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PACIFIC ENVIRONMENTAL ADVOCACY CENTER (PEAC) AT LEWIS & CLARK LAW SCHOOL AWARDED \$45,000 BY THE BULLITT FOUNDATION

Portland, February 21, 2011 — The Pacific Environmental Advocacy Center (PEAC) has received a \$45,000 grant from The Bullitt Foundation. The one-year grant is made possible through the Foundation's Urban Ecology and Ecosystem Services program.

PEAC is very pleased to partner with The Bullitt Foundation. This grant strengthens our efforts to minimize the release of urban toxic pollution from industrial sources into the environment. Bullitt Foundation support will also help staff attorneys and professors undertake work that promotes environmentally-friendly, long-term sustainable development and integrate habitat and natural areas into the urban environment.

This grant is important because PEAC's clients rely on the legal expertise of our staff attorneys and professors to help secure critical environmental protections. Our model of providing *pro bono* representation to grassroots, nonprofit environmental clients has proven to be both powerful and effective.

WHAT IS PEAC? Founded in 1996, the Pacific Environmental Advocacy Center (PEAC) is the domestic environmental legal clinic at Lewis & Clark Law School. We are passionate about using the law to protect and restore the environment and about producing skilled environmental advocates.

PEAC provides free legal services for nonprofit conservation organizations. Our clients range from small grassroots groups to large national groups. Our clients rely on our services as a key legal tool to help secure needed environmental protections, both due to the quality of our legal representation and because there are few non-profit, *pro bono law* firms in the Northwest.
