



## 2023-24 Preliminary Approved Project List

*\*Please note, some projects may be approved for a reduced funding amount and/or may have a funding condition applied. Your email Notification will be coming in the next week and will provide further details. Staff cannot provide this information to you before the Notifications are issued. All applicants will receive a Notification with detailed feedback from our reviewers.*

ERS ID #	Project #	Project Name
<b>Multi-Region</b>		
ERS23--0000000671	0-229	BC's Family Fishing Weekend
ERS23--0000000536	0-398	NatureKids BC: Nature Clubs Project
ERS23--0000000605	0-406	Lower Fraser White Sturgeon Recreational Fishery Monitoring
	0-451	Conservation Land Operations and Management
ERS23--0000000615	0-466	BC Wild Sheep Conservation and Movi Control Program
ERS23--0000000629	0-467	Grizzly Bear Coexistence Solutions
ERS23--0000000616	0-476	Got Bats? B.C. Community Outreach, Conservation and Citizen Science
ERS23--0000000626	0-511	NABat, BatCaver, and Beyond: Protecting BC's Bats
ERS23--0000000649	0-536	Protecting BC Bats: Probiotic prophylaxis for white-nose syndrome
ERS23--0000000681	0-541	Determining factors affecting moose population change
	0-545	Quality Waters Strategy - West Coast

ERS23--0000000647	0-567	Cougar predation and harvest in a changing landscape
ERS23--0000000573	0-573	Stewardship Training through Yellow Flag Iris Control Workshops
ERS23--0000000642	0-587	Columbia Shuswap Invasives Restoration
ERS23--0000000564	0-614	Chronic Wasting Disease Response and Management Strategies for BC
ERS23--0000000667	0-617	Coastal Cutthroat Trout: Provincial Risk Assessment
ERS23--0000000668	0-618	Technical Support for White Sturgeon Conservation and Management
ERS23--0000000689	0-619	Water, Water, Everywhere: Transforming B.C.'s Wetland and Stream Restoration Prospects
ERS23--0000000640	0-620	BC Furbearer Tissue Bank
<b>Vancouver Island</b>		
	1-72	O&M - (Fsh) - Vancouver Island
ERS23--0000000543	1-538	Georgia Basin Western Bluebird Reintroduction Project
ERS23--0000000542	1-644	Vancouver Island Small Lake Enrichment Program
ERS23--0000000663	1-675	Seasonal habitat supply for the management and restoration of Roosevelt elk (1-675)
ERS23--0000000627	1-684	Ecocultural Restoration of Vancouver Island Estuaries
ERS23--0000000540	1-693	Reestablishing Vancouver Island Marmots in Strathcona Provincial Park
ERS23--0000000587	1-713	Investigating impacts of Ultraviolet Filters on the Cowichan River ecosystem
ERS23--0000000551	1-721	Ecosystem restoration for Taylor's Checkerspot and other species at risk in Garry Oak ecosystems
ERS23--0000000588	1-722	Lower Tranquil River floodplain restoration and resiliency program
ERS23--0000000576	1-728	Fishing and Natural Mortality of Cutthroat Trout in Cowichan Lake

ERS23--0000000623	1-752	Mayne Island Community Stewardship Program
ERS23--0000000631	1-765	Detecting Sharp-tailed Snake on Mt. Maxwell: eDNA vs Traditional Surveys
ERS23--0000000560	1-766	Habitat Protection and Connections for Western Toads
ERS23--0000000526	1-770	Kus-kus-sum - Un-paving Paradise - Year 3
ERS23--0000000595	1-771	Empowering Stewards of Oak and Prairie Habitats: A Good Neighbours Program (Year 3 of 3)
ERS23--0000000586	1-791	Initiating a Community-Based Flow Monitoring Network for East Coast Vancouver Island
ERS23--0000000556	1-792	Englishman River Claybank Monitoring and Mitigation Design
ERS23--0000000544	1-798	Climate Change and Wildlife Habitat Conservation on Salt Spring Island
ERS23--0000000685	1-804	PEPAKEN TE TENEW: Restoration & Resilience in the WSANEC Homelands
	1-817	Blackburn Lake Nature Reserve
	1-818	Millard Learning Centre
	1-819	Matson Lands
	1-820	Central Denman Conservation Complex: Phase 2
ERS23--0000000548	1-822	Nanaimo Area Western Painted Turtle Project
ERS23--0000000630	1-823	Effect of landscape change on black-tailed deer ecology on Vancouver Island
ERS23--0000000693	1-826	Vancouver Island Steelhead Stock Decline Investigations
SEED-ERS23-0000000058	1-827	Vancouver Island Lake Response to Climate Change
SEED-ERS23-0000000067	1-829	Denman Island Living with Beaver

