

NEBRASKA NAWCA PROJECTS

\$19,164,278 **\$36,363,746** **31** **102,957**

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION NUMBER OF PROJECTS TOTAL ACRES

Nebraska has 31 NAWCA projects either completed or underway. These projects have conserved 102,957 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of more than \$19 million stimulated partner contributions of over \$36 million. These figures do not include multi-state projects.

RAINWATER BASIN WORKING LANDS

The Rainwater Basin (RWB) is one of the most important wetland ecosystems for migratory birds in the Central Flyway. Unfortunately, approximately 80 percent of the original wetlands have been lost due to drainage and conversion activities, primarily for agricultural purposes. The proposal will perpetually protect 685 acres ensuring the associated wetlands on these tracts are not negatively impacted through drainage or development activities.

Funding from this grant will be leveraged with financial assistance from federal, state and local government conservation agencies, and contributions from pivot irrigation manufactures and agronomists to protect and restore the wetlands and associated uplands. Wetland restoration activities in both easement options will include filling concentration pits, closing surface drains or road ditches draining the wetland, excavating fill material or sediment out of the wetland footprint and recontouring the wetland footprint.

	PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1.	**DRY SPOTTED TAIL CREEK WETLAND RESTORATION	\$100,000	\$107,787	\$207,787	180
2.	**CENTRAL FLYWAY MIGRATION CORRIDOR III	\$1,000,000	\$1,556,905	\$2,556,905	13,567
3.	VALENTINE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE WETLAND RESTORATION	\$100,000	\$311,356	\$411,356	890
4.	NORTH PLATTE RIVER WETLAND COMPLEX PROTECTION	\$100,000	\$115,750	\$215,750	220
5.	NORTH PLATTE RIVER PROTECTION	\$91,234	\$102,750	\$193,984	145
6.	RAINWATER BASIN WORKING LANDS	\$1,000,000	\$1,755,541	\$2,755,541	5,223
7.	EASTERN NEBRASKA WETLANDS	\$932,706	\$2,845,373	\$3,778,079	2,492
8.	CENTRAL PLATTE RIVER PARTNERSHIP II	\$939,062	\$1,434,194	\$2,373,256	2,686
9.	RAINWATER BASIN PHASE VII	\$1,000,000	\$2,129,787	\$3,129,787	6,603

10.	NORTH PLATTE RIVER WETLANDS	\$1,000,000	\$2,175,531	\$3,175,531	3,066
11.	CENTRAL PLATTE RIVER PARTNERSHIP	\$1,000,000	\$2,029,545	\$3,029,545	6,844
12.	RAINWATER BASIN PHASE VI	\$419,541	\$595,334	\$1,014,875	2,090
13.	PLATTE RIVER CONFLUENCE PHASE III	\$997,038	\$2,190,535	\$3,187,573	1,968
14.	LOWER PLATTE RIVER WETLANDS CONSERVATION	\$1,000,000	\$1,309,816	\$2,309,816	5,060
15.	RAINWATER BASIN PHASE V	\$1,000,000	\$1,092,602	\$2,092,602	4,215
16.	RAINWATER BASIN PHASE IV	\$1,000,000	\$1,202,370	\$2,202,370	4,037
17.	RAINWATER BASIN WETLAND EASEMENT PROJECT	\$75,000	\$82,776	\$157,776	160
18.	PLATTE RIVER BOTTOM WETLANDS ENHANCEMENT PROJECT	\$39,791	\$46,561	\$86,351	36
19.	RAINWATER BASIN HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT III	\$736,037	\$859,618	\$1,595,655	2,961
20.	BIG BEND REACH OF THE PLATTE RIVER, PHASE I	\$1,000,000	\$1,851,441	\$2,851,441	4,058
21.	RAINWATER BASIN HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT II	\$1,000,000	\$1,130,925	\$2,130,925	10,280
22.	NORTH PLATTE BASIN PROJECT I	\$855,000	\$2,050,321	\$2,905,321	4,349
23.	RAINWATER BASIN HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$1,385,686	\$2,385,686	7,274
24.	RAINWATER BASIN (EAST) PARTNERSHIP PROJECT	\$724,610	\$2,662,937	\$3,387,547	6,307
25.	WOOD RIVER ROOST WETLAND	\$560,000	\$1,456,021	\$2,016,021	980
26.	BUNGER / QUADHAMER WETLAND PROTECTION PROJECT	\$50,000	\$235,146	\$285,146	138
27.	HERON HAVEN WETLAND RESTORATION	\$44,000	\$44,000	\$88,000	0
28.	DROVER ISLAND WETLAND	\$226,700	\$802,310	\$1,029,010	1,572
29.	WETLAND / GRASSLAND RESTORATION RAINWATER BASIN	\$700,000	\$877,270	\$1,577,270	2,314
30.	SOUTHEASTERN RAINWATER BASIN	\$413,560	\$573,560	\$987,120	1,682
31.	SPRINGER WPA (SCHINDLER)	\$60,000	\$1,350,000	\$1,410,000	1,560
TOTAL:		\$19,164,278	\$36,363,746	\$55,528,024	102,957

**Indicates project funded 2018

NEBRASKA MULTI-STATE PROJECTS

\$9,591,297

\$24,114,799

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59,743

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT

TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION

NUMBER OF PROJECTS

TOTAL ACRES

Nebraska has 11 multi-state projects underway. These projects have conserved 59,743 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of more than \$9.5 million stimulated partner contributions of over \$24.1 million.

	PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1.	**NORTH PLATTE RIVER WETLANDS II	\$1,000,000	\$2,152,193	\$3,152,193	2,152
2.	PATHFINDER WETLANDS PARTNERSHIP	\$1,000,000	\$2,781,847	\$3,781,847	6,373
3.	PLATTE RIVER CONFLUENCE, PHASE I	\$1,000,000	\$2,393,777	\$3,393,777	12,561
4.	SOUTHWEST NEBRASKA PLAYA RESTORATION	\$48,749	\$63,749	\$112,498	97
5.	PLATTE RIVER CONFLUENCE: PHASE II	\$725,000	\$1,834,153	\$2,559,153	4,321
6.	PLATTE RIVER WETLANDS PARTNERSHIP	\$1,000,000	\$3,381,405	\$4,381,405	5,999
7.	PLATTE RIVER WETLANDS PARTNERSHIP II	\$1,000,000	\$3,063,509	\$4,063,509	4,829
8.	MIDDLE MISSOURI RIVER II	\$1,000,000	\$2,530,933	\$3,530,933	7,819
9.	MIDDLE MISSOURI RIVER I	\$999,944	\$2,110,387	\$3,110,331	4,570
10.	CENTRAL FLYWAY MIGRATION CORRIDOR II	\$817,604	\$1,265,252	\$2,082,856	5,903
11.	CENTRAL FLYWAY MIGRATION CORRIDOR	\$1,000,000	\$2,537,594	\$3,537,594	5,119
	TOTAL:	\$9,591,297	\$24,114,799	\$33,706,096	59,743

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