

## POTENTIAL MATCHING SOURCES

***This is not intended to be an exhaustive list. Inclusion on this document does not amount to an endorsement of an individual entity, nor does it guarantee an official funding commitment from any of the included entities. Matching requirements and potential funding amounts are unique to each entity. Listed organizations were compiled by students from the Fall 2021 University of Wyoming College of Law Energy, Environment and Natural Resources Practicum (“EENRP”). To request to be removed from or added to this list, please contact the current Faculty Director of the EENRP.***

### **NGO/Energy Companies**

This list includes contact information for many of the public and private entities included on the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation’s Partnerships website. For more information, please see <https://www.nfwf.org/partnerships>.

Additionally, the conservation engagements described for each organization below are non-exhaustive, and are included solely to assist readers who may be seeking a funding match for a wildlife migration corridor project in locating potential funding sources.

**Apache Corporation (Now a Subsidiary of APA Corp)-** <https://apacorp.com/sustainability/>  
Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: corporate partnership with the Pecos Watershed Conservation Initiative; collaboration in conservation efforts to protect the Lesser Prairie Chicken.

**Arch Resources, Inc. -** <https://www.archrsc.com/our-approach/community/>  
Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: partnership with the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation; conservation efforts related to the Greater Sage Grouse; founding member of the Thunder Basin Grassland Prairie Ecosystem Association.

**Black Hills Energy -** <https://www.blackhillsenergy.com/community/our-community-impact>  
Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: conservation partner of the Energy for Wildlife program; 2021 funding partner for Trees Forever and the Arbor Day Foundation.

**Chesapeake Energy -** <https://sustainability.chk.com/social/charitable/> ;  
<https://sustainability.chk.com/climate/targets/>  
Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: partnership with the Oklahoma Association of Conservation Districts celebrating the 2011 Stewardship Week.

**Chevron USA Inc -** <https://www.chevron.com/sustainability/environment/biodiversity>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: corporate partnership with the Pecos Watershed Conservation Initiative; partnership with Conservation International (CI); funding partnership with the The Nature Conservancy (TNC).

**Coterra Energy** - <https://coterra.com/a-sustainable-future/community/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: charitable match program for employee contributions to 501(c)(3) organizations.

**ConocoPhillips Company** - <https://www.conocophillips.com/sustainability/managing-local-environmental-risks/biodiversity/> ; <https://www.nfwf.org/programs/conocophillips-spirit-conservation-program>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: creation and management of the ConocoPhillips SPIRIT of Conservation Program (see second link above for grant application information); initiation of 2020 study on habitat and behavior of the Sharp-Tailed Grouse; funding of Great Plains Prairie Potholes Joint Venture.

**Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.** -

<https://www.devonenergy.com/sustainability/environment/land-conservation-and-biodiversity>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: sponsorship of the Wyoming Conservation Corps (WCC); partnership with Wyoming BLM offices to address land stewardship; partnership with New Mexico Soil Conservation District to restore native desert prairie grasslands.

**EOG Resources Inc** - <https://www.eogresources.com/sustainability/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: partnership with Texas landowners in grassland restoration; partnership with Texan by Nature's pollinator project to restore pollinator habitat.

**Civitas Resources** - <https://civitasresources.com/sustainability/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: partnership with Project Canary and Payne Institute for preservation of air quality; partnership through Civitas Solar in development of Colorado solar gardens.

**Exxon Mobil Corporation** - <https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/Sustainability/Sustainability-Report/Environment/Biodiversity-and-ecosystem-services>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: support of land management programs, including in partnership with the Wildlife Habitat Council; contributions to biodiversity management research.

**Finley Resources, Inc** - <http://finlevresources.com/giving-back/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: charitable match program for employees to 501(c)(3) organizations.

**Hilcorp Energy Company** - <https://www.hilcorp.com/social-responsibility/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: annual partnership with NOAA's Fisheries department for the Belugas Count event; charitable match program for employees to qualified non-profit organizations.

