REVIEW

Organization Name: Africa Conservation Foundation

Location: Across Africa

Website: https://africanconservation.org/volunteer-projects/

VERDICT: HIGHLY RECOMMENDED

Project Overview: African Conservation Foundation, established in 1999, offers multiple volunteer projects that take place in many countries in Africa. These projects range from research and restoration to rehabilitation and care, including community outreach. AFC is a non-profit organization, registered with UK, Kenya, Tanzania and Cameroon and being a registered non-profit they must meet strict guidelines for running their organization as a non-profit. 100% of the money from volunteering goes into the projects in the field. This is a legitimate conservation organization, that have partnerships with other conservation organizations.

When you start looking at volunteer projects, you notice that most of the projects take place in the same 3-4 countries. What's so great with ACF's selection is that they offer projects in countries you rarely see volunteer opportunities for, like Cameroon, Malawi and Mozambique. This is a great for many reasons, both for these projects, countries and for you as a volunteer.

This website is a great website to keep up on news and information about what's happening in wildlife conservation in Africa. There are also job opportunities. I suggest you spend some quality time looking at all this organization has to offer.

Is it Conservation?: Yes, absolutely. After looking into each individual projects, they truly serve a conservation purpose.

Verdict Explanation: This organization offers multiple projects to volunteers. They vary greatly and as a volunteer, know that all of your money goes into the projects with no overhead costs. What's even better is that most of these projects also include community outreach. Because these projects are aligned with a conservation organization, the ACF takes real pride in making sure that these projects meet their strict objectives. I feel that it's safe to say, whatever project you choose from ACF's website has a real and positive conservation impact.

