



## Grants by Grant Cycle

### Grants matching your search for 2017-18 Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant (FR63)

#### Lassen County

**Grantee:** Honey Lake Valley Resource Conservation District

**Amount Awarded:** \$50,000.00

**Grantee Contact:** Ian Sims

**Grantee Contact Phone Number:** 7753131222

**CalRecycle Grant Manager:** Stephanie Becker

**Project Summary:** Two Lassen County ranchers with ownership of parcels with one or more authorized agriculturally related uses are currently plagued with significant unwanted and unknown sources of debris and garbage. As a result, this substantial impact has taken a toll on the viability and use of this grazing land. Project goals are to clean up and remove all unwanted garbage and debris and remediate the property back to its original condition. Landowners will also install fencing and locks to ensure the property will not be subject to future trespassing and illegal dumping.

*Total Awarded for County: \$50,000.00*

#### Riverside County

**Grantee:** Coachella Valley Resource Conservation District

**Amount Awarded:** \$111,341.00

**Grantee Contact:** Yvonne Franco

**Grantee Contact Phone Number:** 7603473675

**CalRecycle Grant Manager:** Stephanie Becker

**Project Summary:** The Coachella Valley Resource Conservation District has three illegal dumping projects within its conservation district in need of remediation. Each project site's responsible parties cannot afford a timely and proper remediation. Within these three projects, there are 12 illegal disposal sites throughout 286 acres of agriculturally zoned land. For private ranches and farmlands in the Coachella Valley, there are few if any opportunities for affordable clean up. The types of illegal dumping of solid waste includes but is not limited to, trailer parts, vehicles, trash, metal, cement pieces, tractor tires, hundreds of poles from grapevines, mattresses, and furniture. Each project will have its own work plan and budget and will include labor for cleanup, restoration and public education. Security fencing and signage will be installed on two of the sites. There will be two contractors assisting on the projects, the Friends of the Desert Mountains and the Southern California Mountains Foundation Urban Conservation Corps.

*Total Awarded for County: \$111,341.00*

#### San Bernardino County

**Grantee:** Inland Empire Resource Conservation District

**Amount Awarded:** \$91,492.00

**Grantee Contact:** Susie Kirschner

**Grantee Contact Phone Number:** 9092837787

**CalRecycle Grant Manager:** Stephanie Becker

**Project Summary:** CalRecycle has edited the following summary to reflect the approved grant project: The Inland Empire Resource Conservation District (IERCD) identified four illegal dumping sites within its service area for which the properties' responsible parties cannot afford to pay for timely and properly remediate. Three of the sites are operated by a community garden, while the fourth is operated by a conservancy. Both have partnered with IERCD on a number of projects including public education events, urban agriculture, and habitat restoration work. Both are non-profit, 501(c)(3) organizations, with limited budgets and no opportunities for affordable cleanup. Illegal dumping on the sites include waste material from adjacent public park construction, cement pieces, trash, car tires, and rubble. Each project will include clean up, re-vegetation, restoration, public education and outreach potential, erosion control, and reuse of organic wastes in on-site composting (in the case of Huerta del Valle). IERCD's project management and natural resources staff members will provide guidance and consultation on this project with labor to be carried out by Huerta del Valle and Rivers and Lands Conservancy staff with support from the Southern California Mountains Foundation Urban Conservation Corps.

*Total Awarded for County: \$91,492.00*

**Grant Count: 3**

**Grant Total for Selected Counties: \$252,833.00**