

Nebraska State Wildlife Grant
2010 Preliminary Funding Recommendations (FY 2009)

Project Title	Sponsor	Funding Recommendation	Funding Request
Enhancing diversity and at-risk species habitat in degraded prairie landscapes	The Nature Conservancy	\$54,332	\$54,332
Restoring Interior least tern and piping plover Populations by Restoring Lower Platte River Sandbar Habitat	University Nebraska-Lincoln Board of Regents	\$49,336	\$49,336
Response of herpetofauna to grazing and fire in wet, tallgrass prairies along the Platte River	University of Nebraska-Kearney	\$35,000	\$44,800
Factors that Regulate Plant Species Diversity in Prairies: Why is rehabilitation of degraded Grasslands so difficult?	University of Nebraska-Lincoln, The Nature Conservancy	\$20,000	\$65,000
Regional assessment of Platte River wetland restoration recovery	Southern Illinois University	\$15,000	\$37,506
Noninvasive Genetic Analysis of Scat to Estimate Otter Population Size in the Platte River Biologically Unique Landscape	Nebr. Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit & Nebr. Game and Parks Commission	\$9,000	\$9,000
Mountain Plover chick survival and habitat use in agriculture fields within the Kimball Grasslands Biological Unique Landscape	Rocky Mountain Bird Observatory	\$65,000	\$65,000
Re-Establishment of Plains Topminnow in Historical Locations	University of Nebraska-Kearney and Nebraska Game and Parks Commission	\$26,400	\$52,800
Greenhouse construction, seed management building improvement and greenhouse growing internship	Prairie Plains Resource Institute	\$25,000	\$64,000
Distribution and Ecology of Baily's Eastern Woodrat in Nebraska	University of Nebraska-Kearney	\$0	\$6,500
Integrating Ecosystem Restoration and Tier-I Species Conservation across Major Soil Associations in Nebraska	Southern Illinois University	\$0	\$64,978
Mobile Burn Unit	Quail Forever	\$0	\$20,000
Conservation Status of the Nine-spotted Ladybird Beetle in Nebraska	University of Nebraska-Kearney	\$0	\$12,500
State -wide development and implementation of the United States Nightjar survey, common poorwill, Chuck will's widow and , Whip-poor will in Nebraska	Rocky Mountain Bird Observatory	\$0	\$23,500
Habitat Management Workshops	Pheasants Forever	\$0	\$10,000