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ALLIANCE OF DUNN CO CONSV & SPORTS CLUBS INC	Dobbs Landing with Annis Creek	Dunn	WC	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$174,800.00	\$174,800.00	The Habitat Area subprogram funds will be used to acquire 178.20 acres of open land in the Town of Tainter, Dunn County. The acquisition of property will provide access to the over mile of shoreline of the Red Cedar River and will protect wildlife habitat. The property will be open to the public for hunting, fishing, trapping, hiking and cross-county skiing. A portion of the sponsor match will be from a donated 33 acre parcel located in the Town of Stanton, Dunn County.
BAYFIELD REGIONAL CONSERVANCY	Bayfield Regional Conservancy N Pikes Creek (Futurewood, Rathlef) Acq	Bayfield	NO	Jillian Steffes, 715-365-8928	\$125,415.00	\$125,415.00	Streambank Projection subprogram funds to acquire 280 acres (Futurewood 240 acres, Rathlef 40 parcel) in the Town of Russell, Bayfield County. Property includes approx 1.6 miles of frontage on N Pikes Creek, a Class I trout stream.
BAYFIELD REGIONAL CONSERVANCY	Big Ravine (Olson, Nelson) Acquisition	Bayfield	NO	Jillian Steffes, 715-365-8928	\$75,423.00	\$75,422.00	Habitat Areas subprogram funds to acquire 40 acres (Olson and Nelson properties) in the Town of Bayfield, Bayfield County. The Bayfield Regional Conservancy intends to transfer fee ownership of this parcel to the Town of Bayfield after acquisition. A federal Coastal Management grant from NOAA may be utilized for 50% of the acquisition cost.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Baileys Harbor Boreal Forest - Hirthe Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$220,550.00	\$220,550.00	Natural Areas subprogram funds to acquire 18.66 acres in the Town of Baileys Harbor, Door County, in the Baileys Harbor Boreal Forest State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Big and Little Marsh - Pothast Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$90,250.00	\$90,250.00	Natural Areas subprogram funds to acquire 1.62 acres for conservation purposes in the Town of Washington, Door County, in the Big and Little Marsh State Natural Area.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Cave Point SNA - Evergreen	Door	NE	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$128,159.00	\$72,150.00	Natural Area subprogram funds to acquire 41 acres in the Cave Point to Clay Banks State Natural Area - Kellner Fen Unit. The property lies within the US Fish and Wildlife Service Critical Habitat Unit 11 for the Hine's Emerald Dragon and is part of the ground water contributing area for the critical habitat unit and the fen in which they breed and forge. The property will be open to the public for hunting, trapping, hiking and cross-county skiing. There is no fishable water on the property.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Chambers Island - Baudhuin Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$137,826.00	\$137,826.00	Habitat Area subprogram funds to acquire 68.37 acres in the Town of Gibraltar, Door County, in the Chambers Island State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Chambers Island - Fletcher (Wrights' Cove) Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$34,341.00	\$34,341.00	Habitat Areas subprogram funds to acquire 17.78 acres in the Town of Gibraltar, Door County, in the Chambers Island State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Chambers Island - Mantione Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$57,053.00	\$57,197.00	Habitat Areas subprogram funds to acquire 26.707 acres in the Town of Gibraltar, Door County, in the Chambers Island State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.

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DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Detroit Harbor - Fitzpatrick(Robert) Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$10,425.00	\$10,425.00	Natural Areas subprogram funds to acquire 3.08 acres for conservation purposes in the Town of Washington, Door County, in the Detroit Harbor State Natural Area.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Detroit Harbor - Fitzpatrick(Tom & Denise) Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$10,425.00	\$10,425.00	Natural Areas subprogram funds to acquire 3.17 acres Town of Washington, Door County, in the Detroit Harbor State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST, INC.	Gibraltar-Ephraim Swamp - Doman acquisition	Door	NE	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$14,980.00	\$14,980.00	Natural Area subprogram funds to acquire 9.95 acres in the Village of Ephraim to expand the Gibraltar-Ephraim Swamp State Natural Area. The parcel contains a high quality wet cedar forest and a host of rare and unique species. Acquisition of this parcel will also protect water quality as the wetlands on the property drain Ephraim Creek and ultimately into the bay of Green Bay. The property will be open to the public for outdoor recreation.
ICE AGE TRAIL ALLIANCE, INC.	Ice Age Trail - Hanson	Taylor	NO	Jillian Steffes, 715-365-8928	\$49,644.00	\$49,644.00	State Trails subprogram funds to acquire 49.74 acre in fee simple in the Town of Rib Lake, Taylor County. This purchase will permanently protect a segment of the existing Ice Age Trail.
ICE AGE TRAIL ALLIANCE, INC.	Ice Age Trail - Portage Canal	Dane	SC	Not Available	\$115,320.00	\$115,320.00	State Trail subprogram funds to acquire 46 acres in the City of Portage for permanent Ice Age Trail corridor along the Portage Canal. Sponsor will match this grant with residual credit balance from IAT3-43.
