onX Adventure Forever Grants

All applications must be submitted through the application form on our website. This pdf is only intended to help you prepare your application materials. Updated 4/3/24.

We support the efforts of land trusts, conservation nonprofits, land management agencies, trail groups, and community organizations who are seeking funding for the following types of initiatives:

Access- projects that enhance and preserve sustainable, legal access to land and water for outdoor recreation.

Stewardship- projects and community engagement events that remediate human-caused degradation to places that host outdoor recreation.

Grants are awarded to specific site projects, not general funding.

Does this sound like your project?

Before starting this form, please have all the information about your project site ready, including any cost sheets, maps, project summaries, and/or photo files you'd like to share with onX.

Also, be sure to look up the coordinates for your project site (either an approximate center point of the project area or the access location), as you'll be required to copy and paste the coordinates into this form.

You will not be able to save your progress if you close your browser.

You can go backwards by scrolling up or clicking back.

None of the answers will be submitted until the form is complete. We will not receive partially completed applications.

Required questions are marked by an asterisk (*).

- 1. What is your email address?*
- 2. What is the name of your organization?*
- 3. What type of project are you submitting?* (Please refer to the "Project Types We Support" section of the webpage.)
- 4. What is your name?*
- 5. Where can more information about your organization be found online?*
- 6. What is the name of the project you are submitting?*
- 7. Which state is the project located in?*

- 8. Where is the project located exactly? Please provide coordinates for the center of the project area, the trailhead, or the access point. Hint: copy and paste the coordinates from a mapping app. We prefer coordinates in decimal degree format.*
- 9. If you have a project summary document you'd like to share with onX, please attach it.
- 10. If you have a map of the project area separate from the summary document, please attach it.
- 11. Tell us about the site. Please address the following questions in your answer:
 - a. What is the current condition of the site and the planned vision for its future?
 - b. What makes it special or especially in need of funding?
 - c. Why is this location a priority for your organization?

(Maximum characters: 1800)*

- 12. If the project will secure public access, how many acres will become accessible or will remain accessible thanks to this project? Enter 0 if the project isn't best measured in acres.*
- 13. If the project builds, maintains, or restores a trail, how many miles of trail will the project improve? Enter 0 if the project does not involve trail work.*
- 14. If the project will clean up or restore an area open to public outdoor recreation, how many acres of land or miles of trail will be improved?*
- 15. If your planned project includes site clean-up, maintenance, or restoration, provide a photo of the site demonstrating the work needed. If this is any other type of project, photos of the site are optional but welcomed!
- 16. Which outdoor activities are possible at the project site, or will be possible upon completion of the project?*
- 17. How much funding is being sought from onX?*
- 18. What would the funding from onX be used for, specifically?*
- 19. Upload a project budget document here, if available.
- 20. At the requested level of funding, would onX be recognized as a donor in any of the following ways?*
 - a. On a sign at the site
 - b. In news and/or a press release
 - c. On the grantee's website
 - d. In a newsletter
 - e. On grantee's social media
 - f. None of the above
 - g. Other
- 21. Do you have additional funding secured or is your organization applying for additional sources of funding? If you have other funding, please specify the percent of the project cost that has been secured so far.* (Maximum characters: 1000)
- 22. Describe the current status of the project, including any approval processes or appraisals that have been completed or that still need to be completed.* (Maximum characters: 1000)
- 23. Is the local community involved in the project, or will it be once the project is announced? If publicly announced already, does the local community support the project?* (Maximum characters: 500)

- 24. Is your organization working with any local or Tribal governments, state or federal agencies, or other business or nonprofits on this particular project? If so, please describe their role(s) in this project.* (Maximum characters: 1500)
- 25. During which seasons will the site be open to the public?*
- 26. If this project receives the necessary funding, how many years will the impact of the project last?*
- 27. Approximately when will the project be completed?*
- 28. When will the project be announced publicly, if it hasn't been yet?*
- 29. If your project is selected to receive funding from onX, we may decide to highlight your project in a future social post, a blog, and/or in email. Who should we contact at your organization to obtain photos, video clips, and quotes, or to schedule an interview with?
- 30. Would your project provide an opportunity for an onX team member to join a volunteer event or visit the site? If so, when?*
- 31. Do you have any additional information you'd like to share with onX about your project? (Maximum characters: 1500)