

MAINE NAWCA PROJECTS

\$48,433,939 **\$142,000,530** **117** **1,122,067**

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION NUMBER OF PROJECTS TOTAL ACRES

Maine has 117 NAWCA projects either completed or underway. These projects have conserved 1,122,067 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of more than \$48.4 million stimulated partner contributions of more than \$142.0 million. These figures do not include multi-state projects.

MAINE'S WETLANDS - FROM THE HEADWATERS TO THE SEA

This project is the eleventh to be developed as part of the Maine Wetlands Conservation Initiative (MWCI), formed in 2017 and involving over 30 matching partners to date. Rangeley Lakes Heritage Trust (RLHT) will acquire a 1,240.2-acre tract in fee and easements on a 1,385.3-acre tract and a 1,885.8-acre tract. All three tracts are contiguous. Together these acquisitions will permanently protect 998 wetland acres, 9 miles of undeveloped lake and pond frontage and 15 miles of relatively intact, wooded riparian area on the Kennebago River and smaller tributary streams. The Maine Rivers Act recognized the Kennebago as one of the state's most significant resources for Eastern Brook Trout and landlocked salmon, and the river attracts thousands of anglers to fish its pristine waters. Together, these three tracts provide more than 2,100 acres of breeding habitat for American Black Duck. The Kennebago tracts border a 108,000-acre contiguous block of state and non-profit conservation holdings.

	PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1.	*MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE (MWCI) III	\$1,499,725	\$3,016,000	\$4,515,725	2,324
2.	*MERRYMEETING PARK WETLAND CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$100,000	\$440,100	\$540,100	
3.	*MAINE'S WETLANDS - FROM THE HEADWATERS TO THE SEA	\$2,000,000	\$4,000,000	\$6,000,000	4,511
4.	*MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE - NARRAGUAGUS RIVER II	\$2,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$8,000,000	6,959
5.	*PROTECTING & RESTORING MAINE WETLANDS	\$1,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$4,000,000	
6.	EXPANDING MAINE'S CONSERVED LANDSCAPES	\$1,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$4,000,000	8,755
7.	CONSERVING MAINE'S COAST & HEADWATERS	\$1,000,000	\$3,000,700	\$4,000,700	16,311
8.	CONSERVING MAINE'S COAST & HEADWATERS II	\$1,000,000	\$3,290,000	\$4,290,000	

9.	MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE	\$1,000,000	\$2,010,000	\$3,010,000	5,340
10.	MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE II	\$1,000,000	\$12,378,000	\$13,378,000	12,870
11.	MUSQUASH POND PRESERVE ADDITION	\$100,000	\$215,272	\$315,272	1,200
12.	DEAD STREAM-COOPER	\$100,000	\$140,000	\$240,000	1,168
13.	BALD MOUNTAIN POND CONSERVATION ACQUISITION	\$100,000	\$1,481,000	\$1,581,000	1,095
14.	ADDISON-JONESPORT BLACK DUCKS & WOODCOCK	\$100,000	\$107,900	\$207,900	161
15.	MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE - DOWNEAST COASTAL WETLANDS	\$1,000,000	\$2,010,500	\$3,010,500	5,340
16.	DOWNEAST RIVRS & WETLANDS	\$100,000	\$268,813	\$368,813	514
17.	MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE - NARRAGUAGUS RIVER	\$1,000,000	\$2,010,242	\$3,010,242	18,739
18.	MAINE WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE -KENNEBEC RIVER ESTUARY	\$1,000,000	\$2,025,100	\$3,025,100	11,148
19.	ANDERSON BOG WETLANDS PROTECTION	\$62,700	\$63,000	\$130,700	51
20.	RESTORATION & ENHANCEMENT OF NESTING HABITAT ON MAINE COAST ISLAND	\$100,000	\$242,629	\$342,629	179
21.	OLD POND/ UPPER SKILLINGS RIVER WETLANDS PROJECT	\$100,000	\$145,000	\$245,000	85
22.	NORTHEAST CREEK/ JONES MARSH WETLANDS PROJECT	\$100,000	\$115,000	\$215,000	63
23.	HOG BAY CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIP	\$100,000	\$216,000	320,000	167
24.	ADDISON - JONESPORT BLACK DUCKS	\$75,000	\$78,000	\$153,000	100
25.	BENS ISLAND WETLANDS PROJECT	\$26,200	\$28,200	\$54,400	35
26.	BOG BROOK PROJECT	\$60,000	\$67,180	\$127,180	190
27.	CONSERVING THE WEBHANNET WETLANDS	\$75,000	\$94,600	\$175,100	29
28.	SCHOODIC MTN TO PENINSULA COASTAL MAINE PARTNERSHIP	\$959,900	\$2,098,500	\$3,058,400	2,196
29.	WB PLEASANT RIVER - SILVER LAKE	\$75,000	\$152,000	\$4,190,000	4,259
30.	CRYSTAL BOG	\$58,308	\$58,308	\$116,616	234

