

**CULTIVATING CONNECTIONS 2024 ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT** 

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"I think the world is going to be saved by millions of small things"

- Pete Seeger



I've been thinking a lot lately about 'big things' and 'small things'. The past year at Bluegrass Land Conservancy (BLC) has held the announcement of many big things - the largest-

combined Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) award in the country to bring \$45 million in federal dollars to Kentucky landowners, support of the Kentucky General Assembly to expand BLC's operations, and a top three land trust ranking in the country.

While I'm very excited about these big things, I understand that we shouldn't let the big things allow us to overlook the importance of the little things. In fact, I believe the best big things are made possible by a culmination of small things. We at BLC know that each of the big things that are happening for our organization would not, and will not, be possible without 'millions of little things'. Those millions of little things include our supporters, landowners, easement donors, board members, staff members, and the citizens and communities that we serve. Together, our actions are resulting in 'big things' for the future of land conservation in Kentucky!

We hope that you enjoy this organizational update and 2024 Annual Impact Report. Thank you for your commitment to protecting this unique place that many of us call home. Your donations and continued support make up the many small, and sometimes big, things that allow BLC to meet our conservation goals to ensure future generations have access to fresh water, healthy soils, clean air, and open spaces.

JESSIE HANCOCK, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

















### **BLUEGRASS LAND CONSERVANCY MISSION**

To protect land in Kentucky's Bluegrass region through permanent conservation easements.



#### **VISION**

A thriving community where land is protected to sustain our identity, economy, and quality of life.

#### **PROTECT**

**GOALS** 

Permanently protect and steward lands critical to agricultural viability and community character in the Bluegrass region of Kentucky.

#### **SUSTAIN**

Grow the financial and organizational capacity to ensure our commitment to perpetuity and meet dynamic conservation goals.

#### **INSPIRE**

Elevate the importance of land as part of our regional identity and land conservation as a priority for maintaining a high-quality of life and a vibrant economy.











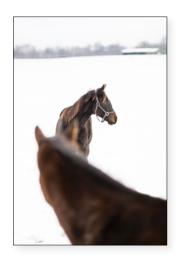






### **PROTECT**





With a goal to permanently protect and steward lands critical to agricultural viability and community character in the Bluegrass region,
Bluegrass Land Conservancy works on a daily basis with landowners across the region to conserve land through voluntary conservation easements.

In our 30 year history, BLC has worked to directly save nearly 34,000 of our most critical acres for future generations. Through partnerships and a long-term commitment to further conservation efforts, BLC has assisted in conserving 450 farms totaling over 65,000 acres across the Bluegrass. These lands will remain open for agricultural use and natural habitat in perpetuity. However, with one of the highest rates of farmland loss in the

country, Kentucky has lost nearly 800,000 acres of land in the last two decades. In order to mitigate this loss, we are focused on increasing the pace of conservation in Kentucky.

Earlier this year, BLC was awarded the largest combined grant in the country through the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP). This program will bring over \$45.7 million into Kentucky, flowing directly to qualifying landowners in critical conservation areas. With your help, BLC can continue to focus on bringing these types of innovative conservation opportunities to the Bluegrass.

### **SUSTAIN**



Bluegrass Land Conservancy is committed to our promise of conserving land in perpetuity through the sustainable and measurable management of our financial resources. With a goal to *grow our financial and organizational capacity to meet our dynamic conservation goals*, we perform our work with a community and growth-oriented mindset. We recognize that every conservation easement is a promise for future generations, and therefore we are driven every day to ensure the funds and organizational structure needed to fulfill that pledge. In addition to annual operating funds, BLC works to grow a robust Operating Endowment and Stewardship Fund to safeguard our conservation easements forever.

As a community-supported land trust, we rely upon the generous contributions of individuals, businesses, and grantors as we work to preserve our Bluegrass lands. Every dollar donated to BLC helps further our mission-driven programming. There are multiple opportunities to support BLC — through direct gifts of cash, stock, real estate, event sponsorship, auction items, workplace matching funds, planned gifts, and corporate partnerships. With your continued support, our conservation work will continue to play a vital role in our region's quality of life, economic growth, and healthy environment.



