

Prioritize the Land and Water Conservation Fund

Our nation's Land and Water Conservation Fund was established 50 years ago and has gone under-funded for much of its existence. This critical funding, secured from offshore oil and gas leases, helps mitigate for the damage done through these extractive industries.

Oregon has largely been ignored, despite rich opportunity to secure public access and protect and enhance pristine terrestrial and aquatic ecosystems, in grant award funds under this program. The Jewell Elk Refuge was one of the last achievements that Clatsop County residents enjoyed. Join me in encouraging our Senators and Representatives in Congress to bring these critical dollars to Oregon and fully fund this program to secure critical lands and waters for future generations to enjoy.

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