

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory's Land Acquisition Fund

The GCBO assisted the following organizations in purchasing conservation land as outlined below, with funds from the GCBO Land Acquisition Fund (LAF) endowment.

November 2011

Sabal Palms Audubon Sanctuary

(purchased by the Gorgas Science Foundation)

Sabal Palms Sanctuary

Brownsville, Texas

Cameron County

22.25 acres

\$5,000 + \$10,000 from private donor



February 2013

Dauphin Island Park & Beach Board

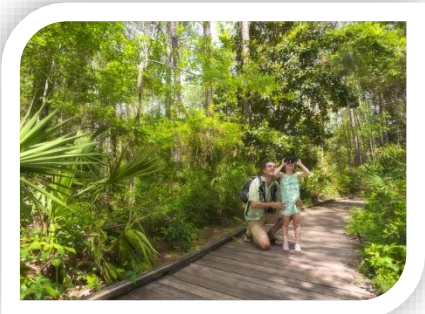
Dauphin Island Audubon Sanctuary & Cadillac Square

Dauphin Island, Alabama

Mobile County

164 acres

\$7,000



December 2013

Native Prairie Association of Texas

(purchased by Bayou Land Conservation)

Lawther – Deer Park Prairie Preserve

Deer Park, Texas

Harris County

51 acres

\$10,000



May 2015

The Nature Conservancy

Atchafalaya River Basin Tracts

Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Iberville & St. Martin Parishes

5,436 acres

\$15,000



February & October 2018

The Nature Conservancy

Brazos Woods Preserve

Brazoria, Texas

Brazoria County

450 acres

\$20,000 + \$20,000 = \$40,000



May 2019

Armand Bayou Nature Center

Middle Armand Bayou

Pasadena, Texas

Harris County

976 acres

\$25,000



May & December 2020

Galveston Bay Foundation

Flo Hanna Prairie

Angleton, Texas

Brazoria County

78 acres

\$8,100 + \$3,000 = \$11,100



February 2021

The Artist Boat

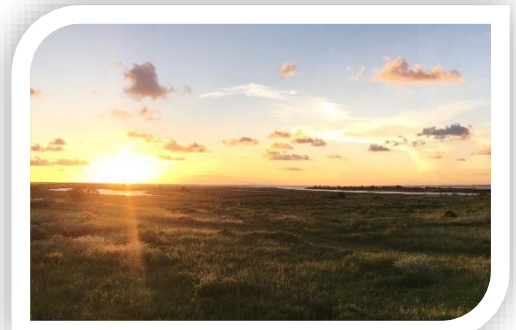
Coastal Heritage Preserve – Anchor Bay

Galveston, Texas

Galveston County

75 acres

\$30,000



May 2022

Coastal (Katy) Prairie Conservancy

Blackwell Ranch

Matagorda area, Texas

Matagorda County

304 acres

\$15,000



May & August 2025

Houston Audubon

Bolivar Flats Shorebird Sanctuary

Bolivar Peninsula, Texas

Galveston County

104 acres

\$20,000 + \$20,000 = \$40,000



February 2026

US Fish & Wildlife Service

Brenda Smith Estate (Dow Woods)

Richwood, Texas

Brazoria County

390 acres

\$30,000



May 2026

Coastal Bend Bays & Estuaries Program

Costa Grande Ranch Acquisition, Phase 2

Near Port O'Conner, Texas

Calhoun County

898 Acres

\$15,0000



Total Acres Saved: 8,948.25

Total Funds Given: \$253,100.00