

EE Connections

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Grants and Awards

PAW Sponsors 'Stream of Learning' Student Scholarships



Pennsylvania American Water's "Stream of Learning" Scholarship Program is open to students planning to study environmental science, environmental engineering, biology or chemistry. Applicants must live in PAW's <u>service areas</u> and plan to attend a two- or four-year college or technical school. To apply for a \$2,000 scholarship, students must meet all eligibility requirements and submit an application by Feb. 11.

For more information: PAW - Stream of Learning Scholarship

Pest Management Funding Available through USDA



The USDA's National Institute of Food and Agriculture is accepting grant applications for the Pest Management Alternatives Program. PMAP provides support for the development and implementation of integrated pest management practices that reduce human and environmental risks. Applications are open to all individuals and agencies interested in integrated pest management. Grant requests must be received through <u>Grants.gov</u> by March 3.

For more information: IPM Website

Mini-Grants Available for 'Celebrate Urban Birds' Events



The Cornell Lab of Ornithology is offering mini-grants of \$250-\$500 to support the organization of community "Celebrate Urban Birds" events. Information gathered by event participants helps scientists better understand

how birds survive in cities and use urban green spaces. Organizers working in underserved communities are strongly encouraged to apply; applications are due Feb. 15.

For more information: <u>Cornell Lab of Ornithology – 2011 Mini-Grants</u>

Project Funding for Rural School Classrooms Available



The UPS Foundation is offering educators 50 percent match funding for classroom projects where students study, explore or clean up the planet. Full-time, public school teachers in rural communities nationwide are eligible to submit up to three requests through donorschoose.org. Project requests may include materials to study or create community gardens, to test or improve water quality or to start school-based recycling programs. Funding is available until exhausted.

For more information: Donors Choose, UPS Foundation Funding

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