

# NEBRASKA ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST

## 2018 Final Rank Order List

Rating	Sponsor Name	App Id	Project Name	2018 Award	Intent Yr 2	Intent Yr 3
182	NE Department of Natural Resources	18-107	Integrated Water Management Action Initiative	\$3,300,000.00	\$3,300,000.00	\$3,300,000.00
173	NE Community Foundation	18-121	Loup River Prescribed Fire Training Exchange	\$178,500.00	\$163,500.00	\$0.00
169	Middle Niobrara NRD	18-163	No-Till Drill 2017-2018	\$32,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
169	Quail Forever	18-139	Mobile Prescribed Burn Unit & Education Outreach	\$96,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
168	Pheasants Forever, Inc.	18-184	Habitat Share	\$137,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
167	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	18-189	Loup River Public Wetland Restoration II	\$110,456.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
167	Middle Niobrara NRD	18-175	Long Pine Creek Watershed - Phase II Implementation	\$282,780.00	\$168,750.00	\$0.00
167	NE Game and Parks Commission	18-114	Sustaining Water and Wildlife in the Niobrara River Valley	\$500,000.00	\$500,000.00	\$0.00
164	NE Game and Parks Commission	18-167	The Nebraska Oak Woodland Alliance II	\$182,500.00	\$167,500.00	\$0.00
163	The Nature Conservancy	18-133	North Central Fire Coordination	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$0.00
159	Conservation Blueprint LLC	18-118	Pollinator and Wildlife Fire Education	\$7,400.00	\$7,400.00	\$0.00
156	NE Community Energy Alliance	18-154	Nebraska Flyway Community Solar Project II	\$579,970.00	\$150,000.00	\$0.00
156	Northeast NE RCD	18-143	Early Detection/Integrated Management of Invasive Plants	\$49,280.00	\$49,280.00	\$0.00
155	NE Recycling Council	18-145	Recycling Equipment Grants and Consultation	\$292,667.00	\$286,967.00	\$0.00
155	Grand Island Area Clean Community	18-149	Electronic Recycling including CRT TV's	\$11,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
154	NE Community Foundation	18-122	Rainwater Basin Watershed Restoration Initiative	\$105,000.00	\$105,000.00	\$0.00
154	National Wild Turkey Federation	18-120	Forest Stand Restoration on Pine Ridge WMAs	\$66,801.00	\$38,644.00	\$0.00
154	NE Community Energy Alliance	18-196	Connecting NEa Communities Driving America's Fuel III	\$566,514.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
152	NE Trout Unlimited Chapter 710	18-108	Dry Spotted Tail Creek and Wetland Project	\$200,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$0.00
152	NE Cattlemen	18-210	Wildlife Habitat Improvement Through Prescribed Grazing: A Private/Public Partnership	\$150,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$0.00
151	Lincoln, City of	18-164	StarTran CNG Bus Fueling Station	\$825,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
151	Countryside Community Church	18-136	Bridging Faith and the Environment - church campus as a restored, biodiverse plains ecosystem	\$125,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
151	Nemaha NRD	18-124	Nemaha Basin Critical Aquifer Assessment Project	\$169,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
151	BOR-UNL	18-106	Improving Air Quality and Health in Omaha with Better Automotive Repair Cleaners	\$15,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
150	Angels on Wheels, Inc	18-148	Electronic Recycling	\$99,234.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
150	Bird Conservancy of the Rockies	18-161	Expanding Environmental Literacy and Habitat Stewardship through Outreach and Education in the Nebraska Panhandle	\$26,903.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
150	NE Statewide Arboretum	18-171	Trees for Nebraska Towns (TNT)-Increasing the resiliency of Nebraska's community forest	\$336,591.00	\$307,984.00	\$0.00
150	Keep Omaha Beautiful, Inc.	18-201	Trees for Omaha / Trees for Nebraska: Planting Native Trees in Response to Emerald Ash Borer	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
150	Metropolitan Area Planning Agency	18-146	Little Steps Big Impact	\$55,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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148	Tri-Basin NRD	18-135	Hydrologic Monitoring and Assessment of Upper Little Blue River Basin	\$73,848.00	\$95,076.00	\$0.00
148	BOR-UNL	18-203	Transform Manure & Cedar Mulch from "Waste" to "Worth"	\$132,673.00	\$100,287.00	\$0.00
147	Iain Nicolson Audubon - Rowe	18-186	Discovery Centers for Rowe Sanctuary	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
147	Pheasants Forever - Dodge County	18-199	Dodge County PF No-Till Drill	\$30,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
146	North Platte NRD	18-155	NPNRD Geothermal Greenhouse	\$31,883.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
146	Keep Alliance Beautiful	18-104	2018-2019 Recycling Center Operations and Education	\$79,814.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
145	BOR-UNL	18-204	Novel approaches for controlling nitrate leaching and protecting Nebraska ground water	\$85,000.00	\$79,306.00	\$0.00
145	Green Recycling Enterprises	18-200	Recycling on the Go!	\$148,500.00	\$138,500.00	\$0.00
145	Lower Elkhorn NRD	18-182	Lower Elkhorn Real-Time Monitoring Well Telemetry	\$65,720.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
