

## PEI Forested Landscape Priority Place for Species at Risk – Funded Project List

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### YEAR 5 2023-2024

**Project title:** River Otter Monitoring Program

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance

**Description:** The PEI Watershed Alliance will work with watershed groups and the PEI Forests, Fish, and Wildlife Division to engage in coordinated monitoring of river otter populations within strategic watersheds across PEI. River otter sightings have recently become more frequent and assessing the location of otter populations is of great interest to watershed groups, the Alliance, and the Province. This project will allow for coordinated collection and analysis of wildlife data, with the potential to expand beyond current priority sites and species in the future.

**Project title:** Festival of Forests

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Description:** This project supports and builds on Macphail Woods' popular Festival of Forests event to increase awareness and appreciation of forests and forest habitats through providing an opportunity to reconnect the public with nature/forests. The Festival of Forests will be enhanced this year through creating a planning committee of FLPP partners to help plan. Macphail Woods will provide staff to organize and promote the expanded festival which will invite FLPP partners to share their various projects.

**Project title:** Helping Woodlot Owners to make Informed Decisions on Managing Biodiversity in Their Woodlots

**Project lead:** PEI Woodlot Owners Association

**Description:** The PEI Woodlot Owners Association will assist woodlot owners in making woodlot management decisions, weighing options, and to ultimately maximize the biodiversity value of their woodlot that will assist all species, including species at risk. This be achieved by arranging woodlot tours and information sessions, creating a collection of related internet material, and creating public recognition through an expanded 'Woodlot Owner of the Year' award that will help to inform woodlot owners and promote managing woodlots to support biodiversity.

**Project title:** Vital Forests Video Series Production

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Description:** Macphail Woods will create an educational and inspiring video series that addresses a knowledge gap about the role and importance of Island forests. The films will trace the pattern of our Island's forests, from the coast to inland hills and then down into the valleys and springs, following the rivers back out to the sea. The films will weave together the voices of local biologists, ecologists, foresters, Indigenous community members, watershed workers, woodlot owners and members of the community that use and love our woodlands, with footage of those individuals, and the four critical forest types along with the wildlife and species at risk that call them home.

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**Project title:** *Helping and Supporting Teachers Grow Confident in Outdoor Education - Part 2*

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Description:** This project builds on Macphail Woods' 2022-23 project to develop resources to help teachers feel confident using the outdoors as a classroom. In 2023-24, Macphail Woods will pilot their Supporting Teachers program by organizing 8 training events for Island teachers that help to overcome the challenges of outdoor education and share its power to achieve academic, physical and mental outcomes for teachers and students.

**Project title:** *Protecting PEI Forests and Species at Risk Habitat by Managing Invasive Species on PEI- Continued Coordination and Implementation of Invasive Species Management Strategies*

**Project lead:** PEI Invasive Species Council

**Description:** Working to manage invasive species (IS) is a long-term commitment and a key component in the conservation and/or restoration of important ecosystems and forests on PEI. This project will continue to monitor, compile data and map IS distribution (focusing on climate change, it's synergistic relationship with IS and possible new pathways of introduction), build capacity for IS management within conservation groups and private landowners, develop key partnerships to reduce the spread of IS, continue the giant hogweed eradication program and expand the educational awareness program for IS. The PEISC will continue to work with conservation groups, industry, government and private landowners, leading activities and disseminating IS information that will help reduce the negative impact of invasive species on forests and species at risk on PEI.

**Project title:** *Supporting Forest Stewardship: Providing FEP participants learning opportunities through Macphail Woods School of Woodland Ecology courses*

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Description:** This project offers partial subsidies to Forest Enhancement Program participants to attend Macphail woods' School of Woodland Ecology courses. These courses get landowners out into the woods, educating through hands-on experiential learning. Through increased awareness, understanding, and skill building, the project aims to contribute to improved stewardship, land management and increased restorative practices. This project will allow over 120 private landowners to attend courses in 2023, learning a variety of skills and ecological concepts.

