October 9, 2025 Advisory Committee Meeting Lower American River Conservancy Program Wildlife Conservation Board



Item 5 - 2025 LARCP Recommendation Table

PROPOSAL TITLE	PROJECT TYPE (Planning, Implementation, Acquisition)	SUMMARY	PROJECT LOCATION	APPLICANT	DAC	CCC/ CAL CC	REQUESTED GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	TOTAL PROJECT COST	FUNDING SOURCE	CEQA STATUS	AVERAGE SCORE	RECOMMENDATION
Woodlake and River Bend Grassland Restoration	Implementation	Restore 30 acres of degraded fields with native grasses and forbs. Complete two years of nonnative plant control before seeding native grasses. Reduce nonnative forbs to less than 10% cover before hand-seeding native forb plots. Complete baseline and annual monitoring and adaptive management to establish habitat for grassland birds and pollinators and reduce wildfire risk.	Woodlake and River Bend area plans	Sacramento County Regional Parks	Yes	No	\$770,500	\$149,091	\$919,591	Prop 68 Prop 4	Sacramento County, as lead agency, prepared a Subsequent EIR for the project. WCB will prepare written findings. Subject to approval of this proposal by the WCB, the appropriate NOD will be filed.	89	Fully fund as proposed
American River Salmonid Rearing Habitat Planning	Planning	Complete planning and design for restoring juvenile salmonid rearing habitat at up to 10 sites, totaling 30 acres of floodplain restoration. Utilize the Ecological Floodplain Inundation Potential toolkit to rapidly and efficiently identify 15-20 suitable rearing sites and develop conceptual plans. Host workshops with landowners to prioritize 10 sites and complete technical studies, 65% designs, tribal coordination, stakeholder engagement, and CEQA, and develop a permitting pathway strategy for those sites.	Parkway- wide	Water Forum	Yes	No	\$333,000	\$1,000,000	\$1,333,000	Prop 68	Exempt – planning and studies. Statutory Exemption for Restoration Projects (SERP) will be pursued for the designed project.	90	Fully fund as proposed