ICE AGE TRAIL ALLIANCE, INC.	Ice Age Trail - Walbeck	Taylor	NO	Jillian Steffes, 715-365-8928	\$107,395.00	\$107,395.00	State Trails subprogram funds to acquire 156.68 acre in fee simple in the Town of Rib Lake, Taylor County. This purchase will permanently protect a segment of the existing Ice Age Trail.
NATURAL HERITAGE LAND TRUST	Eggleston Land Acquisition	Marquette	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$268,965.00	\$268,965.00	Acquisition of 198 acres in the Town of Buffalo, Marquette County for conservation and recreation purposes - 120 acres funded through the Habitat Areas subprogram and 78 acres funded from State Trail grant subprogram. The property is an addition to the Fox River National Wildlife Refuge and the John Muir State Natural Area.
NATURAL HERITAGE LAND TRUST	Fox River Refuge - Eggleston addition	Marquette	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$141,280.00	\$141,280.00	Acquisition of 198 acres in the Town of Buffalo, Marquette County for conservation and recreation purposes - 78 acres funded from State Trail grant subprogram and 120 acres funded through the Habitat Areas subprogram. The property is an addition to the Fox River National Wildlife Refuge and the John Muir State Natural Area.
NATURAL HERITAGE LAND TRUST	Indian Agency House Easement	Columbia	SC	Pam Foster Felt, 608-266-0868	\$115,842.50	\$115,842.50	Habitat Area subprogram funding to help purchase a conservation easement on 164 acres of land owned by the Colonial Dames of America and managed as a historical and natural heritage site in the City of Portage and Town of Fort Winnebago.

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NATURAL HERITAGE LAND TRUST	Sugar River Wildlife Area	Dane	SC	Not Available	\$1,197,000.00	\$1,197,000.00	Streambank Protection subprogram funds to acquire 341.96 acres. The purchase and preservation of the property will help protect the water quality of the Sugar River. The property will be open to the public for hunting, fishing, trapping, hiking and cross-county skiing. The property will be donated to Dane County for long-term management.
NE WISCONSIN LAND TRUST	Micoley/Tycore Built Land Acquisition	Brown	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$50,841.00	\$50,841.00	Habitat Areas subprogram funds to acquire 31 acres in the Village of Suamico, Brown County, in the Harbor Lights Preserve, for conservation purposes.
OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST	Mayhew Acquisition	Washington	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$144,703.00	\$144,703.00	The Ozaukee Washington Land Trust will acquire 70.1 acres of land in the Town of Farmington in Washington County for wildlife habitat preservation and outdoor recreation.
OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST	Ozaukee Washington Land Trust - Lynn (Stoney Creek) Acq..	Washington	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$109,200.00	\$109,200.00	The Ozaukee Washington Land Trust will acquire 34 acres of land along Stoney Creek in the North Branch Milwaukee River Wildlife and Farmland Heritage Area.
OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST	Ozaukee Washington Land Trust - Schoofs Acquisition	Washington	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$132,303.00	\$132,303.00	The Ozaukee Washington Land Trust will acquire 51 acres of land in the Town of Erin, Washington County, for wildlife habitat preservation and restoration and outdoor recreation.
OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST	Ozaukee Washington Land Trust - Sisters of the Sorrowful Mother (Spirit Lake Preserve)	Ozaukee	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$603,553.00	\$603,553.00	The Ozaukee Washington Land Trust will acquire 156.4 acres in the City of Mequon for wildlife habitat preservation and restoration and for outdoor public recreation.
OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST	Serigraph (Schoenbeck Woods) Acquisition	Washington	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$155,953.00	\$155,953.00	The Ozaukee Washington Land Trust will acquire 72.27 acres of land in the Town of Trenton, Washington County, for wildlife habitat preservation and outdoor recreation.
SHEBOYGAN COUNTY CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION	Sheboygan County Conservation Association - Rortvedt Acquisition		SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$44,375.00	\$44,375.00	The Sheboygan County Conservation Association will acquire 40 acres in the Sheboygan County Marsh for wildlife habitat preservation.
STANDING CEDARS COMMUNITY LAND CONSERVANCY	Tewksbury SNA - Gross Addition with Brown Match	Polk	NO	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$64,416.00	\$168,969.00	Habitat Area subprogram funds will be used to acquire a 2.57 acre parcel as an addition to the Teweaksbury SNA. Sponsor match will include an 85 acre parcel located in the Town of Farmington and Osceola, Polk County. The properties will be open to the public for nature based outdoor recreation.

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THE CONSERVATION FUND	St. Germain Awassa Forest	Vilas	NO	Not Available	\$396,500.00	\$396,500.00	Habitat Area subprogram funds will be used to acquire approximately 231 acres of land in the Town of St. Germain, Vilas County. Acquisition will maintain and enhance the habitat types required by numerous species of greatest conservation need associated with the globally significant Trout Lake Pines Conservation Opportunity Area. The property will also provide permanent access to the public for nature based outdoor activities including hunting, trapping, hiking, and cross-country skiing.
