

**Fiscal Year 2021 Landscape Scale Restoration (LSR)
Ranked List of Applications for the Northeast and Midwest**

December 11, 2020

This list of Fiscal Year 2021 LSR applications are in ranked order based on the interagency LSR Review Team scoring according to the criteria in the Regional Guidance. This list is a preliminary indicator of preference, or order, for funding. The level of funding for LSR has not been determined yet (so we don't know how many applications will be funded). The funding level will determine the amount for the 15% per State cap, which may also impact the applications funded.

Rank	Project Title	State/Tribal Sponsors	Applicant	Federal request	Non-Fed. Match	Non-Match Leverage
1	Women in the Woods: Healthy forests through empowerment and engagement of women in VT	VT	Vermont Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation	\$ 231,173	\$ 231,173	\$ 350,210
2	Restoring Ecosystem Resiliency with Prescribed Fire across MN and WI Landscapes	MN, WI, Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe, Ho-Chunk Nation	The Nature Conservancy	\$ 499,662	\$ 510,711	\$ 315,000
3	Delmarva Woodland Stewards for Wildlife, Wildfire, Water, and Wood	MD, DE, VA (Cross-Regional)	Maryland Department of Natural Resources	\$ 280,852	\$ 280,852	\$ 350,000
4	Creating resilient riparian forests to protect source water in the Merrimack River Watershed	MA, NH	Merrimack River Watershed Council	\$ 250,297	\$ 259,040	\$ -
5	Regional Adaptive Management Partnerships (RAMP)	IL	Shawnee Resource Conservation & Development Inc	\$ 181,178	\$ 181,874	
6	Upland Oak Sustainability & Management in the Central Hardwood Region	IA, IL, MD, MI, MN, MO, OH, PA, WI (Companion to R8 proposal)	American Forest Foundation	\$ 476,703	\$ 476,760	\$ -
7	Collaborative County - Family Forest Conservation	MN	State of Minnesota	\$ 295,000	\$ 295,000	\$ 50,000
8	Accelerating Improved Forest Management and Carbon Sequestration in NY	NY	The Nature Conservancy	\$ 148,574	\$ 148,879	\$ -
9	Securing Northeast Forest Carbon Program	CT, MA, ME, NH, NY, RI, VT	North East State Foresters Association	\$ 500,719	\$ 2,055,196	\$ -
10	Building Forest and Community Resilience to Invasive Species through Proactive Management	VT	Vermont Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation	\$ 179,878	\$ 179,878	\$ -
11	Climate Adaptation Management for VT's Forests	VT	Vermont Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation	\$ 155,109	\$ 155,109	\$ -
12	Minnesota Community Forest Canopy Remote Sensing Assessment and Monitoring Program	MN	State of Minnesota	\$ 206,654	\$ 206,654	\$ 493,000
13	Tresilience 24:1 - Community Forest Resilience Planning and Implementation in the Normandy School District	MO	The Nature Conservancy	\$ 197,778	\$ 197,890	\$ -
14	Planting trees for climate-adapted communities in rural IA and IL	IA, IL	Trees Forever, Inc.	\$ 386,010	\$ 656,250	\$ -