**Project title:** *Stewarding Coastal Krummholzing Forest Habitats*

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Description:** This project will build on Macphail Woods' previous work in 2021-2023 to assess and restore coastal and krummholz forests. This year, the project will focus on restoring six sites, seed collection and propagation of rare and unique coastal flora, and public outreach and education about these important forest ecosystems through talks and guided walks.

**Project title:** *Expanding the Focus on Species at Risk on Forested Lands*

**Project lead:** Nature PEI

**Description:** Nature PEI will work to increase awareness and understanding of PEI's species at risk by continuing to build a travelling species at risk museum display; improving the Nature PEI website page on species at risk, including making a separate section for younger readers; establishing a pilot Young Naturalists Club for adolescents; coordinating an 'intro to birding' course Birding Course; and hosting

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events with Nature PEI naturalists leading mushroom and birding experiences, providing citizen science opportunities

**Project title:** *Advancing Protection of Ecologically Sensitive Forests & Expanding Knowledge of Private Protection*

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust

**Description:** This project will expand Island Nature Trust's work to incentivize (non-monetary) protection and restoration of Island forests through private stewardship, as well as build relationships and offer educational opportunities for key professional groups (e.g., lawyers, accountants, realtors)), providing tools to further support private landowners while expanding the knowledge of relevant industries on the importance of Island forests.

**Project title:** *Additional field identification of rare forest biodiversity hotspots on Prince Edward Island*

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre

**Description:** This project will build upon very successful 2022 field efforts, conducting new fieldwork in different areas using similar methods. AC CDC biologists will work with Island Nature Trust and PEI FFW to identify and conduct field work in larger patches of diverse and intact forest that have had limited previous field survey, focussing on vascular plants and lichens.

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**Project title:** *Advancing Protection and Restoration of PEI Forests through Private Stewardship*

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust

**Project description:** This project focused on promoting and incentivizing volunteer protection and restoration of Island forests through private stewardship. INT hosted three knowledge-sharing workshops for landowners aimed at fostering greater uptake of private protection options, developed a newsletter for landowners with helpful information to support protected areas stewardship and species at risk conservation on private lands, and hosted information sessions targeting key industry groups (lawyers, accountants, agricultural groups) to increase awareness about opportunities for private landowners to protect forests through the Natural Areas Protection Act.

**Project title:** *Invasive Species Removal and Habitat Rehabilitation*

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance

**Project description:** This project focused on invasive species removal and habitat rehabilitation across multiple PEI watersheds through collaboration with thirteen watershed groups and the PEI Invasive Species Council. The creation of an invasive species Action Team allowed watershed groups to have the human power and capacity to effectively tackle priority areas, with leadership from the PEIISC to provide guidance on long-term management requirements and planning for these areas.

**Project title:** *Riparian health assessment protocol testing and long-term monitoring strategy review*

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance

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**Project description:** The PEIWA conducted a pilot of riparian forest health assessment protocols with watershed groups across PEI and examined results to determine the most suitable protocol and collection method to be implemented.

**Project title:** Increasing Forest Education Opportunities

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Macphail Woods surveyed educational programs and ideas within North America to identify potential new environmental education programs related to forests and forests biodiversity and restoration that could be adapted for PEI. Macphail Woods also developed a series of walks and workshops to encourage forest owners and the public to learn more about forests and what they can do to improve forest health and conserve biodiversity.

**Project title:** Continuing Krummholz Preservation and Restoration

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** This project built on Macphail Woods' 2020-21 and 2021-22 work to understand coastal forests and krummholz and the role they play in protecting downwind forests, providing wildlife habitat, and maintaining biodiversity. Specific activities included: assessing regenerating sites; developing a template for restoration work; hosting two public talks on coastal forests and krummholz; and developing a video of a krummholz walk for the Macphail Woods website. You can find more information on this project [here](#).