THE CONSERVATION FUND	The Conservation Fund - Chris River, LLC	Washington	SE	Not Available	\$168,700.00	\$168,700.00	The Conservation will use Habitat Area Funds to protect 59 acres in the Town of Farmington Washington County along the main stem of the Milw. River for flood control.
THE CONSERVATION FUND	The Conservation Fund - Griffiths	Ozaukee	SE	Not Available	\$146,622.00	\$146,622.00	The Conservation Fund will use Habitat Area funds to protect 16.6 acres in the City of Mequon for habitat protection, nature-based outdoor education, water quality and flood control within the Milwaukee River watershed.
THE CONSERVATION FUND	The Conservation Fund - Wiskerchen Acquisition	Ozaukee	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$74,461.00	\$74,461.00	The Conservation Fund will acquire 38.27 acres of land located in the Town of Fredonia, Ozaukee County, for resource preservation, wildlife habitat restoration and outdoor recreation. The property is located in the department's North Branch Milwaukee River Wildlife and Farming Heritage project area.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	Lulu Lake Meyer Preserve - Malek addition	Waukesha	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$797,903.00	\$797,904.00	The Nature Conservancy will acquire 248 acres of land in the Town of Eagle, Waukesha County, to expand the Meyer Nature Preserve within their Lulu Lake State Natural Area acquisition boundary.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	North Bay - Pritchett Land Acquisition	Door	NE	Faith Murray, 920-662-5487	\$41,690.00	\$41,690.00	Natural Areas subprogram funds to acquire 40 acres in the Town of Liberty Grove, Door County, in the North Bay State Natural Area, for conservation purposes.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	TNC Baxter's Hollow-Huber Trust	Sauk	SC	Not Available	\$53,993.00	\$53,993.00	TNC will purchase 40 acres within Baxter's Hollow SNA using Natural Area funds. The parcel is closed canopy hardwoods, accessible by adjacent TNC protected lands.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	TNC Baxter's Hollow-RVF-2	Sauk	SC	Not Available	\$82,436.00	\$82,435.00	TNC will use Natural Area funds to purchase 40.12 acres in Baxter's Hollow SNA. The parcel is on the southern end of the Baraboo Hills and is adjacent to conservancy lands protected by an easement.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	TNC Military Ridge Barneveld Prairie-Hilton	Iowa	SC	Not Available	\$61,093.00	\$61,093.00	TNC will use Natural Area funds to acquire the 17 acres within the Military Ridge Barneveld Prairie SNA.
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY	The Nature Conservancy - Country Builders Acq. (Chiwaukee Prairie)	Kenosha	SE	Dan Kaemmerer, 414-263-8704	\$171,092.50	\$171,092.50	The Nature Conservancy will acquire 30.84 acres of land within their Chiwaukee Prairie Natural Area acquisition boundary for natural resource preservation and outdoor recreation.

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THE PRAIRIE ENTHUSIASTS, INC.	Empire Prairies - Zauner Addition (Hauser Road Prairie)	Dane	SC	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$177,700.00	\$177,700.00	Natural Area subprogram funds to acquire 45 acres in the Town of Vienna, Dane County. The parcel lies on the southern end of the Empire Prairie. Acquisition of this parcel will protect a high quality prairie remnant. The property will be open to the public for nature based outdoor recreation.
THE PRAIRIE ENTHUSIASTS, INC.	Sylvan Road with Fiest Match	Iowa	SC	Mary L. Rothenmaier, 608-275-3322	\$113,266.00	\$113,266.00	Natural Area subprogram funds to acquire 99 acres in the Town of Woldwick, Iowa County. The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. offered the 3 acre Fiest property in the Town of Liberty, Grant County as match for the purchase.
THE PRAIRIE ENTHUSIASTS, INC.	The Prairie Enthusiasts-Thomas 2	Iowa	SC	Not Available	\$324,368.00	\$324,367.00	The Prairie Enthusiasts will use Natural Area funds to purchase 189 acres Thomas 2 property containing the Historic Barn. DALC holds an easement on the property purchased with FRPP and ADR funds. The land owner will retain an 11 acre life estate and the property will become part of the Barneveld Prairie SNA.
WEST WISCONSIN LAND TRUST	Bird Sanctuary	Douglas	NO	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$29,560.00	\$29,560.00	Natural Area subprogram funds will be used to acquire four lots totalling 24.39 acres. The property will be managed as a buffer for the Douglas County Wildlife Area and the Wild River State Trail. The property is located next to the Solon Springs Sharp Tail Barrens State Natural Area and will be managed as a barrens landscape. The property will be open to the public for nature based outdoor recreation.
WEST WISCONSIN LAND TRUST	Trimbelle River Wildlife Area	Pierce	WC	Karen Blodgett, 715-836-6574	\$23,905.00	\$23,905.00	Streambank Area subprogram funds to acquire 40 acres in the Town of River Falls, Pierce County. Acquisition of the property will help protect the water quality of the Tribelle River. The property is contiguous to the 65 acre Ray Morrison Memorial Wildlife Area. It will be open to the public for hunting, fishing, trapping and cross-county skiing.
Total Awards: 42		Total \$ awarded in time period listed above:		\$7,043,727.00			