

Community-based Organizations

Nonprofits and grassroots groups leading hands-on prairie restoration, education, and stewardship across the Temperate Prairies region, from urban prairie restoration to native plant training programs.

Local Stewardship & Advocacy

Restoration & Education Nonprofits

[Oklahoma Native Plant Society](#) (OK) - Statewide nonprofit promoting native plant conservation, with an active native plant/seed source directory for landscape professionals.

[Native Lands Restoration Collaborative](#) (KS) - Northeast Kansas nonprofit offering community education and hands-on ecosystem restoration and native plant training.

[Bridging the Gap](#) (MO) - Kansas City sustainability nonprofit whose WildLands program restores 14 local urban prairies.

[Deep Roots](#) (MO) - Kansas City-region nonprofit coalition promoting native plant landscaping through education, demonstration gardens, and events like the Plan It Native conference.

[Iowa Native Plant Society](#) (IA) - Iowa nonprofit promoting the conservation, restoration, and appreciation of the state's native flora.

[Prairie Plains Resource Institute](#) (NE) - Nebraska nonprofit restoring prairie and wetland habitat through local-ecotype seed harvesting, with 8 preserves and restoration services.

[United Prairie Foundation](#) (ND) - North Dakota nonprofit restoring prairie and wetland habitat using locally harvested seed, paired with community education and outreach.

Advocacy Organizations

[Audubon Society: Urban Woods & Prairies Initiative](#) (Great Plains) - Audubon Great Plains program restoring urban prairie and woodland habitat for birds and wildlife while engaging local communities in stewardship.

[Missouri Prairie Foundation](#) (MO) - Missouri nonprofit dedicated to preserving and restoring the state's native prairie remnants and promoting native landscaping statewide.

[Sierra Club](#) (IL) - Illinois chapter of the national conservation nonprofit, running campaigns on habitat conservation, clean water, and land protection statewide.

[Nature Manitoba](#) (CAD) - Manitoba conservation organization whose Native Habitat Grant funds tallgrass prairie conservation projects.

[Saskatchewan Prairie Conservation Action Plan](#) (CAD) - Multi-stakeholder partnership of governments, ranchers, and conservation groups coordinating native prairie and species-at-risk conservation across Saskatchewan.

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