145	Cook Grow Sew, LLC	18-152	Fostering Soil Health through Waste Diversion, Composting, Research, and Education	\$199,715.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
145	Little Blue NRD	18-181	Little Blue NRD Oxbow Reconnections for Groundwater Recharge	\$95,865.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
144	Pheasants Forever, Inc.	18-138	Corners for Wildlife	\$292,500.00	\$292,500.00	\$0.00
144	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	18-192	Restoring Protected Habitat on the Lower Platte River	\$39,678.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
144	NuStyle Development	18-125	The Landing	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$0.00
143	The Groundwater Foundation	18-141	Recharging Groundwater Education: Tools for Community Action and Engagement	\$89,000.00	\$31,000.00	\$0.00
143	BOR-UNL	18-176	Improving Water quality and Fish Health in the Platte River and Tributaries	\$191,304.00	\$169,524.00	\$0.00
143	BOR-UNL	18-116	Pilot-scale production of protein fibers and apparels from waste garments and poultry feathers	\$105,943.00	\$105,942.00	\$0.00
141	High Plains WMA	18-157	North Platte River Invasive Species Control Project	\$311,000.00	\$189,000.00	\$0.00
140	Loup Basin RCD	18-119	Cedar River Corridor Project III	\$45,987.00	\$46,862.00	\$0.00
140	Habitat for Humanity-Lincoln ReStore	18-197	Habitat Lincoln ReStore Donation Program	\$45,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
140	BOR-UNL	18-179	Impact of cover crops and grazing on soil health and system economics	\$74,381.00	\$75,467.00	\$0.00
140	BOR-UNL	18-178	Biocidal Treatment Module for Reverse Osmosis Membrane	\$80,882.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
140	NE State Irrigation Association	18-102	Water Leaders Academy	\$81,340.00	\$82,263.00	\$0.00
140	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	18-195	Rainwater Basin Protected Land Restorations	\$68,242.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
139	BOR-UNL	18-185	Winter canola and field peas for water conservation in dryland and irrigated cropping systems	\$11,327.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
138	Southwest WMA	18-131	Western Republican River Healthy Habitat Project	\$215,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
137	The Nature Conservancy	18-134	Demonstrating Energy Efficiency at the Niobrara Valley	\$131,250.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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137	NE Statewide Arboretum	18-172	Greener Nebraska Towns: More Resilient, Biodiverse and Waterwise	\$498,971.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
136	Fontenelle Forest	18-188	Woodland, Savanna and Prairie Habitat Restoration	\$427,900.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
136	Lied Lodge and Conference Center	18-105	Native Pollination & Migration Project	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
136	Twin Valley WMA	18-126	Eastern Republican and Little Blue Riparian Improvement Project	\$143,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
135	Lincoln Parks & Recreation	18-142	Emerald Ash Borer Intervention Project	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
135	NE Water Balance Alliance	18-123	PRECIP (Panhandle Region Evaluation & Conservation Irrigation Partnership)	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
134	Omaha Children's Museum	18-128	Forever Forest Nebraska Tour in Summer 2018	\$67,302.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
134	Mid-NE Disposal	18-140	Recyclables Baler, Conveyor & Recyclables Collection Truck	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
134	BOR-UNL	18-166	Reduction of Landfill Gas Emission through an Interim Cover with Co-Extruded EVOH Geomembrane in Nebraska Landfills	\$233,974.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
134	Upper Loup NRD	18-101	Learning Center	\$68,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
133	Upper Republican NRD	18-208	URNRD Stream and Aquifer Protection Program	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
132	Recycling Center Inc	18-212	Update equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
132	Sandhills Journey Scenic Byway	18-207	Sandhills Journey Scenic Byway Pollinator Garden Project	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
132	Platte River Whooping Crane Trust	18-130	Big Bend of the Platte River Partnership for Habitat Preservation	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
132	NE Conservation Education Fund	18-198	NCEF Common Ground Program	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
131	BOR-UNL	18-160	A Low-cost Biological Odor Treatment Using an Adsorption/Desorption Concentrator Unit for Reducing Sulfur Emission in Nebraska	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
131	York Area Solid Waste Agency	18-153	Baler replacement	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
130	Omaha, City of	18-209	Thomas Creek Improvements - Phase 1	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
128	BOR-UNL	18-165	Planning an Interactive Educational Experience at the Nexus of Conservation and Food Production	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
128	United Methodist Ministries- MO River Di	18-193	Giving Grove Demonstration Orchard	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
