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### **Mt Adams Institute**

VetsWork: Environment  
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Trout Lake, WA 98650-9705

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### **Congressional District: 03**

This is a multi-state program.

### **Approved Funding Level:**

Grant Funding: \$531,050.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 43  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$246,390.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$731,000.00

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### **Program Summary**

AmeriCorps members will develop skills, expand knowledge in natural resource management, and effectively improve public lands by supporting natural resources management projects. The Mt Adams Institute (MAI)'s VetsWork: Environment program will address the CNCS focus areas of Veterans and Military Families and Environmental Stewardship by engaging 43 veterans to serve as members enrolled in a job training program focused on public lands issues in the states of Oregon (OR), Washington (WA), Missouri (MO), Florida (FL) and Georgia (GA). VetsWork (VW) members will serve rural and urban communities.

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### Washington Campus Compact

College Access Corps  
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Bellingham, WA 98225-5946

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### Congressional District: 02

This is a multi-state program.

### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$672,000.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 56  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$320,880.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$404,500

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### Program Summary

AmeriCorps members will recruit and train college student volunteers to serve as college access coaches for K-12th grade students resulting in increased academic engagement and postsecondary preparation. The program will serve economically-disadvantaged youth in the states of Washington and Oregon.

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### EarthCorps

EarthCorps Corps Program  
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Seattle, WA 98115-8168

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**Congressional District:** 07

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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$360,000.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 30.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$171,900.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$240,000.00

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### Program Summary

AmeriCorps members will provide watershed restoration services including invasive plant removal, native planting, erosion control, bank stabilization and trail work in King, Pierce and Snohomish Counties in Washington. This program addresses the CNCS focus area of environmental stewardship and will recruit and manage thousands of community volunteers to restore the watershed.

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### WA State Department of Ecology

Washington Conservation Corps  
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Olympia, WA 98504-7600

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**Congressional District:** 10

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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$1,823,920.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 285.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$1,633,050.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$6,527,500.00

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### Program Summary

AmeriCorps members will respond to disasters within the state of Washington and across the nation, restore wetlands, remove invasive species and plant native species, construct trails and provide environmental education to students. AmeriCorps members will recruit and supervise volunteers and provide job skills to opportunity youth and veterans in Washington State.

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### WA State Employment Security Department

Washington Reading Corps-Fixed  
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**Congressional District:** 10

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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$1,860,000.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 150.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$859,500.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$1,397,000.00

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### Program Summary

The AmeriCorps members will provide evidence-based literacy tutoring to at-risk pre-K - 8 students across 75 high schools and early learning centers resulting in increased reading proficiency. The members will also leverage 3,000 volunteers to partner with members for tutoring and early literacy interventions. The program will serve school districts across the state of Washington.

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### **WA State Employment Security Department**

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### **Approved Funding Level:**

Grant Funding: \$7,149,870.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 567.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$3,248,910.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$27,247,000.00

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AmeriCorps members who will provide services at under-resourced partner sites that offer disaster-preparedness education, financial literacy education and job development services, tutoring and engaging enrichment activities, education and training about environmentally-conscious practices, information about health insurance, health care access, and health benefits programs, outreach and direct supports for seniors and services for veterans. AmeriCorps members will recruit and leverage the efforts of local volunteers in support of these services. The program will serve the entire state of Washington.

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### Washington State Department of Veterans Affairs

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**Congressional District:** 10

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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$630,500.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 50.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$286,500.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$0.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$364,958.00

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AmeriCorps members will serve as peer mentor/navigators to veterans and military families at colleges and with community partner sites across the state of Washington.

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