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|  | San Diego River Conservancy’sGrant Program for Proposition 4Concept Proposal | **San Diego River Conservancy logo with blue river flowing through the middle of green mountains.** |

The Conservancy will contact you upon receipt of the concept proposal to discuss the next steps. If there are any questions, please contact Dustin Harrison by email at [dustin.harrison@sdrc.ca.gov](mailto:dustin.harrison@sdrc.ca.gov) or at 619.390.0571.

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| Project Type *Check box for Project category: (check all that apply)*  Land conservation  Resource protection and restoration (natural, cultural and historical)  Vegetation management and fire prevention & safety  Water quality, conservation or flood management  Recreation, park, trail and facility improvement(s)  Public access |
| Project Title Provide a brief, descriptive project title: |
| Applicant Name Name: |
| Authorized Signatory Provide name and title of person authorized to legally sign the grant agreement: |
| Signatory Information Provide Signatory’s contact information: |
| Applicant’s Project Manager Provide Project Manager’s contact information: |
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| Eligible Entity Check box for which organization type the applicant falls under. If applicants do not fall under a listed category, the applicant is not an eligible entity:  Public agency  Nonprofit organization  Federally recognized Native American tribe  Tribal government listed on the Native American Heritage Commission’s California Tribal Consultation List |
| Non-Profit Organization Is the applicant a non-profit organization that qualifies under Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code?  Yes No |
| Mitigation *Is the applicant’s Project required mitigation from another Project?*  **Yes No If yes, Project is ineligible** |
| Proof of Insurance **Applicants *must submit* a copy of the current insurance policy with this concept proposal. The insurance certificate must show general liability and workers compensation coverage of a minimum of $1 million per occurrence and $1 million aggregate.** |
| Project Summary |
| Project Co-benefits *(Please check all that apply)*  Improves water quality/supply or flood conveyance  Increases biodiversity  Land Conservation (Pathways to 30x30)  Enhancement of natural habitats and connecting corridors, watersheds, and other open-space resources  Protects significant resources (natural, tribal, historical and cultural resources)  Public access  Outdoor recreation  Workforce development  Expand environmental education efforts  Benefits Native American communities  Enhance the resilience of communities and ecosystems (addresses reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, increase carbon sequestration, and increasing temperatures)  Efficient use and conservation of water supplies; Capture of stormwater to reduce stormwater runoff, reduce water pollution, or recharge groundwater supplies, or a combination thereof.  Public outreach and engagement  Improves health and safety |
| Who is Involved and to what extent? List the organizations, agencies, tribal governments/organizations, and community-based partners that are involved with the project and note their specific role/ extent of participation in the project. |
| Project Boundary ***What watershed will the project take place?*  If you need help, please contact Dustin Harrison**  Click on link to interactive map and enter project location: <https://arcg.is/1C0aqj2>  San Diego River  Sweetwater River  Otay River  Tijuana River |
| Amount Requested Amount requested from the Conservancy  $ |
| Matching Funds Estimated amount of matching funds or in-kind contributions:  $ |
| Total Project Cost Provide total Project cost which equals the amount requested plus matching funds.  $ |
| Discuss Project Readiness. Anticipated Project start and end dates: |
| Project Area Land Ownership Check boxes to see if land where Project will occur (or will require access to enter) is owned by a private entity, state, federal, or other. If yes on any box, provide name of landowner(s):  Private Yes  No If *yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  State Yes  No If *yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* Federal Yes  No If *yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  Other Yes  No  If *yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* |
| APN(s) or street address |
| California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) – Please Check one The proposed project . . .  Is not a project under CEQA. Briefly explain why: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Is exempt under CEQA. Provide the CEQA exemption number and specify how the project meets the terms of the exemption:  Requires Neg Dec, MND, or EIR. Specify the lead CEQA agency (the agency preparing the document) and the (expected) completion date:  We don’t know the answer to this question and need help determining what CEQA review is required. |
| Jurisdiction of Project *Check the box that applies:*  City of San Diego  County of San Diego  City of Santee  City of El Cajon  City of La Mesa  Tribal Government: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Jurisdiction Notification Has written notification been provided by the jurisdiction in which the proposed project will be taking place?  *This does not apply if the applicant is a governmental agency.*  No  Yes (Please attach) |
| Land Tenure/ Site Control Applicants for Projects must submit documentation showing that they have adequate tenure to, and site control of, the property to be improved, restored or acquired.  *Summarize all steps taken to date to obtain required land tenure documentation:* |
| Right of Entry Agreement If the proposed project site is not owned by the Applicant, a Right of Entry permit must be obtained and provided to the Conservancy prior to commencement of work.  *Has a Right of Entry been obtained?*  No  Yes  Applicant is the landowner |
| Project Map **Attach both a location and Project specific map to this concept proposal.** The Project specific map must include clearly delineated Project boundaries and legend. All maps must be labeled with Project title, applicant name, and be positioned so that relevant map information such as stream names, towns, main roads, and water bodies are not obscured. |
| Site Description Provide a physical description of terrain, land cover and habitat type: wetlands, riparian, meadow, upland, urban rural interface, oak woodland, forest, or other. |
| Goals and Objectives *Provide goals, objectives and measurable results for the Project:* |
| Tasks or Milestones *List the expected tasks or milestones and outcomes for the Project:* |
| Work History Has Applicant been awarded a grant or contractual obligation that was subsequently suspended or canceled?  Yes  No  If yes, please explain: |
| **Deliverables**  If awarded a grant, deliverables may include the following:   * Before and after photo documentation of the project site * Long term monitoring plan * Itemized invoices to the Conservancy including progress reports * Intermittent reporting of metrics, as requested by the Conservancy * Attending Conservancy Board Meetings, as needed * Final Project Report |
| Licensed Professional Is a licensed professional needed? If so, check the appropriate box, provide license number affiliation and contact information:  Yes  No  Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  License no. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ expiration \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Contact info: |
| San Diego River Conservancy Strategic Plan *How does the proposed project implement the Conservancy’s* [*Strategic Plan Update 2024-2028*](https://sdrc.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/SDRC-Strategic-Plan-2024-2028-FINAL-021624.pdf)*?*  *(Check all that apply)*  Land Conservation  Recreation and education  Preserve and restore natural resources  Protect and preserve cultural and historical resources  Enhance water quality and natural flood conveyance  Expand the organization’s capacity and reach |
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| Application for Other Grant Programs *Check box if a proposal has been submitted to another grant program for this Project (i.e., that would fund the same Project components applied for in this application.) If yes, identify program name(s):*  No  Yes. If yes, identify the other program(s) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| References The applicant must provide 3 references for completed projects. Include firm name, project location, project costs and contact information:  **DO NOT USE THE SAN DIEGO RIVER CONSERVANCY AS A REFERENCE**  1.  2.  3. |

I certify that the foregoing statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief and understand that any willfully false statement may cause the Conservancy to reject this concept proposal. This certification is made under the laws of the State of California.

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***Organization name***

**Name and Title**

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**Signature**

**Incomplete and unsigned concept proposals will not be accepted**

**and will be returned to applicant.**