



## Summary

From South Padre Island, Texas to the world, it's Sea Turtle Inc's mission to protect sea turtles through conservation, medical care, applied research, and education. We are excited to fund consequential international sea turtle conservation projects in areas where these funds will make the most impact! Project applications should indicate the impact funding will have on sea turtle conservation. Priority will be given to projects with clear and measurable impact goals and metrics. **This funding cycle priority will also be given to projects focused on leatherbacks, hawksbills or Kemp's ridleys located within the Caribbean, Central America, North America, and/or South America. Please note, projects taking place within the continental United States are not eligible for funding under this grant cycle.**

## Additional Information

Application deadline is October 31, 2026. Projects funded will be notified by the end of December 2026. Projects should begin on or after January 1, 2027. Funds may not be used for project expenses prior to January 2027

Completed Application form and additional documents should be submitted via website link.

Single year grants require mid-term report due end of July, and final report within 30 days of conclusion of project date. Multi-year grants require mid-year and end of year reports for each year, final report within 30 days of conclusion of project date. Reporting templates provided.

Only non-profit, non-governmental, educational, or similar organizations eligible for grant awards, for-profit organizations will not be considered for grant awards.

### Sea Turtle Inc Request for Funding Proposals - Application

| Organization Information |  |         |  |
|--------------------------|--|---------|--|
| Name of Organization     |  |         |  |
| Year Founded             |  |         |  |
| Type of Entity           |  |         |  |
| Mailing Address          |  |         |  |
| City                     |  | State   |  |
| Zip Code                 |  | Country |  |



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| Executive Officer/President of Organization |  |               |  |
|---------------------------------------------|--|---------------|--|
| Name                                        |  |               |  |
| Title                                       |  |               |  |
| Phone number                                |  | Email Address |  |
| Contact Person                              |  |               |  |
| Name                                        |  |               |  |
| Title                                       |  |               |  |
| Phone number                                |  | Email Address |  |

| Organization Budget/Outreach |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| Organization Budget          |  |
| Number of Paid Staff         |  |
| Number of Volunteers         |  |
| Number of Board Members      |  |
| Geographic Area Served       |  |
| Website                      |  |
| Facebook                     |  |
| Instagram                    |  |
| Twitter                      |  |
| TikTok                       |  |
| Other Socials                |  |



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| <b>Organization Mission Statement</b> |  |
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| <b>Executive Summary of Organization</b> |
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| Funding Request                                                                                                                     |  |
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| Is this request for a new or existing project?                                                                                      |  |
| Have you been awarded a grant from STI in the past?                                                                                 |  |
| If Yes fill in the following:                                                                                                       |  |
| Date/Year of prior STI funding:                                                                                                     |  |
| Funding Amount (\$):                                                                                                                |  |
| Has the final report been submitted? (Yes/No)                                                                                       |  |
| If yes, date of submission:                                                                                                         |  |
| If Final report has not been submitted, no additional grant requests can be considered until completion of prior grant requirements |  |

| Project Information                                                                            |  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Project Title                                                                                  |  |
| Project Location: City/County (attach project location map with other application attachments) |  |
| Project Start Date                                                                             |  |
| Project End Date                                                                               |  |
| List all local/regional/national permits required for Project                                  |  |



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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Do you have all required Permits for this project? (Yes/No)</b>             |  |
| <b>If No, what is the status of each required permit? List status of each:</b> |  |

|                                                   |
|---------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Project Executive Summary (500 word limit)</b> |
|                                                   |



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**How does this project fit with the mission of Sea Turtle Inc? (500 word limit)**

**Describe the conservation impact of the project, including focus species and prior conservation impact, if applicable (500 word limit)**



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**Describe the controls you have in place to ensure success, and how you will measure success of this project**

### Projects Goals/Metrics

**List up to 5 measurable goals and their measurable metrics for success**

| Example Goal                                         | Example Metric for Success                                             |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Increase awareness of critical nesting beach habitat | Educate 50 students per month leading up to nesting season (Jan-March) |
| Goal                                                 | Metric for Success                                                     |
|                                                      |                                                                        |



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| Goal | Metric for Success |
|------|--------------------|
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| Project Staff                                                                             |
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| List any key project staff, including their qualifications and involvement in the project |
|                                                                                           |
| List any current collaborators for this project, and their roles(s)                       |
|                                                                                           |



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| Funding Request                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Amount Requested                    |  |
| Detailed narrative for use of funds |  |
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## Project timeline, with milestones and success metrics



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**List of other support (financial and in-kind) for this project, including funder name, amount, and status of funding**

**Is this a multi-year project? (yes/no)**

Please note, multi-year projects (up to 3 years) may be funded on a year-by-year basis, based on funding availability and prior project deliverables

**Describe the plans to sustain the program in the future after grant support**



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**How will the results of this project be disseminated to the public?**

**Complete the below table with the project budget request. Overhead, bank fees, conference travel, pass-through grants, or any similar items will not be considered for grant funding and will exclude the application from consideration for any amount of funding.**

| Detailed Budget Request           |      |             |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Category                          | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
| Equipment (over \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |
| Equipment (over \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |



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|-----------------------------------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Equipment (over \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |
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| Equipment (over \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |

| Category                              | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
|---------------------------------------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Supplies (less than \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |
| Supplies (less than \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |



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|---------------------------------------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Supplies (less than \$5,000 per item) |      |             |                  |
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| Category | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
|----------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Travel   |      |             |                  |
| Travel   |      |             |                  |



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| Category | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
|----------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Travel   |      |             |                  |
| Travel   |      |             |                  |
| Travel   |      |             |                  |

| Category  | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
|-----------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Personnel |      |             |                  |
| Personnel |      |             |                  |



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| Category  | Item | Description | Amount Requested |
|-----------|------|-------------|------------------|
| Personnel |      |             |                  |
| Personnel |      |             |                  |
| Personnel |      |             |                  |

**Required additional documents, as applicable:**

- Itemized budget breakdown and supporting validating documents
- Map of project area
- Founding or Registration documents for your organization
- Copy of current permit(s)
- Audited financial statements, if available; if not prior years profit and loss statements or previous years financial reports, 2 years preferred
- Most recent 990, or nationally similar document as applicable
- W9 or nationally similar document as applicable
- Tax exempt letter, as applicable
- List of executives and current board of directors, names and title
- Major contributors (and amounts) to organization