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Kodak American Greenways Award Program

The Kodak American Greenways Award Program provides small grants to stimulate the planning and design of greenways in communities throughout America. The application period for this year's funding runs from March 1 through June 1, 2007.

Generally speaking, the funds can be used for all appropriate expenses needed to complete a greenway project including planning, technical assistance, legal and other costs. While the awards will primarily go to local, regional, or statewide nonprofit organizations, public agencies may also apply.

Grant recipients are selected according to criteria that include: Importance of the project to local greenway development efforts, extent to which the grant will result in matching funds or other support from public or private sources and the likelihood of tangible results among other things.

The maximum grant is \$2,500. However, most grants range from \$500 to \$1,500. Grant notifications will be made by mail in early August.

From the inception of this partnership program in 1993, 27 projects in Virginia have benefited from this funding including three in 2006. The Town of Blacksburg's Parks and Recreation Department, the City of Buchanan and White's Mill Foundation, Inc. in Abingdon were awarded grants last year to further the "greening" of their communities. A complete list of grant recipients from Virginia can be found at the Conservation Fund's website at <http://www.conservationfund.org>.

For more information go to <http://www.conservationfund.org/?article=2537>. You can also contact the American Greenways Program Coordinator by emailing questions to greenways@conservationfund.org or calling (703) 525-6300.

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