



River Stewardship Program Projects FY25

Project Name	Lead Organization	County	Description	Funding Amount
Valle de Oro National Wildlife Refuge Riparian and Wetland Habitat Development and Water Quality Improvement	Rio Grande Return	Bernalillo	Install riparian and emergent wetland plant material within the riparian forest and wetlands units on the Refuge. These habitats include extension of the historical Rio Grande bosque, semi-permanent wetlands and riparian fringe to the wetlands.	\$540,359.82
Wetland Restoration in Trout Creek and Romero Creek	Amigos Bravos	Catron	Restore the headwaters and wetlands of Trout Creek and Romero Creek that are degraded by gullyng, roads, and cattle trails.	\$677,130.46
Post-fire Restoration of Gila Trout and Riparian Habitat on Black Canyon Creek	Bat Conservation International	Catron	Improve water quality, stream morphology and instream habitat in a 2.0 mile reach of Black Canyon Creek that was impacted by wildfire.	\$330,385.73
Phase 2- Post-wildfire Restoration of Little Turkey Creek	JEB Outfitters, LLC	Catron	Reduce stream instability and improve water quality and aquatic habitats to support the native fish community impacted by wildfire in Little Turkey Creek.	\$209,679.00
Process-based Restoration of Cimarroncito Creek: Phase 1	Philmont Scout Ranch	Colfax	Recharge groundwater and boost base flows, reduce sediment, improve water quality, and restore riparian area in Cimarroncito Creek.	\$409,400.61
Dorsey Spring/ Bear Creek Riparian Restoration	Gila Resource Information Project	Grant	Construct a cattle enclosure to protect 43.1 acres of riparian habitat and adjacent upland as well as 0.7miles of Bear Creek from livestock grazing.	\$592,322.42
Restoration of Rio Embudo Tributaries in the Lower Embudo Watershed	Ecotone Landscape Planning, LLC	Rio Arriba	Address water quality impairments in the Rio Embudo caused by high volumes of sediment from several arroyos.	\$533,828.82
Town of Chama Restoration Project	Trout Unlimited, Inc.	Rio Arriba	Improve the form and function of a section of the Rio Chama to support trout and improve water quality conditions.	\$697,011.89
Rio Puerco Riparian and Beaver Habitat Restoration	Rio Grande Return	Sandoval	Promote healthy wetlands, restore floodplain connectivity and improve instream habitat on Rio Puerco.	\$511,928.89
Our Lady of Guadalupe Monastery- Pecos River Restoration	Upper Pecos Watershed Association	San Miguel	Restore 1.0 mile of river channel to improve instream habitat, stream geomorphology, sediment transport, and reduce streambank erosion on the Pecos River.	\$728,539.40
Bloodgood Spring Preservation	Upper Gila Watershed Association	Sierra	Replace an existing fence with a high quality, wildlife-friendly, fence to protect and secure Bloodgood Spring's ability to provide high quality water to a watershed impacted by wildfire.	\$105,958.22
Wetland and Stream Habitat Restoration on Midnight Meadows and Bitter Creek	Amigos Bravos	Taos	Continue restoration efforts in the headwaters of Bitter Creek and adjacent wetland meadows by addressing bank erosion and sediment concerns, improving aquatic habitat and floodplain connectivity.	\$639,392.96