

## THE WILLIAM P. WHARTON TRUST – RECENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

### SPRING 2024

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>GRANT USAGE</u>	<u>AMOUNT GRANTED</u>
Green Mountain Conservancy, Inc.	Old Oaks Headwaters Preserve	Land Acquisition	\$15,000
Kestrel Land Trust Inc.	Mountain Waters Landscape Partnership Project	Land Acquisition	\$15,000
Westport Land Conservation Trust, Inc.	Sodom Road Conservation Project	Land Acquisition	\$10,000
Manomet Inc.	Investigating the connection between three at-risk species in New England - the Ruddy Turnstone, Red Knot, and Horseshoe Crab	Research	\$12,000
Windmill Hill Pinnacle Association	Widen The Ridgeline Reserve	Land Acquisition	\$15,000

### FALL 2023

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Scarborough Land Trust	Nonesuch River Preserve	Land Acquisition, Due diligence/legal	\$15,000
Berkshire Natural Resources Council	THE SCACE FAMILY FARM & WOODLAND PROJECT	Land Acquisition, Due diligence/legal	\$15,000
Somerset Woods Trustees	Carrabassett Islands Project	Land Acquisition	\$15,000
Georges River Land Trust	Rockland Bog Preserve Expansion Project	Land Acquisition	\$10,000
Greater Worcester Land Trust	Spring Ridge Farm	Land Acquisition	\$10,000

The Nature Conservancy, Rhode Island Chapter	Protection of 25 acres at Canonchet Brook Preserve, Hopkinton, RI	Land Acquisition	\$10,000
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**SPRING 2023**

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Kestrel Land Trust, Inc.	Jackson Forest Conservation Project - Belchertown MA	Land Acquisition	\$15,000
Nature Trust of NB	Hovey Hill Protected Natural Area, Carleton County, NB.	Land Acquisition, Habitat Management	\$15,000
Trust for Public Land	Roaring Branch: Protecting the Conservation Values and Viewshed	Land Acquisition, Due diligence/legal, Staff Support	\$15,000
Friends of the Blue Hills	Ponkapoag Pond Habitat Protection	Habitat Management	\$4,500
Coastal Mountains Land Trust	Beech Hill Field Habitat Management Project 2023	Habitat Management, Research, Staff Support	\$10,000
Ruffed Grouse Society & American Woodcock Society	Massachusetts Dynamic Forest Restoration Initiative	Habitat Management	\$5,000
Massachusetts Land Trust Coalition	Video Learning Library	Other	\$9,000
Worcester Polytechnic Institute	Mapping forest habitat and management practices with drones to inform bird conservation	Habitat Management, Research	\$6,703.92

**FALL 2022**

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>
Middlesex Land Trust	Meshomasic Rattlesnake Brook Preserve Acquisition
Essex County Greenbelt Association	Crystal Lake Watershed Conservation Initiative

Manomet Inc.

Wildlands Trust Inc.

East Quabbin Land Trust, Inc.

Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests

Establishment of Eastern MA Shorebird Coalitions Site

Halfway Pond Stewardship Skill Building Center

The Dumas Woodland Acquisition

Deepwood Forest Conservation Easement

## **SPRING 2022**

### ORGANIZATION

American Friends of Canadian Nature Inc.

Berkshire Environmental Action Team (BEAT)

Kestrel Land Trust

Mass Audubon Society

New England Coastal Wildlife Alliance Inc.

Putney Mountain Association Inc.

Trust for Public Land (TPL)

Warren Land Trust

Wells Reserve at Laudholm

### PURPOSE

Brier Island Nature Reserve

Berkshire Wild and Connected

Mineral Hills Greenway Expansion &  
2022 Seney Land Acquisition

Permanently Protecting the 181-acre Minery Property:  
Connecting 25,000 acres in the Berkshires

Marion MA Turtle Garden Remediation Project

Hinton Woods Project

Otter Creek Wildlife Management Area

Cunningham Road Preserve

Illuminating the Bird Banding Legacy

## **FALL 2021**

### ORGANIZATION

Audubon Connecticut

### PURPOSE

Installation of a Motus tower at Audubon Sharon

Kestrel Land Trust

Nature Trust of New Brunswick

Sudbury Valley Trustees (SVT)

Harrison Forest Conservation project

Acquisition of the Coles Island property

Eastern Greenway/North project

## **SPRING 2021**

### ORGANIZATION

American Friends of Canadian Conservation (AFoCC)

East Quabbin Land Trust, Inc.

Francis Small Heritage Trust

Maine Natural History Observatory

Mass Audubon

Norfolk Land Trust, Inc.

The Windmill Hill Pinnacle Association

### PURPOSE

St. Croix River and Passamaquoddy Bay conservation project

Fieldstone Farm Conservation Initiative

Purpose and conservation of the Porter Heath

Maine Nightjar Monitoring project expansion

Purchase and protection of the Littlewood property in Warwick, MA

Acquisition and preservation of the Kopp property

Lily Pond Highlands project

## **FALL 2020**

### ORGANIZATION

Commonwealth Zoological Corporation d/b/a Zoo New England

Somerset Woods Trustees

Great Works Regional Land Trust

Green Mountain Conservancy, Inc.

### PURPOSE

Conservation on the Edge project to protect eastern box turtle

Wesserunsett Stream project

Old Boston Land project

Phase II of the Deer Run Nature Preserve project

Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests

Acquisition of the Harvey Addition for the Moose Mountains Reservation

Midcoast Conservancy

Bass Falls addition

**SPRING 2020**

ORGANIZATION

American Friends of Canadian Nature

PURPOSE

Expansion of the Musquash Estuary Reserve, New Brunswick

Massachusetts Audubon Society, Inc.

Acquisition and protection of the Patten Hill Farm property in Shelburne Falls, MA

Guildford Land Conservation Trust

Purchase and conservation of the Bartlett Land Preserve in North Guilford

Kestrel Land Trust

Conservation of land on the Mount Holyoke Range

Nova Scotia Nature Trust

Conserve coastal islands and transboundary birds in Nova Scotia, Canada

**FALL 2019**

ORGANIZATION

Franklin Land Trust

PURPOSE

Purchase of Gudell property in Heath, MA

Berkshire Natural Resources Council

Purchase and conservation of the Barbieri family land on Tom Ball Mountain

Nature Trust of New Brunswick

Acquiring & establishing the Portobello Nature Preserve

Sudbury Valley Trustees

Acquisition & protection of Chickatawbut Woods property in Framingham, MA

Massachusetts Audubon Society, Inc.

Increasing adoption of wildlife-friendly forest management

Unity College

North County Land Trust Inc.

Wood Turtle project

Purchase of a conservation restriction on the Burdin  
property in Templeton, MA