**Project title:** Invasive Species Removal and Habitat Rehabilitation

**Project lead:** PEI Invasive Species Council (PEIISC)

**Project description:** This project built on PEIISC's 2021-22 work. The PEIISC focused on identifying high risk areas for the introduction of invasive species and establishing an Island-wide monitoring program targeting high risk/high priority areas; assisting with management of priority invasive plant species across PEI; and developing partnerships in the agricultural community to raise awareness of invasive species.

**Project title:** Field identification of rare forest biodiversity hotspots on Prince Edward Island

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre (AC CDC)

**Project description:** This project built on the AC CDC's 2020-22 work to understand PEI distribution and status of SAR and other rare species and to document the locations of high priority biodiversity areas. The AC CDC conducted vascular plant and butterfly inventories of selected sites, with comprehensive documentation of rare species locations. All data is permanently documented in the AC CDC database.

**Project title:** Protecting Species at Risk Habitat by Managing Invasive Species on PEI – Continued  
Coordination and Implementation of Invasive Species Management Strategies

**Project lead:** PEI Invasive Species Council / Canadian Council on Invasive Species

**Project description:** This project provided support for a second technician to assist with the following activities: developing standardized IS monitoring protocols to share with partner orgs, investigating new pathways of invasion as a result of hurricane Fiona & plan adaptation measures for future extreme

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weather events, implementing a Maritimes-wide [Don't Move Firewood campaign](#), [developing educational resources](#), and planning and researching for the 2023 field season.

**Project title:** Supporting Private Stewards for the Protection and Restoration of PEI Forests

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust

**Project description:** INT focused on developing educational resources for landowners and engaging landowners interested in conservation by creating opportunities for them to connect, meet, and learn from/among peers.

**Project title:** Addressing gaps in land use: Developing a guide for municipalities and watershed groups to enhance wildlife habitat through parkland and open space dedication

**Project lead:** Federation of PEI Municipalities

**Project description:** The FPEIM created a web-based guide on how the *Planning Act* enables and supports the protection of natural features; worked with PEI Fish and Wildlife to develop an online mapping application that provides important ecological spatial information; and created a training module for municipal councilors and staff relating to current threats to natural habitat, to ecosystem services and land use planning options.

**Project title:** Helping and Supporting Teachers Grow Confident in Outdoor Education

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Macphail Woods created forest-focused teaching materials, games and activities that dovetail with existing curriculum outcomes in all subjects, and developed a training program for teachers that will introduce them to the benefits of using nature as a classroom, train them on the new teaching material and help them overcome the obstacles, challenges and fears associated with outdoor education.

**Project title:** Upland Forest, Forested Wetland and Riparian Forest Film Series - Preproduction

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** This project focused on completing scripts for a series of videos highlighting three forest habitat conservation targets of the FLPP, Upland Forest, Forested Wetland and Riparian Forest. Short films are to be created in 2023-24 using scripts developed.

**Project title:** Biodiversity Training for Forestry Practitioners

**Project lead:** PEI Forests, Fish and Wildlife Division

**Project description:** PEI FFW hosted a two-day training event for private and provincial forest contractors and consultants. Training topics included: Stand-level and landscape-level features that promote biodiversity, Species at risk identification and habitat requirements, and a review of relevant policy and legislation.

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**Project title:** Increasing our Awareness of Krummholz Forests

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Building on their 2020-21 project, Macphail Woods conducted bird and plant surveys at eight sites and studied wildlife populations using autonomous recording units and trail cameras. They gathered more information on light levels, windspeeds, and coastal erosion. In addition, they looked at two more western sites in Black Marsh and Nail Pond as well as two coastal forests on the south shore, Cameron’s Island and the NCC’s Percival River property, to compare against the north shore forests. They also worked with Parks Canada on the potential for a krummholz establishment (restoration) project, and with the Lennox Island First Nation on establishing a study site on Hog Island. You can find more information on this project [here](#).

