

## PROJECT SNAPSHOT



GRANTEE  
**The Trust for Public Land**



STATES IMPACTED  
**Alabama, Georgia, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee**



ARC FUNDING  
**\$10,000,000**

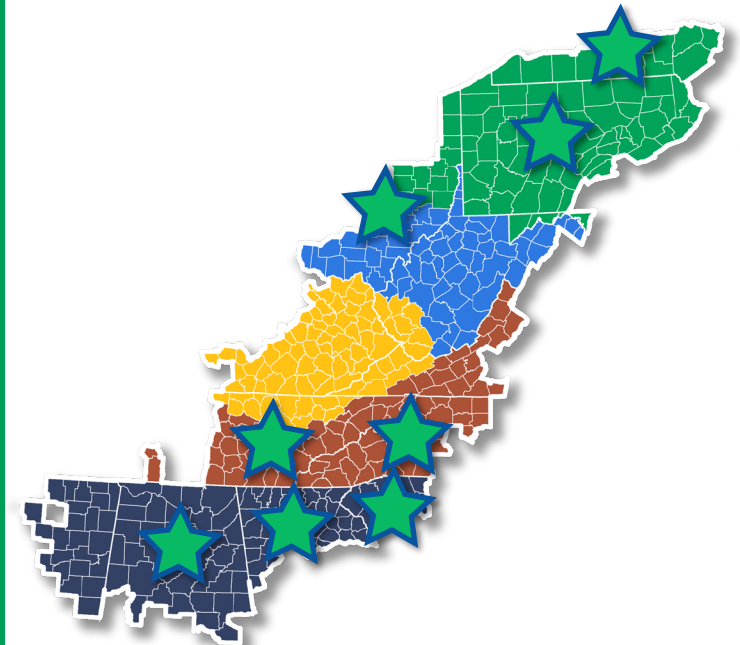


PARTNERS  
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ANNOUNCEMENT DATE  
**July 2025**

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## PROJECT SUMMARY

Trust for Public Land (TPL) will use ARISE funding to connect 262 counties in eight Appalachian states with the potential of their outdoor recreation economies. This project will help communities prioritize impactful outdoor recreation projects, coordinate technical assistance with 100 of these communities, and offer direct assistance to up to 32 of these counties to advance implementation projects to completion. The project will also create recreation management plans for the eight states involved.

TPL and partners bring a combined \$8,386,649 in matching funds to this project. The project will serve 2,000 participants in 125 communities and will result in 15 plans and reports by the end of the five-year performance period.



## PARTNERS

Alabama's Mountains, Rivers and Valleys Resource, Conservation and Development Council, Appalachian National Scenic Trail, National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, Binghamton University, Buckeye Trail Association, Carolina Climbers Coalition, Conservation Voters of South Carolina Education Fund, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Natural Resources, State of Georgia, Department of Natural Resources, State of Ohio, Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism, State of South Carolina, Georgia Outdoor Recreation Coalition, Georgia Rivers, Green South Foundation, Innovate Alabama, International Mountain Bicycling Association, Jacksonville State University, Land of Sky Regional Council, McDowell Technical Community College, Mountain BizWorks, National Association of State Outdoor Recreation Liaison Officers, North Alabama Trails and Recreation, North Carolina Outdoor Economy Office, North Carolina Department of Commerce, State of North Carolina, North Country National Scenic Trail, National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, North Country Trail Association, Northwest Georgia Regional Commission, Office of Outdoor Recreation, Department of Environment and Conservation, State of Tennessee Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation, New York State, Outdoor Recreation Council of Appalachia, Pennsylvania Economic Development Association, Rural Action, SC Appalachian Council of Governments, Southeast Tennessee Development District, Southeastern Climbers Coalition, Southern Off-Road Bicycle Association, Southern Tier 8 Regional Planning and Development Board, Southern Tier Central Regional Planning and Development Board, Southern Tier West Regional Planning and Development Board, Tennessee RiverLine, Thrive Regional Partnership, Wayne National Forest, Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture