



Thank you all for your interest in The Conservation Alliance and our funding program. We are pleased to announce the results of our Winter 2009 funding cycle. We will contribute \$400,000 to the 15 organizations listed below. Many great conservation opportunities lie ahead, and we're pleased to be able to support these important initiatives. Thank you for your support this funding cycle!

Winter 2009 Grants

American Whitewater, <i>Cullowhee, NC</i>	\$25,000
Arizona Wilderness Coalition, <i>Tucson, AZ</i>	\$30,000
California Trout, <i>San Francisco, CA</i>	\$25,000
Colorado Mountain Club, <i>Carbondale, CO</i>	\$21,000
Conservation Northwest, <i>Bellingham, WA</i>	\$25,000
CRAG Vermont, <i>Richmond, VA</i>	\$24,000
Friends of the River, <i>Sacramento, CA</i>	\$30,000
Klamath-Siskiyou Wildlands Center, <i>Ashland, OR</i>	\$20,000
New Mexico Wilderness Alliance, <i>Albuquerque, NM</i>	\$35,000
Pacific Rivers Council, <i>Portland, OR</i>	\$30,000
Sierra Club of Canada, BC Chapter, <i>Victoria, BC</i>	\$35,000
Washington Wilderness Coalition, <i>Seattle, WA</i>	\$20,000
Western Environmental Law Center, <i>Eugene, OR</i>	\$30,000
Western Rivers Conservancy, <i>Portland, OR</i>	\$30,000
Wyoming Outdoor Council, <i>Lander, WY</i>	\$20,000
TOTAL.....	\$400,000

American Whitewater *Cullowhee, NC* \$25,000

Saving Colorado's Iconic Rivers Program will ensure that management of the Yampa, Dolores, and Colorado Rivers protects adequate flows that safeguard outstanding remarkable natural areas, preserve fish and wildlife habitat, improve water quality and support recreation-based economies.



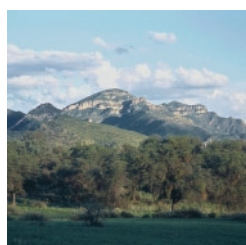
California Trout *San Francisco, CA* \$25,000

The Klamath Basin Restoration Campaign will secure a binding contract between PacifiCorp and federal and state governments to remove four main-stem hydroelectric dams on the Klamath River by 2020.



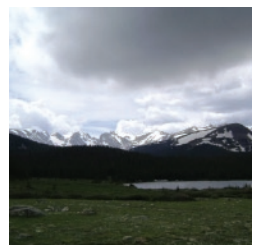
Arizona Wilderness Coalition *Tucson, AZ* \$30,000

The Tumacacori Highlands Wilderness Campaign will designate 85,000 additional acres of public lands in Southern Arizona as Wilderness.



Colorado Mountain Club *Carbondale, CO* \$21,000

Through the Arapaho-Roosevelt and San Juan National Forests Campaign, CMC will engage in recreation planning processes to preserve quiet, human-powered recreation opportunities in these National Forests in Colorado.



Conservation Northwest
Bellingham, WA \$25,000

The Columbia Highlands Initiative will secure Wilderness designations for 350,000 acres, and mandate restoration activities on another 400,000 acres in the Colville National Forest in north-central Washington.



Sierra Club of Canada, BC Chapter
Victoria, BC \$35,000

The Save the Flathead River Valley Campaign seeks an agreement from the BC government to protect the lower one-third of the Flathead River Valley as a National Park, and to establish a Wildlife Management Area in the rest of this spectacular valley.



CRAG Vermont
Richmond, VT \$24,000

The Upper West Bolton Cliff (AKA Resin Ridge) Preservation Project will permanently preserve this cliff near Burlington, VT for recreational activities including hiking and climbing.



Washington Wilderness Coalition
Seattle, WA \$20,000

The Alpine Lakes Wilderness Campaign will inform and mobilize local support to protect 22,000 acres of public lands as additions to the Alpine Lakes Wilderness, and designate the Pratt River as Wild and Scenic.



Friends of the River
Sacramento, CA \$30,000

The California Wild & Scenic Rivers Campaign will add ten California rivers and streams totaling more than 100 miles to the National Wild & Scenic Rivers System.



Western Environmental Law Center
Eugene, OR \$30,000

The Wildlife Corridor Protection Project will secure protection for wildlife corridors on public lands throughout the West, ensuring that wildlife have safe passages through increasingly developed areas.



Klamath-Siskiyou Wildlands Center
Ashland, OR \$20,000

The Save the Wild Rogue Campaign's seeks to protect 143 miles of lower Rogue River tributary streams under the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, and preserve 55,000 acres of roadless BLM lands under the Wilderness Act.



Western Rivers Conservancy
Portland, OR \$30,000

The Murtha Ranch Acquisition Campaign will achieve permanent protection for 16,000 acres of riparian and shrub-steppe habitat along 16 miles of the lower John Day River in Oregon.



New Mexico Wilderness Alliance
Albuquerque, NM \$35,000

In 2009, the Doña Ana County Wilderness Campaign seeks to secure Wilderness designation for 320,000 acres and National Conservation Area status for 100,000 acres of wild public lands in Doña Ana County, New Mexico.



Wyoming Outdoor Council
Lander, WY \$20,000

The Wyoming Range Campaign will halt energy leases issued on 100,000 acres of public land in the Wyoming Range, safeguarding a haven for Wyoming families, outdoor adventure and wildlife.



Pacific Rivers Council
Portland, OR \$30,000

The Legacy Rivers Campaign is working to secure Wild and Scenic River protections for a suite of main-stem rivers and their tributaries in Montana.

