta County	25	24	6	OSP	AGR/FOR,CUL,L,WAT	68.00	19.80	3	2	0	0	4	4	10	0	2	112.80	\$906,866	\$253,433	\$253,433		\$253,433					
29	4	Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation	Edwards Tract at Port Republic Battlefield	Esmt	107.35	Rockingham County	58/25	24	6	OSP	CUL,NAT,WAT	58.00	18.51	3	0	0	4	4	6	10	5	2	110.51	\$1,662,571	\$172,058	\$172,058		\$172,058					
30	5	American Battlefield Trust	Amelia & Associates LLC Tract at Boynton Plank Road Battlefield	F/E	11.72	Dinwiddie County	63	15	4	OSP	CUL,WAT	59.00	20.00	3	3	0	0	2	6	10	5	0	108.00	\$277,908	\$121,982	\$121,982		\$121,982					
31	6	Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation	Woodworth Cottage	F/E	0.26	Shenandoah County	15	26	6	none	CUL	58.00	19.99	3	2	0	10	0	0	10	5	0	107.99	\$270,000	\$135,000	\$135,000		\$135,000					
32	7	Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation	French Tract at Fisher’s Hill Battlefield	Esmt	146.09	Shenandoah County	15	26	6	OSP	CUL,WAT	58.00	19.91	3	2	0	0	2	5	10	0	2	101.91	\$1,648,517	\$474,258	\$474,258		\$474,258					
33	8	American Battlefield Trust	Mauler Tract at Second Manassas Battlefield	F/E	3.11	Prince William County	40	13	10	OSP	CUL	58.00	19.99	3	2	0	0	0	6	3	5	0	96.99	\$535,828	\$253,439	\$253,439		\$253,439					
34	9	American Battlefield Trust	Carter Tract at Seven Pines Battlefield	F/E	11.78	Henrico County	74	9	4	FRM	CUL,WAT	48.00	19.99	3	3	0	0	2	6	3	10	0	94.99	\$430,191	\$183,745	\$183,745		\$183,745					
35	10	Capital Region Land Conservancy	Camp Holly Springs	Esmt	144.77	Henrico County	70	9	4	FRM	AGR/FOR,CUL,L,WAT	30.00	19.96	3	0	7	4	4	9	10	0	2	88.96	\$2,488,000	\$750,000	\$0		\$0					
36	11	American Battlefield Trust	Proctor Tract at Cedar Mountain Battlefield	F/E	7.36	Culpeper County	30	17	7	OSP	CUL,SCE	48.00	19.93	3	3	0	0	2	5	3	0	0	83.93	\$848,138	\$420,469	\$217,835		\$217,835					
37	12	American Battlefield Trust	TRPF Tract at Glendale Battlefield	F/E	11.37	Henrico County	70	9	4	FRM	CUL,PRO	40.00	19.91	3	0	0	0	2	6	10	0	0	80.91	\$187,128	\$82,734	\$0		\$0					
38	12		Total Historic acres:		675.20																		Total Historic:	\$11,805,647	\$4,035,368	\$3,000,000		\$3,000,000	\$0				
39		Natural Area; Amount Available \$3,337,440										Max. 80 points	Max. 20 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 11 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 12 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 10 points	Max. 3 points	Max. 172 points			\$3,337,440							
40	1	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Crow’s Nest Natural Area Preserve Addition – Accokeek Bottomlands II	Fee	222.00	Stafford County	28	28	1	OSP	PRO,NAT,SC	72.22	18.99	3	2	11	10	4	10	10	0	0	141.21	\$390,000	\$390,000	\$390,000		\$390,000					
41	2	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Brocks Gap Natural Area Preserve	Fee	244.00	Rockingham County	26	26	6	none	AGR/FOR,NAT,FLO,WAT	70.50	19.97	3	0	10	8	6	10	10	2	0	139.47	\$670,000	\$670,000	\$670,000		\$670,000					
42	3	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Chestnut Ridge Natural Area Preserve – Buckhorn Phase 1	Fee	1009.00	Bland and Giles Counties	3	38	9	FOR	AGR/FOR,PRO,NAT,FLO	69.50	19.98	3	2	4	0	8	10	10	5	0	131.48	\$1,285,000	\$1,285,000	\$0		\$0					
43	4	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Mill Creek Springs Natural Area Preserve Expansion	Fee	318.00	Montgomery County	8	21	9	none	CUL,PRO,NAT,FLO	76.28	19.99	3	2	4	0	6	10	10	0	0	131.27	\$1,285,000	\$1,285,000	\$1,030,140		\$1,030,140					
44	5	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Deep Run Ponds Natural Area Preserve – Battlefield Addition tract	Fee	110.00	Rockingham County	58	24	6	HIS	PRO,NAT	76.92	0.11	3	2	4	8	2	10	10	5	0	121.03	\$453,800	\$453,800	\$453,800		\$453,800					
