

FRGP 2024 Projects Approved for Contingency Funding

Funding Program	Proposal ID	Project Type	Title	Description	Applicant	County	Region	Funded Amount
FRGP	1732311	PD	Basso / Ingalls Restoration Project - Design and Plan	The project would design and permit a shovel-ready plan that would accomplish the following objectives: Restore up to 40 acres of functional floodplain & low-flow channel rearing habitat for salmonids; Restore up to 7 acres of spawning habitat by placing gravel in the mainstem channel; Restore up to 50 acres of riparian habitat by planting appropriate species on restored surfaces; Reduce non-native predatory fish habitat; Restore geomorphic function, increasing sediment supply & transport; Increase aquatic microhabitats, food sources, & area of native riparian vegetation.	Tuolumne River Trust	Stanislaus County	4	\$751,028
FRGP	1732240	FP	Maria Ygnacio Creek Fish Passage Implementation Project--UPRR Crossing	Objective 1: Produce 100% Final Construction Ready Designs from the existing 100% Administrative Draft Level Designs. Objective 2: Obtain all necessary permits. Objective 3: Instream Restoration downstream of the Union Pacific Railroad fish passage barrier in Maria Ygnacio Creek to allow for fish passage. Objective 4: Removal of 350ft of Post and Wire Revetment and rehabilitation of creek banks with riparian vegetation.	Earth Island Institute	Santa Barbara County	5	\$1,844,585
FRGP	1732364	HR	Eel River Arundo Eradication Phase 4	This project is the eradication of <i>Arundo donax</i> from at least eight sites in the Eel River watershed. Approximately 38 miles of the South Fork Eel River and 37 miles of Mainstem Eel River will be surveyed for <i>Arundo donax</i> and any newly identified <i>Arundo</i> will also be eradicated.	Eel River Watershed Improvement Group (ERWIG)	Humboldt County	1	\$91,837
FRGP	1732343	HR	Middle Stotenburg Creek Coho Habitat Enhancement Project, Riparian Restoration	A total of 0.42 acres will be planted and 3 acres will be protected at the project site. A riparian fence will create a 100-foot-wide riparian buffer. Livestock will be fully excluded; invasive Himalayan blackberry will be removed, and 184 native trees and shrubs will be installed in areas currently lacking native riparian vegetation. Conifers will be planted to promote long term large wood recruitment, and large wood will be installed to accelerate the formation of complex instream habitats.	Smith River Alliance	Del Norte County	1	\$440,527
FRGP	1732474	PD	Upper Lawrence Coho Habitat Design Project	100% Non-engineered design plans and a Basis of Designs report will be developed for 2 miles of Lawrence Creek. Design plans will meet the key piece SONCCC target value of `Very Good`.	Eel River Watershed Improvement Group (ERWIG)	Humboldt County	1	\$48,550
FRGP	1732239	PI	CCC Steelhead Restoration Team	Camarillo CCC FHS and FHA will conduct public outreach efforts in an effort to develop partnered Southern California steelhead habitat restoration projects in Southern California coastal watersheds from Santa Barbara County to Los Angeles County. The team will also assist CDFW Region staff with all biological monitoring, DIDSON/ARIS deployments and emergency fish relocations efforts.	California Conservation Corps - Camarillo	Ventura County	5	\$491,771
FRGP	1732369	PI	Southern Steelhead Coalition: Santa Monica Mountains to Santa Maria River	Measurable project objectives for the Southern Steelhead Coalition: Facilitate 8 meetings, 6 virtual and 2 full day, in-person symposiums Draft and Final Strategic Plan for expanded Coalition Area Tribal Liaison to draft 2 Tribal Partnership Plans Submit 3 RCD-led grant proposals Participate in 12 public outreach events, 2 of which will be led by Coalition	California Trout, Inc.	Santa Barbara County, Los Angeles County, Ventura County	5	\$357,145

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FRGP	1732237	TE	Enhancing Environmental Education: Trout in the Classroom Expansion in San Diego County	This project will empower 8 teachers in San Diego County and collaborate with 3 tribal partners to enhance environmental education through a Steelhead Trout-focused curriculum. It will engage 800 students yearly in watershed science lessons, field trips, and trout release events, fostering community awareness and conservation practices for Steelhead Trout habitat.	The Escondido Creek Conservancy	San Diego County	5	\$183,424