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15	Eastern White Pine Sustainability and Management in a Changing Environment	ME, NH, NY, PA, VT, VA (Cross-Regional)	University of Maine	\$ 530,198	\$ 530,633	\$ 75,000
16	Protecting Working Forestlands in the Blufflands: Trout, Turkeys, and Timber	MN	State of Minnesota	\$ 245,000	\$ 288,000	\$ -
17	Enhancing Climate Adaptability of Lake Michigan Coastal Forests & Shoreline Habitats	WI	Glacierland Resource Conservation & Development Council, Inc	\$ 263,450	\$ 274,000	\$ 50,000
18	Biomass Power Economic Analysis Project	CT, IL, MA, ME, MI, MN, NH, NY, PA, VT, WI, CA, GA, VA (Cross-Regional)	Michigan Department of Natural Resources	\$ 244,121	\$ 244,453	\$ 42,000
19	My Healthy Woods - Southeast IA	IA	Iowa Department of Natural Resources	\$ 102,898	\$ 103,574	\$ -
20	Spreading the Wings of Forestry - Science-based Resources for Forest Management & Bird and Bat Habitat	IA	Iowa Department of Natural Resources	\$ 177,932	\$ 178,051	\$ 41,000
21	Expanding Community Forest Canopy through the Northwest IN Tree Planting Consortium	IN	Delta Institute	\$ 442,391	\$ 452,402	\$ 836,773
22	Dowagiac River Re-Meander Floodplain Restoration	Pokagon Band	Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians	\$ 195,745	\$ 195,745	\$ -
23	Making a Young Landscape Old: Landscape-scale forest restoration to promote biodiversity and resilience to environmental change	OH	Holden Arboretum	\$ 67,500	\$ 68,070	\$ -
24	PlayCleanGo Invasive Species Prevention Campaign Expansion	IL, IN, MO	North American Invasive Species Management Association	\$ 194,209	\$ 195,182	\$ -
25	Promoting Reforestation Using Landowner Behavior Change Research in Wisconsin	WI	Aldo Leopold Foundation Inc	\$ 215,593	\$ 223,461	\$ -
26	School Forests are Job Incubators	MI	Michigan Department of Natural Resources	\$ 356,925	\$ 357,000	\$ -
27	Burning for Biological Benefits in OH	OH	Ohio Department of Natural Resources-Division of Forestry	\$ 55,000	\$ 55,000	\$ -
28	Certified Weed-Free Gravel Program Development and Pilot Project in Northern NY	NY	North American Invasive Species Management Association	\$ 128,079	\$ 135,817	\$ -
29	Expanding the Supply and Demand for Forest Stewardship in the Mohawk Trail Woodland Partnership	MA	Massachusetts Woodlands Institute, Inc	\$ 250,000	\$ 250,000	\$ -
30	Enhancing forest carbon management in MA through the promotion of forest resilience	MA	University of Massachusetts Amherst	\$ 193,968	\$ 193,968	\$ -

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31	Sustainable Forest Health through Private Forest Landowner Partnerships in Western NY	NY	Buffalo Niagara Waterkeeper, Inc.	\$ 156,132	\$ 156,257	\$ -
32	Community Planting Consortium	IN	Madison County Council of Governments	\$ 232,250	\$ 232,250	\$ -
33	Community Forestry in MN's Mesabi Range	MN	State of Minnesota	\$ 60,750	\$ 90,750	\$ 175,000
34	NJ Audubon Atlantic White Cedar	NJ	New Jersey Audubon	\$ 420,035	\$ 422,107	\$ -
35	Resilient Roads and Crossings	WI	Sustainable Resources Institute, Inc.	\$ 84,920	\$ 85,260	\$ -
36	Monitoring Call Before You Cut: Are we changing behavior?	OH, MO	ODNR- Ohio Division of Forestry	\$ 45,000	\$ 45,000	\$ -
37	Restoring Floodplain Forests and Floodplain Access in the Connecticut River Watershed	NH	Connecticut River Watershed Council, Inc.	\$ 275,661	\$ 511,792	\$ 268,078
38	Landscape Scale Planning for Core Forest Protection and Management	CT	University of Connecticut	\$ 140,322	\$ 140,329	\$ -
39	Indiana School Forests	IN	Indiana Forestry Educational Foundation	\$ 40,845	\$ 83,398	\$ -
40	Tree Species Selection Tools for Towns, Yards, and Forests	IA	Iowa Department of Natural Resources	\$ 95,802	\$ 95,802	\$ 66,300
41	Restoring Early-Successional Forests for Wisconsin Birds	WI	American Bird Conservancy	\$ 113,765	\$ 117,454	\$ -
42	Encouraging Private Tree Stewardship Through Public Tree Management	CT	Connecticut Urban Forest Council Inc	\$ 36,500	\$ 36,500	\$ -
43	Forest Habitat Restoration and Management, with Special Emphasis on Ruffed Grouse in PA	PA	Wildlife Management Institute, Inc.	\$ 234,995	\$ 240,000	TBD
44	Evaluating Poor Quality Forest Stands and Demonstrating Rehabilitative Silviculture in NH	NH	University of New Hampshire	\$ 133,407	\$ 133,407	\$ -
45	Increasing Engagement with Women & Minority Landowners in Conservation, Forestry & the Wood Products Industry in IN	IN	Indiana Forestry Educational Foundation Inc	\$ 73,750	\$ 73,750	\$ -
46	Student Implementation of Forest Resiliency Best Management Practices in Municipal Forests in MA	MA	Greenagers, Inc.	\$ 362,238	\$ 362,239	\$ -
47	City of Newark Water Supply and Forest Protection Program	NJ	City of Newark	\$ 600,000	\$ 600,000	\$ -
48	Locating long-established stands in a complex forest mosaic	OH	Ohio University	\$ 93,206	\$ 93,206	\$ 17,000