### **INSPIRE**

At Bluegrass Land Conservancy, we know the conservation of farmland and natural lands helps to ensure the future of amenities our local communities care about and love. Robust local farmers markets, beautiful scenic drives, outdoor recreation spaces, thriving bourbon distilleries, and community access to equine sports are just a few of the many benefits of land conservation in the Bluegrass. Additionally, land conservation helps ensure less polluted air, healthy soils, clean waterways, and available farmland — now and into the future.

That is why, at BLC, we seek to *elevate the* importance of land as a part of our regional identity, and land conservation as a priority for maintaining a high-quality of life and supporting a vibrant economy.

We work to educate landowners and citizens about the benefits of farmland, natural lands, and land conservation, both for themselves and for the entire Bluegrass region. By doing so, we hope to cultivate a passion for conservation within our local communities that will inspire the next generation. Help us engage with citizens across the Bluegrass today by hosting a BLC event, following us on social media, signing up for Enews, or spreading the word!

### **WE INVITE YOU TO BE INVOLVED**



GIVE TO BLC KNOWING THAT IMPACT EXISTS AT ALL LEVELS For many Bluegrass Land Conservancy supporters, a monthly gift of \$10 or \$25 might be more financially feasible than a single gift of \$120-\$300. Monthly giving is an incredibly helpful way to support BLC's growth and stability, and ensures that BLC will continue to protect the Bluegrass. For more information on monthly giving or other options for support, please visit our website: **BluegrassLandConservancy.org** 



### **BLUEGRASS LAND CONSERVANCY BY THE NUMBERS**



#### **BLC CONSERVATION LEGACY | STATS SINCE 1995**

# 34,000 Acres Conserved Forever \$170+ Million in Value Protected

NO 1
LEADING THE
WAY IN KY

- LARGEST REGIONAL LAND TRUST IN KENTUCKY
- FIRST ACCREDITED (2013) LAND TRUST IN KENTUCKY
- LARGEST COMBINED REGIONAL CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (RCPP) AWARD RECIPIENT

#### **FOCUS AREAS**

ICONIC LANDSCAPES



≈34,000 ACRES

CLEAN WATERWAYS



110 MILES OF RIVERS & STREAMS

FARMLAND & FRESH FOOD



27,000 ACRES PRIME AGRICULTURAL SOIL

CULTURAL & HISTORIC



75 EASEMENTS WITH HISTORIC SITES

NATURAL RESOURCES



≈34,000 ACRES

SCENIC ROADWAYS



14 MI OF BYWAYS 81 MI OF FRONTAGE

WILDLIFE HABITAT



≈17,000 ACRES

WORKING FAMILY FARMS



166 FARMS PROTECTED

NQ3
LEADING THE WAY
IN THE U.S.

