**2023 Funded Projects**

**CEDO Intercultural Center for the Study of Deserts and Oceans**  
Endangered Freshwater Fish of the Rio Sonoyta: Conservation and Education in the Southwest-US and Northwest-Mexico Borderlands.  
$50,000  
  
**Center for Big Bend Studies of Sul Ross State University**  
Big Bend National Park River Corridor Archeological Survey  
$49,540  
  
**Environments for the Americas**  
The Hummingbird Highway:Conserving Declining Hummingbirds by Improving Habitat  
$51,953  
  
**National Trails Office**  
Developing an El Camino Real de los Tejas Binational Bilingual Travel Itinerary  
$39,000  
  
**Padre Island National Seashore**  
Incorporating novel eDNA applications to conserve Kemp’s ridley turtles  
$54,930  
  
**Rio Bravo Restoration**  
Binational Study of a Threatened Cactus  
$46,442  
  
**Southwest Research Institute**  
Hydrochemical monitoring of surface-water and groundwater resources in the Amistad Reservoir region  
$54,897  
  
**Texas Tech University**  
The Sonoran Desert Tortoise: Monitoring and Population Connectivity in the Border Region  
$52,915  
  
**University of Arizona**  
Impacts of climate, vegetation, and anthropogenic disturbance on breeding bird communities across three decades in ORPI.  
$42,898  
  
**University of Idaho**  
Demographic and genetic monitoring of the endangered Sonoran pronghorn in ORPI, Mexico, and surrounding areas using fecal DNA sampling.  
$52,447  
  
**Saguaro National Park**  
Sister Park Funding with Mexico  
$14,921