

6. Upland Habitat Restoration	Grant Rate	Grant Ceiling	Application Due
	75%	\$5,000	November 1, 2020
<b>Purpose:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enhancement or creation of upland terrestrial habitat including meadows and pollinator habitat.</li> </ul>			
<b>Category Guidelines:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Livestock must be restricted from the project area</li> <li>Projects must be proposed in areas with suitable soils and topography to be considered</li> <li>All necessary permits/permissions must be obtained before project commencement</li> </ul>			
<b>Eligible Projects:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Successional meadow restoration</li> <li>Pollinator habitat creation/restoration</li> <li>Buffer strips on natural features</li> <li>Shrub thickets</li> <li>Grassland restoration</li> </ul>			
<b>Eligible Costs:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contractor labour and planting services</li> <li>Seeding equipment rental</li> <li>Site preparation</li> <li>Plant material</li> <li>Habitat enhancement features</li> <li>Fencing to restrict livestock access</li> </ul>			
<b>Ineligible Costs:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintenance costs incurred after the establishment of plant material</li> <li>Relocation of established trees</li> <li>Landowner labour costs</li> <li>Administrative costs</li> </ul>			
<b>Potential Key Performance Indicators:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hectares of Upland habitat restored</li> <li>Trees planted</li> <li>Shrubs planted</li> <li>Herbaceous plants planted</li> </ul>			