3RD RANKED ACCREDITED LAND TRUST IN THE U.S. WITH ≤ 10 EMPLOYEES

91%
OF VISITORS WHO
COME TO KENTUCKY
ENJOY AN OUTDOOR OR
FARM-BASED ACTIVITY

## WE HAVE PROUDLY SERVED THE KENTUCKY COMMONWEALTH FOR {3} DECADES IN THE FOLLOWING {26} COUNTIES:

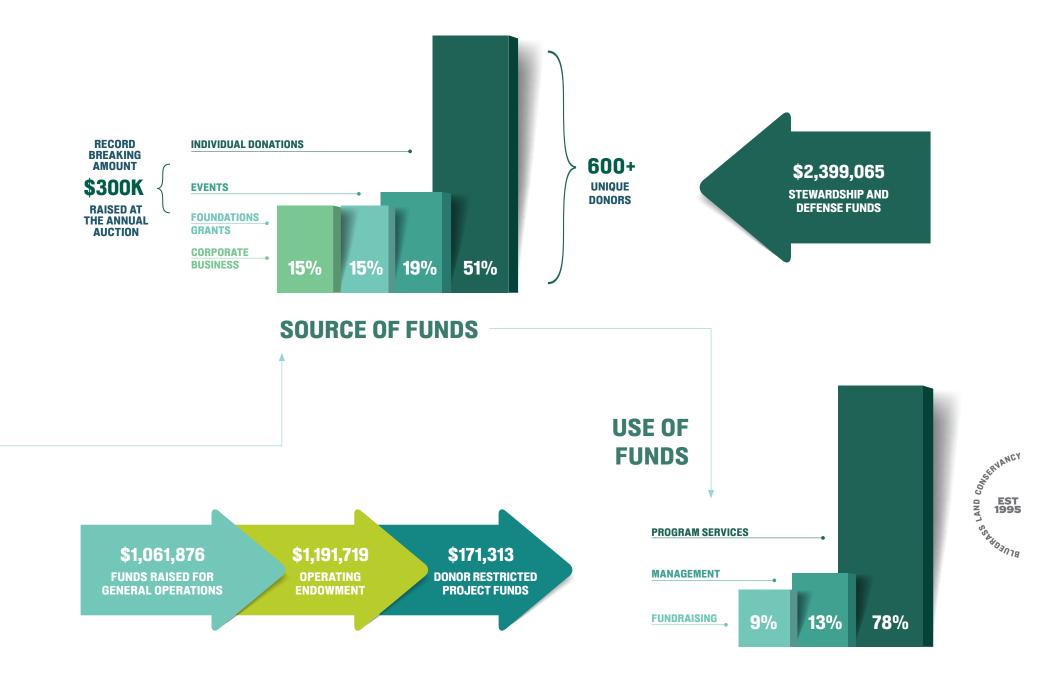
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JESSAMINE

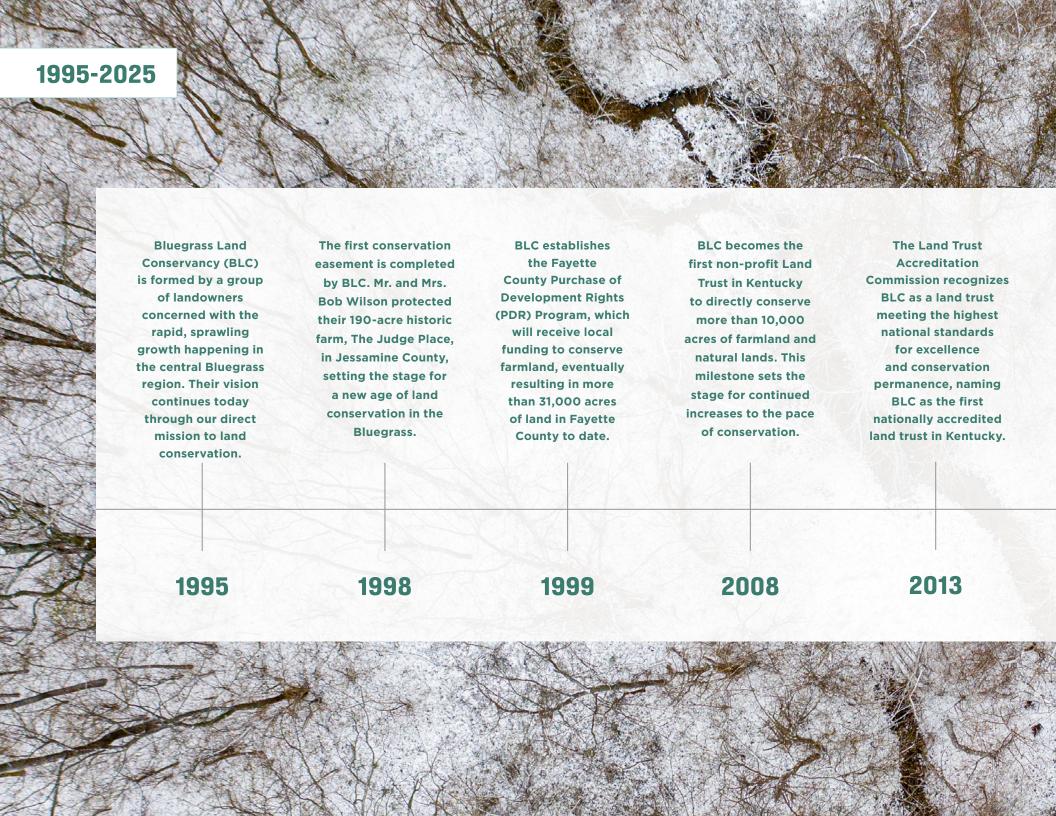
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MARION
MERCER®
NELSON®
NICHOLAS
OLDHAM®
OWEN
ROBERTSON
SCOTT