**Project title:** Implementing Invasive Species Strategies

**Project leads:** PEI Invasive Species Council (PEIISC) / PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** Through coordination, this project implemented multiple strategies identified to reduce the pressure of invasive species (IS) on PEI’s forested landscape, including: develop Best Management Practices for moving fill, engage with horticulture industry on IS and promoting native species, support existing “Don’t Move Firewood” initiative, partner with Island Waste Management Corporation to reduce IS spread, work towards standardizing and consolidating reporting and tracking of IS, increase capacity for groups to tackle IS removal/management, and support forest IS education efforts of the PEIISC.

**Project title:** Increasing Capacity of Municipalities to Conserve Forests

**Project lead:** Federation of PEI Municipalities (FPEIM)/ PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** A Conservation Coordinator worked collaboratively with the PEIWA and FPEIM to carry out the following activities: establish and maintain strong working relationships with municipalities, local watershed groups, and the Forests, Fish, and Wildlife Division; provide relevant ecological information to municipalities to inform land-use planning decisions; and share information on opportunities for municipalities to engage in conservation and restoration. A reference document developed, [Protecting Habitat: A Guide for Municipalities on Prince Edward Island](#), is available online.

**Project title:** Field surveys and geospatial analysis to improve conservation outcomes for lichen and bird Species at Risk in Prince Edward Island forested landscapes

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre (ACCDC)

**Project description:** This project focused on collecting field data on species at risk and rare forest-associated species occurrences and permanently documenting it within the AC CDC database, and developing improved Species Distribution Models for Canada Warbler, Olive-sided Flycatcher and Eastern Wood-Pewee using current LiDAR data.

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**Project title:** Supporting identification of bat occurrences and habitat through public engagement

**Project lead:** Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative (CWHC)

**Project description:** This project focused on conservation and recovery of two Species at Risk Act (SARA)-listed Endangered bat species: Little Brown Myotis and Northern Myotis and their habitat on PEI, including the Forested Landscape. It provided data and support to address the knowledge gap of the habitat requirements for Species at Risk (SAR) bats on the Island, including the potential identification of critical habitat (i.e., hibernacula) and important concentration areas (i.e., summer maternity roosts).

**Project title:** Propagation of Krummholz plants as a first step towards Krummholz restoration

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** This project built on Macphail Woods' previous krummholz research. This project helped prepare for future restoration projects and involved researching propagation methods, collecting seeds and small amounts of material for cuttings from a wide range of plants associated with krummholz, and conducting research and testing on their propagation. Propagated species will be used in future coastal forest and krummholz restoration efforts.

**Project title:** Creating a Video Series to Illustrate Patch Cutting for Species Restoration

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Macphail Woods created a series of videos that illustrates various aspects of creating restorative patch cuts aimed at diversifying forests and providing habitat for a variety of rare and common native species. Videos are available on [Macphail Woods' Youtube channel](#).

**Project title:** Riparian health assessment protocol review to improve long-term monitoring of riparian forests

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance

**Project description:** The PEI Watershed Alliance reviewed riparian health assessment protocols used by watershed groups across the island, created trial protocols customized for PEI for testing in spring, and conducted an initial review of the literature on quantifying ecosystem services.

**Project title:** Demonstration Woodlot Renewal – Education in Prince Edward Island's Demonstration Woodlots

**Project lead:** PEI Forests, Fish and Wildlife

**Project description:** This project focused on renewing two provincial demonstration woodlots in Brookvale and Auburn. This included installation of boardwalks through wet and/or impassable sections of the Auburn demonstration woodlot and installation of a new parking lot at Brookvale demonstration woodlot.

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**Project title:** Monitoring Lichen Species at Risk

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre (ACCDC)

**Project description:** The ACCDC conducted 15 calendar days of fieldwork and documented: one new occurrence of Wrinkled Shingle Lichen; 15 occurrences of Species at Risk, including three new Species at Risk for PEI: White-rimmed Shingle Lichen (*Fuscopannaria leucosticta*), Blue Felt Lichen (*Pectenaria plumbea*) and Frosted Glass Whiskers (*Sclerophora peronella*); 16 additional new bryophyte, lichen and vascular plant taxa for PEI; 482 records of 85 species of provincially rare species, including 29 critically imperiled (S1 or S1S2) species

**Project title:** Modelling SAR in PEI – Developing Species Distribution Models for Canada Warbler, Olive-sided Flycatcher and Eastern Wood-Pewee

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre (ACCDC)

**Project description:** Species distribution models for Canada Warbler, Olive-sided Flycatcher and Eastern Wood-Pewee were developed, identifying the best potential areas on PEI for these species.

