

GEORGIA NAWCA PROJECTS

\$16,274,711

\$65,002,351

23

92,123

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT

TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION

NUMBER OF PROJECTS

TOTAL ACRES

Georgia has 23 NAWCA projects either completed or underway. These projects have conserved 92,123 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of more than \$16.2 million stimulated partner contributions of over \$65 million. These figures do not include multi-state projects.

SOUTH ATLANTIC COASTAL RIVER CONNECTIONS

This project seeks to continue to work of the South Atlantic Basins I-IV projects by protecting, connecting, and creating public recreation and access opportunities within a network of basin-focused conservation initiatives in the Lowcountry of South Carolina and coastal Georgia. This project focuses on important east- west linkages in the coastal rivers acknowledging the essential role of a protected and functioning watershed in securing fish and wildlife habitat, protecting water quality, absorbing flood waters, and securing a pathway for future habitat transition. This project will protect freshwater-forested wetlands, freshwater Atlantic Coastal Plain Streamhead Seepage Swamp, and open pine forests including longleaf pine forest, benefitting a broad array of priority bird species and other priority plants and wildlife. This project will directly support the Gopher Tortoise Conservation Initiative, Atlantic Coast Joint Venture's Waterfowl Implementation Plan, and South Atlantic Migratory Bird Initiative. The project will result in the protection of two strategic properties in coastal Georgia, a 2409-acre tract and 263-acre tract.

	PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1.	*SOUTH ATLANTIC COASTAL RIVER CONNECTIONS	\$1,000,000	\$2,100,000	\$3,100,000	2,672
2.	SAMS LAKE BIRD SANCTUARY	\$45,166	\$52,469	\$97,635	57.6
3.	SOUTH ATLANTIC BASINS: LOWER PEE DEE TO OKEFENOKEE II	\$1,000,000	\$2,100,000	\$3,100,000	5,252
4.	SOUTH ATLANTIC BASINS: LOWER PEE DEE TO OKEFENOKEE III	\$2,000,000	\$4,100,000	\$6,100,000	7,540
5.	*SOUTH ATLANTIC BASINS: LOWER PEE DEE TO OKEFENOKEE IV	\$1,000,000	\$2,100,000	\$3,100,000	8,540
6.	CONNECTING CONSERVATION CORRIDORS II	\$1,000,000	\$2,003,000	\$3,003,000	4,617
7.	SANSAVILLA PHASE III	\$1,000,000	\$3,433,456	\$4,433,456	2,619
8.	SANSAVILLA PHASE I	\$1,000,000	\$4,022,175	\$5,022,175	3,012
9.	FLINT RIVER WMA WETLAND PROJECT	\$75,000	\$113,708	\$178,708	215
10.	BOYLES ISLAND	\$900,000	\$1,804,067	\$2,704,067	2,134

11.	RAYONIER - MURFF TRACT HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT, PHASE II	\$1,000,000	\$10,437,425	\$11,437,425	13,712
12.	RAYONIER - MURFF TRACT HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$1,747,663	\$2,747,663	6,856
13.	RESTORATION OF NATIVE SPECIES IN THE LOWER ALTAMAHA RIVER WATERSHED	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$100,000	1,472
14.	CLAYHOLE SWAMP	\$1,000,000	\$2,826,704	\$2,826,704	5,491
15.	DOUGHERTY COUNTY GREENSPACE ACQUISITION PROGRAM - LOWER FLINT RIVER BASIN	\$50,000	\$88,497	\$138,497	35
16.	MILLERS PASTURE WETLAND PROJECT	\$50,000	\$135,415	\$185,415	166
17.	PENHOLLOWAY SWAMP	\$1,000,000	\$1,737,070	\$2,737,070	2,394
18.	RESTORATION OF MYRTLE POND - LITTLE ST. SIMONS ISLAND	\$42,000	\$50,000	\$92,000	95
19.	YOUMANS BIRD POND CAUSEWAY RESTORATION	\$47,149	\$47,149	\$94,298	31
20.	CHICKSAWHATCHEE SWAMP HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$22,315,000	\$23,315,000	19,700
21.	ACQUISITION & PROTECTION OF RIVERINE WETLANDS, BROAD RIVER	\$15,396	\$24,000	\$39,396	40
22.	ALTAMAHA RIVER CORRIDOR HABITAT CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$2,040,653	\$3,040,653	2,418
23.	OCMULGEE GREENWAY	\$1,000,000	\$1,673,900	\$2,673,900	3,055
TOTAL:		\$16,274,711	\$65,002,351	\$81,277,062	\$92,123

*Indicates project funded on or after 2021

GEORGIA MULTI-STATE PROJECTS

\$4,000,000

\$12,210,016

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19,064

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT

TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION

NUMBER OF PROJECTS

TOTAL ACRES

Georgia has four multi-state projects underway. These projects have conserved 19,064 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of \$4 million stimulated partner contributions of over \$12.2 million.

PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1. *CONNECTING CONSERVATION CORRIDORS III	\$1,000,000	\$2,003,000	\$3,003,000	1,884
2. SOUTH ATLANTIC BASINS: LOWER PEE DEE TO OKEFENOKEE I	\$1,000,000	\$3,349,756	\$4,349,756	7,300
3. CONNECTING CONSERVATION CORRIDORS I	\$1,000,000	\$3,462,200	\$4,462,200	1,457
4. SOUTH ATLANTIC MIGRATORY BIRD INITIATIVE HABITAT CONS. PROJ.	\$1,000,000	\$3,777,560	\$4,777,560	8,423
TOTAL:	\$4,000,000	\$12,210,016	\$8,857,260	19,064



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