



AMERICAN SYSTEM OF CONSERVATION FUNDING

How sportsmen and women in Vermont supported the American System of Conservation funding in 2026:

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The American System of Conservation Funding rests on three pillars, including sporting license revenues and excise taxes generated through the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Programs.

These state-specific documents give partners and the public a clear view of how sportsmen and women—and the industries that support them—fuel conservation efforts in all 50 states.

2026:	Hunting Licenses	Fishing Licenses	Pittman-Robertson	Dingell-Johnson	TOTAL
Funding	\$4.2M	\$4M	\$5M	\$4.4M	\$17.8M
National Ranking	45	46	50	50	46
Historical Funding Total	\$171M	\$204M	\$177M	\$202M	\$756M
Historical Funding U.S. Rank	44	46	46	46	46

57,775

2026 Total Hunting License Holders

66%

Vermont Dept of Fish & Wildlife's Budget is from sportsmen & women-generated dollars

115,018

2026 Total Fishing License Holders