**Project title:** Analysis of Functional Connectivity in PEI

**Project lead:** Dr. Peter Bush (St. Mary's University)

**Project description:** This project used Linkage Mapper software and various methods (e.g. least-cost path, Circuitscape, Barrier Mapper) to measure forest functional connectivity in PEI for three species of interest, Northern Flying Squirrel (*Glaucomys sabrinus*; S4S5), Smooth Greensnake (*Opheodrys vernalis*; S2), and Pickerel Frog (*Lithobates palustris*; S1). Project results will provide foundational information to help prioritize areas for conservation and inform protected area network design to improve functional connectivity for PEI forests.

**Project title:** Developing an Early Detection and Rapid Response Framework for Invasive Species in Island Forests

**Project leads:** Island Nature Trust (INT), PEI Invasive Species Council (PEIISC)

**Project description:** This project explored how to build on and implement an early detection rapid response (EDRR) system for invasive species in PEI.

**Project title:** Analysis of Incentive Programs for Forest Conservation

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust (INT)

**Project description:** This project reviewed the structure, advantages, and disadvantages of existing monetary and non-monetary incentive programs for private forest landowners to promote forest conservation and restoration. The final report also provides considerations for developing a pilot program and potential next steps for the project.



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### **Project title: Securing High-value Forested Habitats**

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust (INT)

**Project description:** This project assisted INT in acquiring 221.8 hectares (548 acres) of high conservation value lands. Through this project, INT completed the required appraisal and legal processes to acquire and protect land in New Perth, Brudenell, Cable Head East, Forest Hill, Red Point, and Farmington; and secured and protected lands in Murray River and Abney. All lands acquired by INT will be protected in perpetuity under the PEI Natural Areas Protection Act. Additionally, all parcels except the Cable Head East property (211.5 ha total) will be certified by the Government of Canada under the Ecological Gifts Program.

### **Project title: Review of Land Protection Tools and Municipal Conservation Initiatives on Prince Edward Island**

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** Through this project, the PEIWA surveyed municipalities across PEI to determine their level of understanding and activity related to forest conservation and species at risk.

### **Project title: Exploring Riparian Forests in PEI**

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** Through this project, exploratory research was conducted to better understand riparian forests. The PEIWA conducted literature reviews to explore the ecological value and definition of riparian forest, and how this differs from our usual “buffer zone” conversation, and to explore monitoring techniques from other regions for assessing riparian function. They also identified current methods used in PEI to measure and classify the health and functionality of riparian forests, and interviewed stakeholders regarding monitoring techniques, pressures on riparian forests, and other important riparian characteristics.

### **Project title: Exploring the Importance of Krummholz Forests**

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Through this project, exploratory research was conducted to better understand PEI’s coastal forests and krummholz. Macphail Woods established eight study sites across PEI where they conducted plant and animal surveys, compiled forestry data (e.g. canopy composition, amount of coarse woody debris, tree quality, etc.), examined historical context, and identified threats. You can find more information on this project [here](#).

### **Project title: Developing a Collaborative Conservation Planning Tool**

**Project lead:** Ducks Unlimited (DU)

**Project description:** Through this conservation action, DU developed an ArcGIS Online web map to assist with collaborative conservation planning among groups doing private land acquisition on PEI.

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**Project title:** Prince Edward Island *Pannaria lurida* Habitat Modelling: Phase I

**Project lead:** Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre (ACCDC)

**Project description:** The ACCDC developed a Habitat Suitability Index (HSI) in ArcGIS which used known information on habitat preferences and expert opinion to identify areas with a high likelihood of Wrinkled Shingle Lichen (*Pannaria lurida*) occurrence. This project generated predictive maps that identify areas likely to contain suitable conditions for *Pannaria lurida* on PEI to guide targeted searches.

