

# Greenway & Trail Related Resource Guide

## Grant Funding and Technical Assistance

### Sources

#### **Texas Parks and Wildlife Department**

Recreation Grants Program

<http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/business/grants/trpa/>

#### **National Parks Service**

Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance Program

<http://www.nps.gov/orgs/rtca/index.htm>

#### **Houston Wilderness's Collaborative Access Program**

##### Speakers

April 17, 2014

National Parks Service (NPS) - Rivers, Trails, & Conservation Assistance Program

##### Speakers:

Justin Bates, NPS Community Planner

Kathryn Nichols, NPS Community Planner

#### **American Trails - Resources and Library:**

##### **Federal Funding Programs**

<http://www.americantrails.org/resources/fedfund/>

##### **Rails-to-Trails Conservancy**

##### **Acquisition Financing/Funding**

[http://www.railstotrails.org/ourwork/trailbuilding/toolbox/informationsummaries/funding\\_financing.html#statelocal](http://www.railstotrails.org/ourwork/trailbuilding/toolbox/informationsummaries/funding_financing.html#statelocal)

##### **Project for Public Spaces**

<https://www.pps.org/reference/funding-sources-for-greenway-projects/>

#### **American Hiking Society**

##### **National Trails Fund**

<http://www.americanhiking.org/grant-application-period-closes-dec-13/>

## Trail Planning Resources

#### **Society of Outdoor Recreation Professionals**

[www.recpro.com/resources](http://www.recpro.com/resources)

#### **American Trails – Resources and Library**

##### **Planning Trails & Greenways**

<http://www.americantrails.org/resources/planning/>

##### **Trail Design and Construction**

<http://www.americantrails.org/resources/trailbuilding/index.html>

##### **Bridges & Structures for Trails**

<http://www.americantrails.org/resources/structures/index.html>

##### **Accessible Trails**

<http://www.americantrails.org/resources/accessible/>

##### **Rails-to-Trails Conservancy**

##### **Trail Building Toolkit**

<http://www.railstotrails.org/ourWork/trailBuilding/toolbox/index.html>

## **Trail Building Assistance**

### **The Student Conservation Association**

#### **Agency Partners Program**

<http://www.thesca.org/partner/agency-partners>

#### **Local Contact:**

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## **General Trail Information**

### **Texas Trails Network**

<http://www.texastrails.org/>

Texas Trails and Active Transportation Conference

March 26 to 28, 2014

Downtown Sheraton Hotel

Fort Worth, Texas

### **Texas Parks & Wildlife Department**

#### **Paddling Trails Program**

<http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/fishboat/boat/paddlingtrails/>

### **Texas Historical Commission**

#### **Texas Heritage Trails**

<http://www.thc.state.tx.us/preserve/projects-and-programs/texas-heritage-trails>

### **National Recreation and Parks Association**

[www.nrpa.org](http://www.nrpa.org)

### **Rails-to-Trails Conservancy**

<http://www.railstotrails.org/index.html>

## **Off Highway Vehicle Trail Information**

### **National Off-Highway Vehicle Conservation Council**

<http://www.nohvcc.org/home>

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