31.	KNIGHT'S POND & BLUEBERRY HILL	\$75,000	\$825,000	\$900,000	215
32.	SHEEP ISLAND IN PLEASANT BAY	\$75,000	\$81,700	\$156,700	18
33.	WB PLEASANT RIVER GULF HAGAS	\$75,000	\$100,000	\$175,000	1,528
34.	WOODWARD COVE WETLANDS PROJECT	\$68,000	\$68,500	\$136,500	25
35.	COBSCOOK BAY - BOLD COAST PROJECT AREA PHASE III	\$947,500	\$1,959,260	\$2,906,760	1,001
36.	HEADS OF ESTUARIES PHASE III	\$1,000,000	\$2,026,500	\$3,026,500	1,002
37.	KENNEBEC RIVER ESTUARY: PHASE V	\$934,000	\$3,365,000	\$4,299,000	395
38.	MAINE COASTAL REFUGES PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$2,536,544	\$3,536,544	581
39.	OLD POND/YOUNGS BAY WATERSHED CONSERVATION AREA PETTENGILL PRESERVE EXTENSION I	\$75,000	\$361,500	\$436,500	111
40.	BELGRADE WETLANDS RESTORATION	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$150,000	2,716
41.	HURDS POND FOCUS AREA PHASE I: HAUK-FRY PROPERTY	\$19,540	\$132,600	\$152,140	163
42.	PERLEY MILLS	\$75,000	\$150,000	\$225,000	870
43.	BAGADUCE RIVER WATERSHED PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$2,120,300	\$3,120,300	1,188
44.	HEADS OF THE ESTUARIES PARTNERSHIP, MAINE: HABITAT PROTECTION - PHASE II	\$1,000,000	\$2,026,250	\$3,026,250	1,217
45.	KENNEBEC RIVER ESTUARY: PHASE IV	\$995,000	\$5,020,300	\$6,015,300	758
46.	REST & ENH OF WATERBIRD NESTING HABITAT ON MAINE COAST ISLANDS II	\$75,000	\$135,500	\$210,000	34
47.	SUCKER BROOK WEST PROJECT	\$75,000	\$210,194	\$285,194	329
48.	ACADIA ARCHIPELAGO	\$1,000,000	\$4,150,000	\$5,150,000	1,101
49.	CENTRAL PENJAJAWOC PROPERTY ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$149,471	\$224,471	75
50.	COBSCOOK BAY - BOLD COAST PROJECT AREA PHASE II	\$1,000,000	\$2,187,240	\$3,187,240	974
51.	GREAT HEATH ECOLOGICAL RESERVE EXPANSION PROJECT	\$59,500	\$105,500	\$165,000	366
52.	HUNTER COVE, RANGELEY LAKE	\$75,000	\$1,802,559	\$1,877,559	175