127	NPPD - WITHDRAWN	18-151	River Flow Augmentation Delivery Structures	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
126	BOR-UNL	18-158	Protecting the terns and plovers of Nebraska and mentoring the next generation of conservationists	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
124	BOR-UNL	18-162	Improving Natural Resources Through Invasive Species Outreach & Management	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
123	North Platte	18-180	North Platte Tree Shredder	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
122	Ericson Lake Corporation	18-103	Jetty Rehabilitation and Extension	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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122	AirLift Environmental	18-156	Developing Innovative Treatments for Contaminated Groundwater in Nebraska	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
121	BOR-UNL	18-170	Connecting low-impact wastewater treatment to soil fertility management - rethinking application of biochar	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
120	Nano Ag Technologies, LLC	18-147	Water Stewardship through Nano Technology	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
120	C-Pap Easy Clean, LLC	18-150	Water conservation in nursing homes	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
120	Lower Loup NRD	18-110	Cover Crop Impact Study	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
119	Lower Republican NRD	18-187	Lower Republican NRD Rural Water Project	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
119	BOR-UNL	18-183	UNL-Testing Ag Performance Solutions (UNL-TAPS)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
117	Carson+Co Global	18-206	Hear Nebraska's Lincoln Calling Sustainability Initiative	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
116	Lincoln, City of	18-211	Lincoln Bike Share Expansion	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
116	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	18-191	Melbeta Habitat Complex Expansion and Restoration	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
115	NE DEQ	18-168	UNL and NARD Liaison	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
115	Firstar Fiber Corp/GreenFiber LLC	18-205	Nebraskans Investing in Communities' Economies/Environmental Wellbeing (NICE2)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
114	BOR-UNL - Kearney	18-113	Initiating the Nebraska Conservation Apprenticeship Program (NE CAP)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
113	Craig, Village of	18-174	Old Craig School Demolition	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
112	BOR-UNL	18-169	Assessment of CO2 storage resources in the Nebraska Panhandle in order to improve air quality	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
112	BOR-UNL	18-177	Home as Habitat: Transforming Community Landscapes thru pollinator-friendly planting	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
107	BOR-UNL	18-115	Increasing Awareness of Soil Health Improvement Resulting from No-Till Practices	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
103	Platte River Whooping Crane Trust	18-129	Restoration and Monitoring Program (RAMP) Eastern Red Cedar Control	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
103	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	18-190	Alkali Wetland and Wet Meadow Protection & Restoration	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
102	NE Wildlife Federation	18-132	Establish Demonstration Sites for Innovators in Wildlife, Water Quality, Grazing and Soil Health Across Nebraska	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
102	BOR-UNL	18-202	Cost-effective detection, mapping, and remediation of soil compaction in Nebraska	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
101	Lincoln Children's Museum	18-112	Energy Efficient HVAC computer system	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
98	Sidney, City of	18-127	Solid Waste System Conversion	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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94	BOR-UNL	18-194	Estimation of Municipal Solid Waste Settlement and Landfill Gas Emission based on Cone Penetration Test (CPT) with Hydraulic Pressure Tool (HPT) and Membrane Interface Probe	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
93	BOR-UNL - Omaha	18-117	Glacier Creek Preserve: North Tract Initiative	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
92	MO Sedimentation Action Coal.	18-159	Lewis and Clark Lake Sediment Collector Study	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
87	Urban Bird and Nature Alliance	18-137	Replace Our City Trees (ROCT) & Community Urban Forestry Education Initiative	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
86	CAFÉ LLC	18-111	DoCAV (Documentation of Clean Air Verification)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
80	BOR-UNL	18-173	Improving the Cedar Canyon Demonstration Forest: Water, Soil and Habitat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Omaha Bikes WITHDRAWN	18-144	Omaha Metro Major Events and Destination Bike Parking	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	PROJECTS CARRIED FORWARD - STATEMENT OF INTENTS FOR 2016 AND 2017					
