



**California Department of Parks and Recreation**  
**Office of Grants and Local Services**

**WHAT'S NEW?**  
**September 2008**

**UPDATE ON ANNUAL GRANT PROGRAMS**

**Habitat Conservation Program (HCF)**

Application Filing Deadline

Applications for the next cycle must be postmarked or delivered no later than October 1, 2008.

Send HCF project applications to:  
California State Parks  
Office of Grants and Local Services (OGALS)  
P.O. Box 942896  
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

The HCF program consists of seven program elements, which include:

- (1) Deer/Mountain Lion Habitat,
- (2) Rare, Endangered, Threatened or Fully Protected Species,
- (3) Wetland Habitat,
- (4) Anadromous Salmonids and Anadromous Trout Habitat,
- (5) Riparian Habitat,
- (6) Trails,
- (7) Program (and event or series of events intended to bring urban residents into areas with indigenous plants and animals).

HCF Procedural Guide

To obtain an electronic copy of the HCF Procedural Guide (Final Draft May 2007), visit our website at [www.parks.ca.gov/grants](http://www.parks.ca.gov/grants) and follow the links to the Habitat Conservation Fund Program. To obtain a hard-copy version, contact OGALS at (916) 653-7423. Use this version of the HCF Procedural Guide for the upcoming October 1, 2008 application cycle.

HCF Program Contacts

If you have questions about the HCF, please contact your OGALS Project Officer or, Supervisor Deborah Viney at [dvine@parks.ca.gov](mailto:dvine@parks.ca.gov) or (916) 651-8572.

**Recreational Trails Program (RTP)**

Application Filing Deadline

Applications for the next cycle must be postmarked or delivered no later than October 1, 2008.

Send non-motorized project applications to:  
California State Parks  
Office of Grants and Local Services (OGALS)  
P.O. Box 942896  
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

Send motorized project applications to:  
California State Parks  
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division (OHMVRD)  
P.O. Box 942896  
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

### RTP Procedural Guide – Final June 4, 2007

The California Department of Parks and Recreation has approved regulations for the Recreational Trails Program, (Title 14, California Code of Regulations Chapter 11.7, Section 4860). The regulations incorporated the procedural guide and became effective on August 14, 2008.

To obtain an electronic copy of the guide, visit our website at [www.parks.ca.gov/grants](http://www.parks.ca.gov/grants) and follow the links to the Recreational Trails Program. To obtain a hard-copy version, contact OGALS at (916) 653-7423. Use this version of the RTP Procedural Guide for the upcoming October 1, 2008 application cycle.

### RTP Program Contacts

If you have questions about the non-motorized portion of the RTP, please contact your OGALS Project Officer or, Supervisor Richard Rendón at [rrend@parks.ca.gov](mailto:rrend@parks.ca.gov) or (916) 651-7600. Questions about the motorized portion of the RTP can be directed to Dan Canfield at [dcanfield@parks.ca.gov](mailto:dcanfield@parks.ca.gov) or (916) 324-1574.

## **Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)**

### Application Filing Deadline

Applications for the next cycle must be postmarked or delivered no later than March 2, 2009.

Send project applications to:  
California State Parks  
Office of Grants and Local Services (OGALS)  
P.O. Box 942896  
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

### LWCF Procedural Guide

To obtain an electronic copy of the LWCF guide (dated June 2008), visit our website at [www.parks.ca.gov/grants](http://www.parks.ca.gov/grants) and follow the links to the Land and Water Conservation Fund Program. To obtain a hard-copy version, contact OGALS at (916) 653-7423. Use this version of the LWCF Procedural Guide for the upcoming March 2, 2009 application cycle.

### LWCF Program Contacts

If you have questions about the LWCF, please contact your OGALS Project Officer or, Supervisor Barbara Baker at [bbaker@parks.ca.gov](mailto:bbaker@parks.ca.gov) or (916) 651-7743.

#### **UPDATE ON PROPOSITION 84**

More information about Proposition 84 funded programs will be provided after the completion of the current legislative session and the Governor's actions. Updated program information will be mailed to you and posted on our website at [www.parks.ca.gov/grants](http://www.parks.ca.gov/grants) as it becomes available. If you have questions, please contact Patti Keating at [pkeating@parks.ca.gov](mailto:pkeating@parks.ca.gov) or (916) 651-8597.