53.	MASON BAY COASTAL CONSERVATION AREA - PHASE III, UPPER WHITE CREEK SALT MARSH	\$75,000	\$80,500	\$155,500	30
54.	OCEAN POINT PRESERVE PROJECT	\$75,000	\$245,000	\$320,000	21
55.	PISCATAQUIS RIVER / ALDER STREAM WETLANDS, PHASE II	\$1,000,000	\$2,115,000	\$3,115,000	1,374
56.	SMELT BROOK CONSERVATION AREA	\$75,000	\$515,000	\$659,750	41
57.	AMHERST COMMUNITY FOREST PROJECT	\$75,000	\$107,500	\$182,500	5,200
58.	GRANTS MEADOW III	\$75,000	\$264,467	\$339,467	150
59.	HEADS OF THE ESTUARIES PARTNERSHIP, MAINE: HABITAT PROTECTION - PHASE I	\$1,000,000	\$2,946,500	\$3,946,500	756
60.	MASON BAY COASTAL WETLANDS & WATERBIRD CONSERVATION PROJECT - PHASE II	\$75,000	\$82,000	\$157,000	63
61.	PISCATAQUIS RIVER / ALDER STREAM WETLANDS	\$1,000,000	\$2,001,718	\$3,001,718	9,428
62.	REST & ENH OF WATERBIRD NESTING HABITAT ON MAINE COAST ISLANDS	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$150,000	26
63.	WATKINS CROOKED RIVER EASEMENT ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$135,000	\$210,000	595
64.	COBSCOOK BAY - BOLD COAST PROJECT AREA	\$1,000,000	\$2,023,010	\$3,023,010	2,335
65.	KATAHDIN FOREST EXPANSION	\$950,000	\$1,900,000	\$2,850,000	7,299
66.	KENNEBEC RIVER ESTUARY III	\$1,000,000	\$2,215,000	\$3,215,000	2,386
67.	MASON BAY COASTAL WETLANDS & WATERBIRD CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$75,000	\$90,800	\$165,800	95
68.	OLD POINT EASEMENT ACQUISITION	\$65,000	\$143,000	\$208,000	48
69.	WABASSUS LAKE PROJECT	\$640,000	\$1,280,000	\$1,920,000	6,644
70.	CARIBOU BOG - PENJAJAWOC WETLAND CONSERVATION PROJECT	\$666,566	\$1,422,500	\$2,089,066	3,918
71.	CATHANCE RIVER: HEAD OF TIDE	\$75,000	\$90,000	\$165,000	93
72.	HAMILTON AUDUBON SANCTUARY PROPERTY ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$450,000	\$525,000	57
73.	SOUTH POND CONSERVATION AREA ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$495,000	\$570,000	1,279

74.	ST. GEORGE RIVER COASTAL WETLANDS ACQUISITION PROJECT	\$75,000	\$244,400	\$319,400	91
75.	THE BASIN, VINALHAVEN ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$3,029,000	\$3,104,000	455
76.	THE FAIRCHILD EASEMENT	\$75,000	\$375,000	\$450,000	375
77.	BIG HILL & SECOND POND FOREST RESERVE	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$150,000	1,609
78.	CARIBOU BOG / KATAHDIN IRON WORKS	\$75,000	\$323,000	\$398,000	3,070
79.	GREATER PLEASANT BAY PROJECT AREA II	\$950,000	\$1,937,000	\$2,887,000	676
80.	KENNEBEC ESTUARY, MAINE PHASE II	\$1,000,000	\$2,249,100	\$3,249,100	631
81.	NORTHEAST PENJAJAWOC PROPERTY ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$132,246	\$207,246	83
82.	NORTHERN COREA HEATH ACQUISITION	\$75,000	\$261,307	\$336,307	606
83.	SUCKER BROOK PROJECT	\$75,000	\$494,800	\$569,800	227
84.	BLAISDELL - CLOUGH I ON THE YORK RIVER	\$30,000	\$241,200	\$271,200	25
85.	CONSERVING A NETWORK OF WETLANDS IN THE TATNICS: TATNIC WOODS III	\$50,000	\$211,000	\$261,000	29
86.	GREATER YORK RIVER PROJECT AREA	\$1,000,000	\$2,005,200	\$3,005,200	934
87.	MACHIAS RIVER PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$2,370,000	\$3,370,000	7,785
88.	RICHARDSON SEAL COVE PROPERTY ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$700,000	\$750,000	43
89.	UPPER SACO RIVER PROJECT: HANCOCK I	\$50,000	\$105,000	\$155,000	408
90.	DOWNEAST LAKES FORESTRY PARTNERSHIP	\$1,000,000	\$5,070,000	\$6,070,000	339,080
91.	GREATER PLEASANT BAY PROJECT AREA	\$650,000	\$1,310,500	\$1,978,500	762
92.	MAINE FOREST ECOSYSTEM PROJECT (MFEP)	\$1,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$4,000,000	476,291
93.	NORTH BRANCH TIDAL WETLAND ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$156,000	\$206,000	61
94.	SCHOODIC BOG ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$258,500	\$308,500	500
95.	CARNEY ISLAND & THE CAUSEWAY INTERTIDAL BASIN	\$50,000	\$96,400	\$146,400	46
96.	DAY'S MARSH ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$73,300	\$123,300	68
97.	KILLICK POND CONSERVATION AREA - GANNETT TRACT	\$50,000	\$270,000	\$320,000	107
98.	CROWLEY ISLAND	\$50,000	\$320,000	\$370,000	321
99.	HOOPER POND CONSERVATION INITIATIVE	\$12,500	\$36,500	\$49,000	54