**HRM Resources III LLC** - <https://www.hrmresources3.com/sustainability/social> ;  
<https://www.hrmresources3.com/operations>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: donations to the National Forest Foundation.

**Hunt Energy** - <https://huntsg.com/biodiversity-monitoring-conservation/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: establishing partnerships with universities and other institutions, with a focus on preserving biodiversity; partnership with the Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute.

**Jonah Energy, LLC** - <https://www.jonahenergy.com/sustainability/#1579806584424-494675b0-bc9c>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: charitable match program for employees to 501(c)(3) organizations.

**Marathon Oil Company** - <https://www.marathonoil.com/sustainability/environment/land-stewardship-and-biodiversity/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: partnership with the Pecos Watershed Conservation Initiative; support of other conservation and beautification projects.

**Merit Energy, LLC** - <https://www.meritenergy.com/impact/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: recent participation with Wyoming wildlife migration corridor projects; participation in The Environmental Partnership.

**NRG** - <https://www.nrg.com/about/community/environment.html>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: ownership and operation of the Cedar Bayou EcoCenter; partnership with the Galveston Bay Foundation for Marsh Mania; leasing of undeveloped land to farmers and ranchers in local communities for preservation purposes.

**Occidental Petroleum** - <https://www.oxy.com/operations/carbon-innovation/partnerships-and-resources/>

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: land donation supporting conservation efforts for the Lesser Prairie Chicken; founding partner of the Pecos Watershed Conservation Initiative; support of conservation needs via partnership with NFWF for the RESTORE Colorado program.

## **Other Organizations**

**Allstate Insurance** - <https://allstatefoundation.org/what-we-do/transform-communities/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: charitable match program via Helping Hands Grants.

**Bass Pro Shops and Cabela's Outdoor Fund** -

<https://about.basspro.com/conservation/outdoor-fund/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: partnership with more than 250 conservation organizations; supporting the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation's projects in Montana, Nebraska, and Idaho. See link above for application information.

**Farmers Insurance** - <https://www.farmers.com/corporate-responsibility/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: establishment of the Farmers Go Green Team, focusing on sustainability efforts.

**Geico Philanthropic Foundation** - <https://www.geico.com/about/in-the-community/community-development/>; <https://www.geico.com/philanthropic-foundation/>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: partnership with Association of Zoos and Aquariums to promote wildlife conservation; partnership with community organizations; community grant program.

**Liberty Mutual** - <https://www.libertymutualgroup.com/about-lm/corporate-information/sustainability/corporate-sustainability>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: partnership with the BuildStrong Coalition; matching employee donations made through payroll deductions via the Give with Liberty program.

**The Hartford** - <https://www.thehartford.com/about-us/environment>

Past/Ongoing Engagements Include: funding commitment to the TPG Rise Climate Fund for efforts on worldwide climate solutions; offers mutual funds with a sustainable investing focus.

**Walmart – <https://walmart.org/> ; <https://walmart.org/how-we-give/grant-eligibility>**

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: creation of the Acres for America program; partnership with Conservation International; local community grant program; support of The Nature Conservancy.

**Wyldlife Fund - <https://thewyldlifefund.org/>**

Past/Ongoing Conservation Engagements Include: contributions to the Absaroka Fence Initiative; funding award to the US 26 Dubois Wildlife Crossing Project; fundraising for various Wyoming wildlife projects.

**Wyoming Governor’s Big Game License Coalition - <https://wgfd.wyo.gov/Apply-or-Buy/Commissioner-and-Governor-Licenses/Governors-Big-Game-License>**

See link above for a list of past funded projects and application instructions. Funding is available for five different categories of projects. By category, the Coalition offers funding for projects related to: (1) elk and elk habitats; (2) mule deer and mule deer habitats; (3) bighorn sheep and their habitats; (4) moose and moose habitats; and (5) any fish and wildlife species other than elk, mule deer, bighorn sheep, or moose.