

Land Acquisition Fund

The GCBO Land Acquisition Grant Program

Grant Application Outline

What projects can be applied for?
 Conservation land acquisition projects that focuses on buying native habitat for neotropical birds, threatened and endangered birds, and bird species of concern, that are located in "coastal" counties along the Gulf of Mexico from Florian through Texas.

- Who can apply?
 - Any proven non-profit NGO that operates in or with partners in a Gulf Coast state in the USA can apply. Each organization will be background checked for previous work and projects completed, etc.
- How much do we grant annually?
 Most projects can receive between \$15,000 and \$40,000 (USD). We normally only grant one project per year.
- What is the Grant Deadline?
 - We must receive your request by April 1st to be considered for funding in that calendar year. Request will be reviewed and decided upon no later than Mid May. If no requests have been received by April 1, we may consider later proposals.
- How do I apply?
 - Fill in the outlined form below or follow a similar format to apply, and attach the required items.
 - Email the request to Martin Hagne at: mhagne@gcbo.org

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Grant Request Form

| rganization(s) Applying: |
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| ontact Person: |
| ddress: City: |
| ate: Postal Code: County: |
| ame of Project: |
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| pordinates of Projects: |
| creage of Total Project: Date Funds are Needed: |
| mount of Funds Requested: |

Attach the following information:

- Proof of Organization's Non-Profit Status
- Mission and Description of the Organization
- Detailed Description of the Project
- List of Neotropical Bird Species using the Project Site
- List of Other Bird Species of Concern or Focus
- Budget of the Project
- Funding Secured So Far
- Property Protection Plan A description of how you plan to protect the site from habitat destruction/development, but also poaching, trespassing, and vandalism.

You agree to the following reporting requirements:

- A follow up report once property is bought and secured by deed, showing that you have bought the property.
- A follow up report one year after purchase date to highlight progress on the site.

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