100.	KENNEBEC ESTUARY	\$1,000,000	\$2,825,500	\$3,825,500	1,573
101.	MARSH RIVER - WADE ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$104,800	\$154,800	36
102.	MIDDLE BAY HABITAT PROTECTION: SKOLFIELD SHORELANDS	\$50,000	\$515,000	\$565,000	77
103.	PRESUMPCOT RIVER PRESERVE ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$1,071,900	\$1,121,900	60
104.	FLORIDA LAKE CONSERVATION & RECREATION AREA	\$50,000	\$401,000	\$451,000	152
105.	MORONG COVE ACQUISITION	\$50,000	\$175,000	\$225,000	181
106.	BOOTHBAY HARBOR WETLANDS PROTECTION	\$50,000	\$182,216	\$232,216	66
107.	DEER MEADOW BROOK MARSH CONSERVATION INITIATIVE	\$47,000	\$116,300	\$163,300	179
108.	LEAVITT FOREST	\$50,000	\$1,480,000	\$1,530,000	8,600
109.	NORTHEAST CREEK	\$50,000	\$474,110	\$524,110	136
110.	PINGREE FOREST PARTNERSHIP PROJECT	\$1,000,000	\$3,391,774	\$4,391,774	108,389
111.	WESCOTT'S ISLAND ON THE BAGADUCE RIVER	\$40,000	\$273,700	\$313,700	27
112.	MERRYMEETING BAY III	\$680,000	\$1,367,200	\$2,047,200	2,242
113.	MERRYMEETING BAY II	\$700,000	\$730,100	\$1,430,100	1,075
114.	SPRUCE POINT CONSERVATION	\$37,500	\$50,000	\$87,500	20
115.	MERRYMEETING BAY	\$700,000	\$950,200	\$1,650,200	1,022
116.	COBSCOOK BAY II	\$700,000	\$1,174,320	\$1,874,320	1,251
117.	COBSCOOK BAY	\$550,000	\$1,355,000	\$1,905,000	1,941
	TOTAL:	\$48,433,939	\$142,000,530	\$190,434,469	1,122,067

MAINE MULTI-STATE PROJECTS

\$175,000

\$250,175

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1,317

NAWCA GRANT AMOUNT

TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION

NUMBER OF PROJECTS

TOTAL ACRES

Maine has two multi-state projects underway. These projects have conserved 1,317 acres of wildlife habitat. NAWCA funding of over \$175K stimulated partner contributions of over \$250K.

PROJECT NAME	GRANT AMOUNT	TOTAL PARTNER CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INVESTMENT	TOTAL ACRES
1. PARKER RIVER & RACHEL CARSON NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES	\$75,000	\$98,920	\$173,920	67
2. BIOLOGICAL CONTROL OF PURPLE LOOSESTRIFE - DEMO PROJ	\$100,000	\$151,255	\$251,255	1,250
TOTAL:	\$175,000	\$250,175	\$425,175	1,317

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