-	Five Rivers RCD	16-223-3	Native Grassland Protection Against Invasive Weeds III	\$56,580.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Five Rivers RCD	16-222-3	Southeast NE Household Hazardous Waste Collections	\$54,446.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Omaha, City of - Heartland Bike Share	16-219-3	Heartland B-cycle Transit Oriented Expansion	\$36,583.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Friends of Heron Haven, Inc.	16-218R-3	Environmental Education at Heron Haven Wetland	\$2,700.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Pheasants Forever, Inc.	16-217-3	Grassland Improvement Program	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	16-200-3	Integrating the vadose zone for improved management of Nebraska's ground water quality	\$107,414.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	16-190-3	Know Your Well: For Agricultural Education and FFA	\$137,216.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	16-189-3	Enhancing Soil Ecosystem Services with Cover Crops	\$84,825.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	16-187-3	Field to Market - Nebraska Field Sustainability Assessment	\$15,510.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	North Platte NRD	16-176-3	DAMP Project	\$126,277.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Boy Scouts of America - Longs Peak	16-163-3	Chadron State Park Tree Plant	\$15,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	The Nature Conservancy	16-148-3	Making a Place for Monarchs	\$42,843.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	The Nature Conservancy	16-147-3	Fire Training Exchange in Nebraska	\$42,770.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	16-141-3	Rainwater Basin Wetland Management	\$75,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	16-140-3	Nebraska Natural Legacy Plan: Terrestrial and Aquatic Implementation for Biodiversity Conservation	\$260,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Cattlemen	16-134-3	Leopold Conservation Award Video Project	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	16-127-3	Pollinator and Monarch Butterfly Habitat Restoration on the Cowboy Trail & State Park Areas	\$50,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Lincoln, City of - Parks and Recreation	16-122-3	Prairie Corridor Phase II	\$150,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Lincoln, City of	16-116-3	Eastern Saline Wetlands Project - 2016	\$265,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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-	Northern Prairies Land Trust	16-115-3	Expanding the Tallgrass Prairie Partnership	\$191,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	16-114-3	Natural Legacy Exhibits and Virtual Field Trip Outreach for Morrill Hall, Trailside, and Ashfall	\$175,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Rainwater Basin Joint Venture	16-112-3	Strategic Conservation of Rainwater Basin Wetlands and Upland Buffers	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Little Blue NRD	16-111-3	Puddles under the Pivots	\$208,870.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Grazing Lands Coalition	16-103-3	Soil Health and Water Conservation Through Grazing Cover Crops	\$99,066.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Grand Island Area Clean Community	16-101-3	Household Hazardous Waste Facility	\$163,900.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Sandhills Task Force	17-215-2	Sandhills Wetland/Grassland Conservation Partnerships II	\$125,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$0.00
-	Loess Canyon Rangeland Alliance	17-212-2	Grassland Stewardship with Prescribed Fire	\$160,000.00	\$140,000.00	\$0.00
-	Lincoln Children's Zoo	17-157-2	Lincoln Children's Zoo Expansion	\$235,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	BOR-UNL	17-152-2	Nebraska Master Naturalist Program: Volunteers in Action	\$68,073.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Middle Republican NRD	17-149-2	Middle Republican NRD Observation Well Network	\$64,426.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Save Our Monarchs Foundation	17-139-2	NPPD Cottonwood Ranch and Brownville Pollinator Habitat Restoration	\$9,535.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Habitat for Humanity of Omaha ReStore	17-130-2	Deconstruction Program Phase 2	\$180,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Weed MACoalition	17-125-2	NEWMAC Work Together on Invasive Species Control	\$42,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	17-122-2	Trout in the Classroom	\$34,940.00	\$34,940.00	\$0.00
-	NE Community Foundation	17-113-2	Wetlands Reserve Enhancement Partnership Initiative	\$158,550.00	\$158,550.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	17-109-2	WILD Nebraska Program	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	Platte River Basin Environments, Inc.	17-108-2	North Platte River Valley Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Partnership II	\$120,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Game and Parks Commission	17-106-2	Schramm SRA Interactive Exploration Center	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
-	NE Academy of Sciences	17-101-2	NE Environmental Public Information & Education Minigrants	\$57,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>2018 Total Recommended</b>				<b>\$18,301,819.00</b>	<b>\$7,379,242.00</b>	<b>\$3,300,000.00</b>

- Projects carried Forward - Statement of Intent for 2016 and 2017