

Land and Water Conservation Fund

- Summary:** The Land and Water Conservation Fund grant program provides reimbursement assistance for state and local government subdivisions for the acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas.
- Agency:** Ohio Department of Natural Resources Office of Real Estate & Land Management
- Eligibility:** Local municipalities, townships, counties, joint recreation districts, park districts and conservancy districts are eligible to apply. Only one park per application.
- Funding:** Awards range from \$50,000 to \$500,000
- Cost Match:** A cost match of 50% is required. This match may come from local funds, state funding programs or certain federal grant programs.
- Deadline:** All proposals to the Land and Water Conservation Fund grant program must be postmarked by November 15th, 2018.

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Examples of Eligible Projects

Land Acquisition

- Land used for active outdoor recreation
- Land to enlarge an existing park
- Urban land for public playgrounds, picnicking, dog parks, etc.
- Land for a support facility (restroom, parking area)

Development Projects

- Picnic and support facilities
- Outdoor activity facilities (splashpads, campsite facilities)
- Recreational trails and support facilities
- Renovation or redevelopment of existing facilities

NOPEC encourages its members to consider this opportunity and share it with eligible entities within their communities.

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