The Stewards Program does an excellent job recruiting and supporting [AmeriCorps] VISTAs, and provides them with valuable training on non-profit management, volunteer recruitment and resource development…”

Melissa May
Stewards VISTA Alum
and Supervisor,
San Juan Soil and Water Conservation District

What YOU Need to Host a Stewards VISTA:

- A GREAT PROJECT TIED TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
- COMMITMENT TO MENTOR A MEMBER
- WORK SPACE AND TECHNOLOGY
- $13,000 MEMBER-SHIP FEE

Estimated Value to Your Organization: $48,800

Measuring the Impact

In 2017, Stewards VISTA members helped generate more than $1,600,000 in cash funding.

That's an average of $20,000 per organization.

Stewards VISTA members supported 7,384 community volunteers in providing over 40,500 volunteer hours.
About Stewards

Stewards Individual Placement Program (SIPP) is a program of Conservation Legacy, a national organization dedicated to supporting locally based conservation service programs. As a part of Conservation Legacy, SIPP is proud to work with federal and local non-profit partners to create lasting community change through placement of individual (AmeriCorps VISTA) members. SIPP strives to create a better future for people and for the environment by supporting and investing in future generations. Together with a robust network of partners, SIPP encourages and supports members and alumni to continue their service to the country by going on to work in government, non-profit, private and academic sectors.

Our Process

Hosting an AmeriCorps VISTA member with SIPP begins by expressing your interest! Our staff are available to answer questions and work with you to develop the project through the application process. Once the project has been approved by CNCS, you’re able to promote and recruit the position locally, and our staff work with you to recruit at a national level.

Host organizations make final member selection decisions and SIPP handles enrollment in the AmeriCorps VISTA program, administers benefits, and provides member and supervisor support to ensure project compliance with federal requirements (CNCS). We take care of the administrative duties, you provide the projects, work space, infrastructure and project and mentoring of your AmeriCorps VISTA member(s).

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Accepting applications on a rolling basis, with cohorts beginning service terms in early spring and late summer.