

	1995 Open Space City	2006 Open Space County	2018 Open Space County
Primary Purpose	Acquiring open space land in or near the City	Preserving open space	Conserving, enjoying, and enhancing open space land
Additional Purpose	<p>Acquiring funds for the open space acquisition trust fund, moneys from which fund may be expended for the purpose of acquiring, in fee, by easement, or otherwise, open space land in or near the City</p> <p>Acquiring Mount Jumbo lands, lands at the South end of Mount Sentinel, Fort Missoula area lands, upper South Hills lands, North Hills, Clark Fork River Corridors, areas for recreational playing fields</p> <p>Acquiring and establishing community trails consistent with the Open Space plan</p>	<p>Protecting the water quality of rivers, lakes, and streams</p> <p>Protecting wildlife habitat</p> <p>Conserving working ranches, farms, and forests</p> <p>Providing access along rivers, lakes, and streams</p> <p>Managing for growth</p> <p>Providing open space and scenic landscapes</p> <p>Providing recreational and commuter trails</p>	<p>Providing public access to water and land</p> <p>Conserving agricultural lands, fish and wildlife habitat, and rivers, lakes, and streams</p> <p>Protecting scenic views</p> <p>Making improvements to lands acquired or designated as open space that are accessible to the public</p>
Allowed Activities and Costs	<p>Acquiring, in fee, by easement, or otherwise, open space land in or near the City</p> <p>Defraying costs related to such acquisition</p>	<p>Purchasing land, easements, and other interests in land from willing landowners</p> <p>Paying non-personnel related transaction costs, costs of initial clean-up and weed control associated with an approved project</p>	<p>Purchasing land, easements, or other interests in land from willing landowners</p> <p>Paying for improvements and costs related to or serving lands acquired or designated as open space</p> <p>Transaction and project costs and fees</p> <p>Citizen input</p>
Requirements	Acquisitions are guided by the open space plan recently adopted by Missoula local governments	Willing landowners	For improvements, must be on land acquired or designated as open space and accessible by the public

Table 1. Purposes, allowable activities and costs, and requirements of 1995, 2006, and 2018 open space bonds