

FY2022 (7/1/2021 – 6/30/2022) Annual Work Plan Clark Conservation District

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Mission of the Clark Conservation District

To assist land managers and others to protect, conserve, and manage water quality, soils, and natural habitat areas of the District to benefit present and future generations.

Natural Resource Priorities (from 5-year plan)

- Water Quality
- Habitat
- Land Use and Protecting Working Lands
- Education and Information

Natural Resource Priority Goals:

- Hold workshops focused on amphibians and their use of stormwater facilities.
- Hold watershed health related BMP workshops.
- Provide best management practice (BMP) technical assistance to landowners for livestock, stormwater, and forestry related topics.
- Develop Poop Smart Clark, a pollution identification and correction program (PIC) in the East Fork Lewis River and throughout Clark County.
- Complete one Family Forest Fish Passage Program (FFFPP) fish barrier removal project.
- Continue the farm equipment rental program.
- Install a minimum of three livestock-related best management practices.
- Conduct the Annual Native Plant Sale.
- Assist small forest landowners in Clark, Cowlitz, and Wahkiakum Counties on forest stewardship plans.
- Identify possible opportunities or actions for farmland preservation that meet the needs of local landowners and partners.
- Participate in outreach, partnership, and educational opportunities as possible.
- Assist landowners in complying with local, state, and federal regulations regarding land use and conservation.

District Operations:

District operations are necessary to provide technical, financial, and educational resources to the community. Activities for FY22

- Conduct monthly Board Meetings and workshops as needed.
- District planning Annual Plan and Long-Range Plan, as well as Annual Report.
- Financial activities
- Conduct District elections
- Attend state-level meetings (Washington State Conservation Commission, Washington Association of Conservation Districts)

Funding Sources: Clark County, Department of Ecology, Lower Columbia Fish Recovery Board, National Association of Conservation Districts, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Recreation and Conservation Office, Washington State Conservation Commission.

Activities for FY2022	Estimated Funding	Notes		
Funding Source: Clark County				
 Clark County Ag HCO Activities related to the Clark County Agricultural Habitat Conservation Ordinance Grant administration and project management. 	\$12,000	Current contract through 12/31/21.		
Funding Source: Department of Ecology				
Poop Smart Clark Pollution Identification and Correction (PIC) • Develop and localize Poop Smart Clark materials. • CBSM Plan and outreach/education • Partnership development, planning and coordination. • Grant administration and project management.	\$15,000			
Funding Source: Lower Columbia Fish Recovery Board				
 Amphibian Stormwater Host webinars and educational opportunities. Grant administration and project management. 	\$20,000			
 Clark Watershed Stewardship II Develop and implement classes on watershed processes and BMPs. Technical support and site visits. Grant administration and project management. 	\$20,000			
Funding Source: National Association of Conservation Distr	ricts			
 NACD Technical Assistance 2020/2021 Write eight conservation plans. Make 100+ contacts with producers. Grant administration and project management. 	\$90,000	Grant renewed (NACD TA 2021) but not yet negotiated.		
Funding Source: Natural Resources Conservation Service				
 Poop Smart Clark RCPP Develop contacts with producers for technical assistance and BMP implementation. Grant administration and project management. 	\$7,000			
 SW WA Forestry RCPP Technical assistance, planning, and implementation with small nonindustrial privately owned forest land. HFRP easement recruitment. 	\$10,000	Clark, Cowlitz, Wahkiakun Counties		
Funding Source: Recreation and Conservation Office				
 FFFPP - Kysar Design and implement a fish passage barrier removal. Grant administration and project management. 	\$326,500	\$12,000 – Admin./Eng. \$314,500 – Pass through for construction		
Funding Source: Washington State Conservation Commissi	on			

 Implementation Grant & Basic Funding Education and outreach Operations and administration ORCA recovery 	\$96,500	Estimate, includes \$12,500 Basic Funding
 Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) Landowner technical assistance and planning for CREP eligible riparian planting. Grant administration and project management. 	\$7,500	Estimate
 Natural Resource Investments (NRI) Landowner assistance and cost-share Grant administration and project management. 	\$90,000	Est: \$90,000 Staff: \$18,000 Cost Share: \$72,000
 Poop Smart Clark RCPP Landowner assistance and cost-share. PIC planning and coordination. Grant administration and project management. 	\$175,000	Est: \$175,000 Staff/Supplies: \$134,000 Cost share: \$41,000
 SW WA Forestry RCPP Small nonindustrial private forest landowner technical assistance, planning, and implementation. Grant administration and project management. 	\$110,000	Service Area: Clark, Cowlitz, & Wahkiakum Counties



FY2022 (7/1/2021 - 6/30/2022) Annual Budget Clark Conservation District

FY2022 Annual Budget

Revenue			
Grantor	Grant	Estimated Funding	
Clark County	Clark County AgHCO	\$12,000	
Department of Ecology	Poop Smart Clark PIC Program	\$15,000	
Lower Columbia	Amphibian Stormwater Education	\$20,000	
Fish Recovery Board	Watershed Stewardship II	\$20,000	
NACD	NACD Technical Assistance 2020/2021	\$90,000	
NDCS	Poop Smart Clark RCPP	\$7,000	
NRCS	SW WA Forestry RCPP	\$10,000	
RCO	FFFPP-Kysar	\$326,500	
	Basic Funding	\$12,500	
Washington State Conservation Commission	Implementation	\$84,000	
	CREP	\$7,500	
	Natural Resource Investments	\$90,000	
	Poop Smart Clark PIC RCPP	\$175,000	
	SW WA Forestry RCPP	\$110,000	
	Total Revenue	\$979,500	

Expenses				
Category	Estimated Expenses			
Salary and Benefits	\$425,000			
Office and Operating	\$45,000			
Equipment and Tools	\$10,000			
Travel	\$9,000			
Insurance (Liability)	\$6,000			
Dues/Registration	\$8,000			
Truck Maintenance & Fuel	\$9,000			
Professional Services	\$40,000			
Cost Share	\$427,500			
Total Expenses	\$979,500			

Estimated budget subject to change.