

## **Equine Land Conservation Funding & Grant Sources**

(For the conservation of horse farms, competition/training sites and trails)

Americans for our Heritage and Recreation

American Hiking Society [www.americanhiking.org](http://www.americanhiking.org)

Back Country Horsemen of America

Banks (Ask at your local branch)

Bay Area Barns & Trails (CA)

Bureau of Land Management (Dept. of Interior)

Canal & River Districts

Challenge Cost Share Program

    USDA Forest Service

    Bureau of Land Management

    National Park Service

Community Facilities Districts – Contact your local community/municipal gov't or parks  
& recreation department

The Conservation Alliance

The Education Foundation of America

Environmental Support Center

Environmental Protection Agency Environmental Education Fund

Equestrian Land Conservation Resource – Breyer grant – application deadline is 9/1/2009

Federal Lands Highway Program (FLHP)

Illinois Equine Industry Research & Promotion Board (IL)

International Mountain Biking Association (for shared use trails)

Kodak American Greenways Award Program

Kentucky Heritage Lands Conservation Fund (KY only)

Land Trust or Conservancy – contact your local Trust or Conservancy

Land Conservation, Preservation & Infrastructure Improvement Trust

Land and Water Conservation Fund

Land Trust Alliance and your local land trust ([www.lta.org/resources/alliancegrants.htm](http://www.lta.org/resources/alliancegrants.htm))

Laura Jane Musser Fund (encourages groups to use a consensus-based approach to  
environmental decision-making)

National Environmental & Training Foundation

National Forest Foundation ([www.nationalforestfoundation.org](http://www.nationalforestfoundation.org))

National Park Service Rivers Trails and Conservation Assistance Program

National Park Service Challenge Cost Share Program

National Recreational Trails Fund (for non-motorized users, must be consistent with  
Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreational Plans)

National Scenic Byways Program

National Trails Endowment

North Carolina Horse Council (education grants and trail & community grants)

Rails to Trails Conservancy

Scenic America

State Senators and Representatives (Member Items)

State Tourism Offices

Student Conservation Corps

Take Pride in America  
Trust for Public Land  
Lilly Foundation (Indiana only)  
U.S. Department of Agriculture (call your state office or soil and/or water conservation district)  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
    Recreational Trails Program (Contact your State RTP Coordinator)  
    Transportation Enhancements (TE)  
    Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (TEA-21) matching grants,  
    Surface Transportation Program Funds (STP)  
    Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 2001 (STEA)  
Utility Companies in your community  
U.S.D.A. Forest Service  
    Rural Community Assistance Program  
Walkable Communities (FL)  
Wisconsin State Horse Council Trail Grant Program (March 1 deadline, WI Horse Council members only)  
Community Foundation (in your town/region)  
Your State Department of Natural Resources  
Your State Greenways and Trails Council  
[www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)