SHELBY SPENCER TRIMBLE WASHINGTON WOODFORD \*10,000 Acres

NEW ACTIVE PROJECTS IN {8} COUNTIES

### **2023-2024 FINANCIAL SUMMARY**



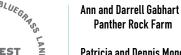




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#### **ANDERSON** COUNTY



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Patricia and Dennis Monohan Monohan Farm



#### **BOURBON** COUNTY

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Seth Hancock Cherry Valley Farm Seth, Clay, and Dell Hancock Claiborne Farm

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Jeff and Melanie Ramey Stone Columns Stables at Rosemont Farm

Katie Sutphin Victory Haven\*

1020 **ACRES** 

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**Anonymous** 

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Leesa and Keith Moorman **Bow Wood Farm** 

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Dr. and Mrs. John van Nagell **Brookfield Farm Boone Valley Farm** 

2391 ACRES

#### **FAYETTE** COUNTY

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Estate of Hilary J. Boone, Jr. Wimbledon Farm

Susana P. and Leon J. Creek and Anne J. Parker Polohunt Farm\*

Patricia and Johnny Elkins Chestnut Hill Farm

Clay Hancock **EIEIO Farm\*** 

**Betty and Jim Kenan** Kenan Farm

Alston and Johnny Kerr Greenfields

Lori Kirk-Wagner Lori Kirk-Wagner Farm\*

**Bonnie and Dick Maynard** Maynard Farm\*

Dede McGehee Heaven Trees

Newtownanner Stud Farm Newtownanner Stud Farm

Michael and Jeanne Owens **Cornerstone Farm** 

Beth and Dan Pride Oxford Farm\*

Dr. and Mrs. John van Nagell **Brookfield Farm Boone Valley Farm** 

802 ACRES

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Susan and R.M. Richards Chicory Ridge



#### **HENRY** COUNTY

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### TAKING CARE OF THE LAND, EVERYDAY

#### 2380 ACRES

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#### 340 ACRES

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#### MARION COUNTY

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Sisters of Loretto Loretto Motherhouse



#### MERCER COUNTY

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#### 766 ACRES

#### NELSON COUNTY

#### **Anonymous**

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Lida Oxnard Post Oak Farm

Susan Perkins Hard Times Farm

#### 554 ACRES

#### OLDHAM COUNTY

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### 4 ACRES

### ROBERTSON COUNTY

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#### 646 ACRES

#### SCOTT COUNTY

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Anna and Paul Isaacs Shagbark Farm

Laura D. and Robert L. Riddle Riddle Farm

Erin and Bill Rouse Rouse Farm\*

#### 1046 ACRES

### SHELBY

Sarah and Paul Keith Pine Grove Farm

Peter E. Leonhardt Lakeview Farms

#### 605 ACRES

#### WASHINGTON COUNTY

Linda and Parker Beam SonBeam Farms

Dominican Sisters of Peace St. Catharine's Farm

#### 7498 ACRES

### WOODFORD COUNTY

Anonymous (3)

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Gay and Michael Barnett Blackburn Farm\*

Mina Berger Woodstock Farm\*

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Jennifer and Dave Harris Seven Stones Farm

Hoppy Henton
Diamond A Farms\*
Henton Farms

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John D. Stuart High Peak Farms\*

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\*a conserved property with new ownership



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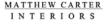




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