Lower Mainland		
ERS23--0000000600	2-349	Enhancing Upland Farmland for Wildlife in the Fraser River delta
ERS23--0000000592	2-390	Learn to Fish Program (L2F)
ERS23--0000000557	2-660	Chilliwack Lake Bull Trout Fishery Assessment
ERS23--0000000571	2-668	Native Plant Landscaping to Increase Native Bird Populations in Vancouver
ERS23--0000000692	2-669	2023-24 Chilliwack River Guardian Program
ERS23--0000000583	2-687	Earthwise Agassiz Habitat Stewardship Initiative
ERS23--0000000652	2-692	Juvenile White Sturgeon Monitoring Program
ERS23--0000000677	2-700	Squamish Watershed Bull Trout Angler Exploitation Assessment
ERS23--0000000670	2-715	Juvenile White Sturgeon Critical Habitat in the Pitt River Watershed
ERS23--0000000547	2-721	Sturgeon Handling Video
ERS23--0000000558	2-751	Shedding Light on Still Creek
ERS23--0000000575	2-754	Conservation of At-risk Raptors in Coastal B.C
	2-764	Ryder Creek
ERS23--0000000610	2-769	2023 Brem River Adult Summer Steelhead Survey
SEED-ERS23-0000000066	2-775	Mamquam side-channels groundwater study
SEED-ERS23-0000000068	2-776	Bio-Physical Reconnaissance for Coastal Cutthroat Trout in Nathan Creek

Thompson – Nicola		
	3-60	O&M - (Fsh) - Headquarters
	3-94	O&M - (Fsh) - Thompson-Nicola
	3-154	O&M - (Fsh) - Bonaparte
ERS23--0000000574	3-251	Interior Fraser Wild Steelhead Conservation
ERS23--0000000657	3-272	Wetlands Institute 2023: Thompson-Nicola Region
ERS23--0000000639	3-419	Fraser River Bighorns: Fraser East Disease Assessment and Herd Recovery
CHRF23--0000000066	3-422	Adams Groundhog Road Rehabilitation and Reforestation Project
ERS23--0000000541	3-453	Small mammal communities in our threatened grasslands: historic trends and future prospects
ERS23--0000000529	3-457	Simpcw First Nation Badger Ecology and Culvert Rehabilitation Project
CHRF23--0000000077	3-467	Simpcw First Nation Caribou Road Rehabilitation
Kootenays		
	4-64	O&M - (Fsh) - Kootenay
ERS23--0000000549	4-248	Gerrard Rainbow Trout Critical Monitoring
ERS23--0000000596	4-345	Kootenay Conservation Program: Fostering a Collaborative Landscape Approach
	4-444	Kootenay Region River Guardian Program
ERS23--0000000528	4-538	Redfish Creek Spawning Channel Infrastructure Repairs
ERS23--0000000552	4-539	Determination of Gerrard rainbow Trout Productivity at Low Abundance
ERS23--0000000553	4-555	Determination of Bull Trout Stock Productivity at Low Abundance

ERS23--0000000570	4-576	Mustelid Oases in Large Clearcuts: Debris Piles as Habitat Restoration
ERS23--0000000678	4-609	Central Selkirk Caribou Maternity Pen
ERS23--0000000645	4-611	Elk Valley West bighorn sheep population dynamics and habitat condition
ERS23--0000000620	4-616	Safe Passages for Wildlife in the Southern Canadian Rockies
ERS23--0000000656	4-627	Enabling management changes for recreation-sensitive species
ERS23--0000000562	4-631	Kicking Horse Canyon Habitat Enhancement Project
ERS23--0000000579	4-663	Expansion of Harrop Wetland Restoration
ERS23--0000000648	4-664	Reimagining the Threads that Bind Wildlife Conservation to Farming
ERS23--0000000643	4-672	Galton Range Ungulate Habitat Enhancement Project
ERS23--0000000603	4-684	Guidelines for Recreation and Industrial Activities near Wolverine Denning areas in montane North America
ERS23--0000000621	4-685	East Kootenay Burbot Population Monitoring
ERS23--0000000650	4-688	Mayook Marsh Enhancement and Amphibian Mitigation Translocation Study
ERS23--0000000661	4-689	Alkaline and Cultus Lakes Wetland Project
ERS23--0000000695	4-692	Kootenay Lake Conservation Measures
ERS23--0000000696	4-693	Building climate resilience through beaver restoration in the East Kootenay
SEED-ERS23-0000000054	4-694	Whatshan Reservoir -Bull Trout Risk Assessment
SEED-ERS23-0000000059	4-695	Expanding the Toolkit of Invasive Plant Management
SEED-CHRF23-0000000013	4-697	Groundhog Field verifications and Prescriptions development
SEED-CHRF23-0000000014	4-698	Columbia North Field verification and prescriptions development

