

Wings Across America Funding - Priority Projects 2022-2023

	Name	Description/Project Notes	Number of Plugs Needed	Number of Plants	Sponsor(s)	Schedule
1	Bear Creek River Mile 18.8	This project is a riparian restoration funded by the City of Ashland water quality trading program. The project area is located in Talent Oregon and is within the Almeda fire scar. The riparian area was replanted in spring 2021. 400 flowering woody shrubs and 1lb of native pollinator seed is being installed into a south facing slope along the pond that is adjacent to the current riparian project. The pollinator habitat area is roughly 4000 sqft. Seed and shrub plantings will be installed in winter 2021-22 and irrigation will be extended from the riparian project to service pollinator plantings. When milkweed plugs become available in 2022 we will interplant the pollinator area with milkweed patches.	3,000 milkweed		The Freshwater Trust (TFT) and Lomakatsi Restoration Project (LRP)	2022-2023
2	Ashland Creek River Mile 0.5	This project is a riparian restoration funded by the City of Ashland water quality trading program. The pollinator garden area will be developed on a sunny terrace adjacent to the riparian project. The location is the ignition point where the Almeda fire began and is within the burn scar of that fire. 400 flowering shrubs and 1 lb pollinator seed mix will be installed in winter/spring 2022. Irrigation will be connected to the riparian project which will be under construction in that same time frame. In 2022 when milkweed plugs become available the site will be interplanted.				
3	Bear Creek River Mile 23.5:	This project is a riparian restoration funded by the City of Ashland water quality trading program. The riparian project was planted in spring 2021. There was a pollinator garden that existed along the greenway adjacent to this riparian project area. That pollinator garden burned in the fire and was subsequently swamped with weedy grasses. The project area would be roughly 2000' sqft and would be planted with 200 woody flowering shrubs and seeded with pollinator seed mix in spring 2022. Milkweed plugs will be interplanted in clusters into the site when they become available in 2022. Irrigation will be provided by connecting to the system feeding the riparian project and stewardship will be provided by Ashland Parks Volunteers.				
4	Blue Heron Park #1	Re-establishment of the damaged waystation at the Park. Swale site.		250-500	Rogue River Watershed Council (RRWC)	2022
5	Blue Heron Park #2	Adding a pollinator component to the existing planting.		600-800	RRWC	2022-2023
6	Medford Sports Park by ballfields	Re-Establishment of a way station located at the Monarch Waystation sign.			(Rogue Valley Council of Governments) RVCOG	2022
7	Talent Rest Area	Pollinator waystation and path weaving through the rest area. 4 locations in raised bed. 15% milkweed species.			Tom Landis	2023