45	6	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Ellett Escarpment Natural Area Preserve	Fee	33.46	Montgomery County	12	21	9	OSP	NAT,FLO	68.00	20.00	3	2	4	0	2	10	10	0	0	119.00	\$293,500	\$293,500	\$293,500		\$293,500					

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46	7	Dept. of Cons. & Rec. - Nat. Heritage/ Virginia Outdoors	Bull Run Mountains NAP Addition - Eastern Overlook	F/E	10.13	Prince William County	87	28	10	OSP	PRO,NAT	73.37	17.38	3	2	0	4	2	9	3	5	0	118.75	\$525,000	\$500,000	\$500,000		\$500,000		
47	8	Dept. of Conservation and Recreation - Natural Heritage	Camp Branch Wetlands Natural Area Preserve Addition	Fee	56.00	Floyd County	7	19	9	none	PRO,NAT	56.45	18.96	3	3	4	0	2	10	10	5	0	112.41	\$365,000	\$365,000	\$0		\$0		
48	9	Franklin Parks Foundation	Cypress Bridge NAP Addition - Musser Tract	Esmt	69	City of Franklin	75	18	4	none	NAT,SCE,FLO,PRO	67.10	11.02	3	2	9	0	0	9	2	5	0	108.12	\$223,500	\$111,750	\$0		\$0		
49	9		<b>Total Natural Area acres:</b>		<b>2,071.59</b>																		<b>Total Natural Area:</b>	<b>\$5,490,800</b>	<b>\$5,354,050</b>	<b>\$3,337,440</b>		<b>\$3,337,440</b>	<b>\$0</b>	
50		<b>Open Spaces and Parks; Amount Available \$3,390,000</b>										<b>Max. 80 points</b>	<b>Max. 10 pts CVA &amp; 10 pts Rec Acc Mod</b>	<b>Max. 3 points</b>	<b>Max. 3 points</b>	<b>Max. 11 points</b>	<b>Max. 10 points</b>	<b>Max. 12 points</b>	<b>Max. 10 points</b>	<b>Max. 10 points</b>	<b>Max. 10 points</b>	<b>Max. 3 points</b>	<b>Max. 172 points</b>				<b>\$3,390,000</b>			
51	1	Capital Region Land Conservancy	Mayo Island	F/E	14.50	City of Richmond	79	14	4	HIS	CUL,FLO,SCE	64.00	8.58	3	3	11	10	4	10	10	8	3	134.58	\$11,882,000	\$2,000,000	\$1,500,000		\$1,500,000		
52	2	Patrick Henry Memorial Foundation	Red Hill	Esmt	596.00	Charlotte and Campbell Counties	60	15	5	none	AGR,FOR,CUL,NAT,SCE	63.00	4.72	3	3	7	10	0	10	10	10	0	120.72	\$1,245,500	\$622,750	\$602,830		\$602,830		
53	3	City of Danville, Parks and Recreation Department	Memorial Drive Recreation Area	F/E	6.87	City of Danville	5	15	5	HIS	CUL,SCE	66.00	13.80	3	3	0	10	2	1	10	10	0	118.80	\$3,029,050	\$1,500,000	\$500,000		\$500,000		
54	4	Downtown Greens Inc.	Downtown Greens Expansion Project	Esmt	56.00	City of Fredericksburg	88	17	1	FRM	none	56.00	5.00	3	3	7	10	0	10	10	10	2	116.00	\$1,267,800	\$400,000	\$0	\$400,000 FRM	\$400,000		
55	5	The Nature Conservancy	Gent Branch - Elk Conservation Area	F/E	179.00	Buchanan County	3	38	9	none	PRO,NAT	56.00	9.15	3	0	7	10	2	10	10	5	0	112.15	\$143,875	\$71,937	\$71,937		\$71,937		
56	6	Dept. of Wildlife Resources	Coles Point Boating Access	Fee	2.60	Westmoreland County	74	12	7	none	WAT	63.00	10.03	3	2	4	0	0	10	10	8	0	110.03	\$1,032,025	\$532,025	\$532,025		\$532,025		
57	7	New River Soil and Water Conservation District	New River Hill Park	Fee	82.00	Grayson County	5		9	FOR	NAT,WAT	62.00	5.86	3	2	8	0	2	10	10	5	0	107.86	\$312,700	\$156,350	\$8,208	\$148,142 FOR	\$156,350		
58	8	City of Charlottesville	Moore's Creek Land Acquisition	Fee	8.60	Albemarle County	47	25	5	none	NAT,FLO,SCE	60.00	7.51	3	2	5	0	4	10	10	5	0	106.51	\$368,300	\$175,000	\$175,000		\$175,000		
59	9	Franklin Parks Foundation	Blackwater Park - Deer Creek Tract	F/E	96.00	City of Franklin	75	18	4	FOR	NAT,FLO,SCE,WAT	56.00	15.65	3	3	10	0	0	3	10	5	0	105.65	\$868,800	\$404,000	\$0		\$0		
60	9		<b>Total Open Spaces &amp; Parks acres:</b>		<b>1,041.57</b>																		<b>Space &amp; Parks:</b>	<b>\$20,150,050</b>	<b>\$5,862,062</b>	<b>\$3,390,000</b>	<b>\$548,142</b>	<b>\$3,938,142</b>	<b>\$0</b>	
61	45		<b>Total Acres FY23 Grant Round:</b>		<b>15,285.21</b>																		<b>Tot Funds FY23:</b>	<b>\$65,840,538</b>	<b>\$20,035,453</b>	<b>\$13,676,798</b>		<b>\$14,927,440</b>	<b>\$0</b>	
62	30	<<< Total # Grant Awards for FY23	<b>Total Acres of Grants Awarded in FY23:</b>	>>>>>>>>>>>>	#REF!																		<b>Total Funds Awarded:</b>	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!		#REF!		