SEED-CHRF23-0000000015	4-699	Central Selkirks field verification and prescriptions development
<b>Cariboo</b>		
	5-44	O&M - (Fsh) - Cariboo
ERS23--0000000568	5-196	Mid-Fraser River Sturgeon Assessment
	5-239	Quality Waters Strategy - Cariboo Region
ERS23--0000000567	5-286	Implementation of Cariboo Core Area Bull Trout Monitoring
ERS23--0000000565	5-327	Dean River Steelhead Stock Assessment Project
ERS23--0000000569	5-332	Big Bar Slide Sturgeon Assessment
ERS23--0000000609	5-339	Lake Trout Reward Tags and Acoustic Telemetry - Horse Lake
	5-347	Horsefly River
ERS23--0000000694	5-351	Nazko Road Rehabilitation for Moose Habitat Enhancement
CHRF23--0000000067	5-352	TNG West-Central Chilcotin Linear Features Restoration Program
SEED-CHRF23-0000000010	5-354	Barkerville Caribou Habitat Restoration
<b>Skeena</b>		
ERS23--0000000527	6-259	Biomass/Nutrient & Winter Survey Re-Assessments 3 yr. Post Treatment of Old Ft. Mtn Scouler"s Willow
	6-268	Quality Waters Strategy - Skeena
CHRF23--0000000073	6-283	Tweedsmuir caribou winter range – Chelaslie road restoration
ERS23--0000000635	6-288	Skeena Fish Passage Restoration
ERS23--0000000602	6-292	Skeena Region Fluvial Char Baselines (2023-24 Year 4/5)

ERS23--0000000534	6-296	Effects of partial logging on a predator guild
ERS23--0000000690	6-299	Atlin East Sheep Movement Monitoring & Baseline Health Assessment
CHRF23--0000000065	6-306	Whitesail
ERS23--0000000608	6-314	Middle Skeena Summer Steelhead Juvenile Assessments
ERS23--0000000655	6-316	Factors that affect genetic diversity and distribution of coastal wolves in Northern BC
SEED-CHRF23-0000000012	6-319	Telkwa Caribou Herd Range
<b>Omineca/Peace</b>		
	7-98	O&M - (Fsh) - Peace
ERS23--0000000666	7-436	Enhancing caribou survival within the Klinse-Za herd
ERS23--0000000531	7-507	Sharp-tailed Grouse Habitat Restoration and Enhancement in the Peace Region
ERS23--0000000680	7-508	Mule Deer Monitoring in Vanderhoof Area
CHRF23--0000000070	7-528	Amoco Road Restoration
ERS23--0000000654	7-538	Health and Behaviour of BC's Southern Most Stone's Sheep
ERS23--0000000618	7-540	Prescribed Burns for Wild Sheep Enhancement in Northeastern BC
CHRF23--0000000071	7-543	Peck Creek-Upper Carbon
CHRF23--0000000074	7-554	Callazon-Clearwater Valley: 4000 and 3800 Roads
ERS23--0000000641	7-570	Stone's sheep seasonal range use in the Omineca Region
ERS23--0000000622	7-583	Tabor Mountain wildlife viewing area revitalization
ERS23--0000000636	7-584	Prescribed Burns for Moose, Elk, and Deer in the Doig River Area.



ERS23--0000000672	7-588	Effects of landscape change on moose health in central BC
ERS23--0000000673	7-589	Influence of Prescribed Burning on Northern Ungulates – 13 years post-burn
CHRF23--000000068	7-591	Westside Fort Nelson (Parker) Caribou Range.
CHRF23--000000072	7-592	Helicopter Lakes
CHRF23--000000079	7-593	SugarBowl-Grizzly Den Provincial Park and Protected Area Legacy Linear Features Restoration Project
<b>Okanagan</b>		
ERS23--0000000572	8-90	Wildlife Habitat Stewardship and Enhancement in the Okanagan and Similkameen
	8-124	O&M - (Fsh) - Okanagan
ERS23--0000000581	8-320	Mission Creek Restoration Initiative - Restoration Implementation and Effectiveness Monitorng
ERS23--0000000682	8-433	Restoring Riparian Black Cottonwood Ecosystems of the Kettle River Watershed
ERS23--0000000606	8-452	Enhancement of Winter Range Habitat for Mule Deer in Douglas-fir Forests - Phase 2
ERS23--0000000585	8-465	Restoration of Habitat for Mustelids and Tree Squirrels in Beetle-Damaged Forest
ERS23--0000000539	8-466	Upper Shuswap River drainage Bull Trout Assessment
ERS23--0000000535	8-490	Western Screech-owls in a changing climate
ERS23--0000000589	8-492	Hot Bats: Planning bat conservation in a warming world
ERS23--0000000612	8-493	nlux <sup>w</sup> lux <sup>w</sup> +cwix (lower Trout Creek) Stage 1 - year 2 construction
	8-500	Pleasant Valley Wetland Heritage Park
ERS23--0000000546	8-501	Owl habitat suitability in recently burned areas
ERS23--0000000604	8-503	Wood Lake kokanee population assessment and active management

ERS23--000000688	8-505	Mission Creek Spawning Channel Intake Repairs
ERS23--000000691	8-506	Assessing Indigenous Cultural Ecosystems in the Syilx Nation
SEED-ERS23-000000056	8-507	Mabel Lake Bull Trout Feasibility Analysis
SEED-ERS23-000000065	8-508	Okanagan Wild Sheep Disease Management - Psoroptic Mange Treatment Planning