**Project title:** Owl Survey Landscape Data Analysis

**Project lead:** Birds Canada

**Project description:** Birds Canada analyzed Nocturnal Owl Survey and provincial land-use data to determine how habitat is used by the three most common owl species in PEI: Barred Owl, Great Horned Owl, and Northern Saw-Whet Owl.

**Project title:** Enhanced Forest Inventory

**Project lead:** FORUS Research

**Project description:** FORUS Research built on work started in 2016 to deliver enhanced forest inventory (EFI) predictions for PEI with the addition of top height (average height of the 100 tallest stems), as well as the 95th and 99th height percentile. In addition, FORUS Research provided the normalized LiDAR point cloud files (LAS) tiles and point cloud statistics for the Continuous Forest Inventory (CFI) plots.

**Project title:** Developing Educational Print Materials and Surveying Forest Managers

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust (INT)

**Project description:** INT developed a set of six educational factsheets on forest-associated species at risk, forested wetlands, etc. INT also conducted a survey of forest managers to gain a more complete understanding of forest managers' knowledge of SAR and their willingness to adopt beneficial management practices.

**Project title:** Comparing Forest Bird Communities Between Forests

**Project leads:** Island Nature Trust (INT), Abegweit Conservation Society (ACS)

**Project description:** INT and ACS worked together to obtain bird community data for three pairwise sets of forest stands to compare forest bird communities using two different types of managed forests (natural forests and managed plantations). Through this project, INT and ACS also worked together to monitor for and manage invasive species in natural areas surrounding study sites.

**Project title:** Freeland Land Acquisition

**Project lead:** Island Nature Trust (INT)

**Project description:** With support from the Priority Place initiative, INT acquired 36.4 hectares (90 acres) of mixed forest in Freeland, Prince County, PEI

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**Project title:** Developing Educational Resources on Rare Native Plants

**Project lead:** Macphail Woods Ecological Forestry Project

**Project description:** Macphail Woods developed online resources, including species descriptions and instructions for propagation for 17 provincially rare plant species. The publication is available on the [Macphail Woods website](#).

**Project title:** Modeling Watershed Forest Cover and Aquatic Health: Phase I

**Project lead:** Dr. Mike van den Heuvel (UPEI)

**Project description:** This research sought to examine whether forests benefit the ecosystem services provided by our streams. Information sourced from previously published surveys was used to quantify Atlantic salmon presence and absence and PEI fish density. Those data were compared with land use, including forests, and watershed area from the provincial GIS databases.

**Project title:** Assessment of Forest Habitat Connectivity on PEI

**Project lead:** Dr. Peter Bush (St. Mary's University)

**Project description:** This research used effective mesh size, fragmentation statistics (e.g. distance to nearest neighbour, etc.), and Circuitscape (software based on circuit theory that predicts connectivity) to measure structural connectivity on PEI.

**Project title:** Increasing Capacity for Bat and Wildlife Monitoring in Forested Landscape

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** The PEIWA purchased equipment (i.e. autonomous recording units, ultrasonic microphones, SD cards, laptop, Kaleidoscope software, trail cameras, etc.) to assist in bat, songbird, and wildlife monitoring, and data storage and analysis. This equipment significantly increased the capacity of Island watershed groups to do monitoring work in the forested landscape.

**Project title:** Gap Analysis of Watershed Community

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** The PEIWA was contracted to synthesize past conservation activities undertaken by watershed groups relating to the PEI forested landscape and terrestrial SAR.

**Project title:** Developing Training Materials for Watershed Groups

**Project lead:** PEI Watershed Alliance (PEIWA)

**Project description:** The PEIWA developed a training program for Island watershed groups on riparian planting and management. As part of this project Macphail Woods created a resource, [Native Plants and Watersheds: A Natural Combination](#).