

Local, State and Federal Funding Opportunities

PROGRAM	Total allocation	Funding available this Round	Purpose	Eligible Projects	Status	Anticipated Timeline	Notes
On-Site Retrofit Program	\$10M	\$10M	Provides financial incentives directly to customers	Public and private owners to convert potable water irrigation or industrial water systems to utilize recycled water.	SOLICITATIONS OPEN	First come first serve basis starting 7/1/16 through 6/30/18 or until funds are exhausted.	Applications accepted until the end of September 2017.
MWD Local Resource Program			Provides financial incentives for the development of water recycling, groundwater recovery, and seawater desalination projects.	Projects can include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water recycling • Groundwater recovery • Seawater desalination 	SOLICITATIONS OPEN	Three incentive payment options: 1.Sliding scale incentives up to \$340/AF over 25 years, 2.Sliding scale incentives up to \$475/AF over 15 years, or 3.Fixed incentive up to \$305/AF over 25 years.	
Water Savings Incentive Program			Open to all commercial, industrial, agricultural, institutional and large Landscape customers	Project examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replacement of older, less water-efficient equipment, • Comprehensive changes to industrial processes that reduce water consumption, • Improvements to existing irrigation systems and landscaping to improve water use efficiency. 	SOLICITATIONS OPEN	Payment amount is up to \$0.60 per 1,000 gallons saved per year over the project live, up to a maximum of 10%. Incentives are limited to 50% of eligible project costs	
So Cal Water\$mart		Dependent on type of project	Business and residential rebates to help encourage water efficiency and conservation	Commercial Projects: Plumbing Fixtures Landscaping Equipment Food and HVAC Equipment Medical and Dental Equipment Residential Projects: Turf Removal Residential Devices	SOLICITATION OPEN		

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SWRCB Groundwater (Proposition 1)	\$800M	\$744M (FY 15/16)	Projects that prevent or clean up contamination of GW that serves or has served as a DW source.	Planning projects; implementation projects including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellhead treatment • Extraction wells with treatment • Centralized GW treatment • GW recharge to prevent/reduce contamination • GW injection to prevent seawater intrusion 	Public Comment period PAST; SOLICITATION OPEN	Continuously: Pre-Applications Due TBD: Grant Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must submit a pre-application before submitting a final application. • Final applications are available as of June 10, 2016
State Coastal Conservancy (Proposition 1)	\$100.5M	\$10M	Multibenefit ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration projects.	Planning projects; implementation projects that promote at least 2 of the following benefits: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GW recharge • WQ improvements • Urban forestry • Public greenspace watershed health • Runoff reduction 	Round 4 SOLICITATION OPEN	Solicitation Closed TBD: Grant Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority for Round 4: Urban Greening in LA County
SWRCB Stormwater: Implementation Grants (Proposition 1)	\$200M	\$80M	Multi-benefit SW projects that are respond to climate change, and are included in an adopted SW Resource Plan or IRWMP. facilities	Implementation projects including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green infrastructure • SW capture • SW treatment 	Round 1 SOLICITATION OPEN	TBD 2018: Round 2 solicitations for implementation grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning grant solicitation closed in March (\$20M) • One more round of implementation grants anticipated for FY 16/17 (\$100M)

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CNRA Urban Rivers (Proposition 1)	\$20M	TBD	Multibenefit green infrastructure projects that increase regional & local water self-sufficiency.	Implementation projects that promote at least 2 of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GW recharge and water reuse • Energy conservation • Runoff treatment using soils, plans, and natural processes • Restoration of native habitat • Regional and local resiliency to climate change impacts 	Public comment period OPEN	Solicitation Closed TBD: Grant Award	This program is different from the \$100M allocated to SMMC and RMC for
DWR Water Use Efficiency: CalConserve Revolving Fund (Proposition 1)	\$10M	\$10M	Sustainable funding source for urban water use efficiency projects.	Projects including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dish/clothes washer upgrades • Water-saving plumbing fixtures • Hot-water recirculating pumps • Leak detection & repair • Landscape irrigation upgrades • Commercial, institutional, and industrial water efficiency 	Solicitation opening soon	Summer 2017: Loan applications due	Funding will be split: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$5M for loans to local agencies for water efficiency upgrades • \$5M for loans to customers for onsite projects or leak repairs
DWR IRWM: Implementation Grants (Proposition 1)	\$418M statewide \$98M for LA Region	TBD	Projects and programs that support IRWM.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water reuse & recycling • Water conservation • Surface storage/GW recharge • Conjunctive use • Water conveyance • Watershed restoration/protection • SW resource management • Desalination • WQ improvements 	In development	TBD: Round 1 solicitation for implementation grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public comment period ended April 8, 2016

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DWR IRWM: Planning Grants (Proposition 1)	\$5M	\$5M (expected)	Projects and programs that support IRWM.	Planning projects that accomplish: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of an IRWM plan that meets the IRWM Plan Standards • Compliance with recent legislation • Improvement of an existing IRWM plan. 	Round 1 Solicitation opening soon	SOLICITATION OPEN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding can be applied to new or existing IRWMPs
DWR IRWM: DAC Involvement (Proposition 1)	\$51M statewide \$9.8 for LA Region	\$51M (expected)	Projects and programs that support IRWM.	Projects ensuring DAC involvement in IRWM planning efforts, including but not limited to eligible projects described in the Implementation Grant list.	Round 1 Solicitation opening soon	SOLICITATION OPEN	No solicitation – there will be a single proposal for each of the 12 Funding Areas.
USBOR Grants – See Attached							
USEPA Water and Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) Program	\$20M minimum project size for large communities \$5M minimum project size for small communities (<25,000)	Funding available now 49% maximum portion of eligible project costs that WIFIA can fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local, state, tribal and federal government entities • Partnerships and joint ventures • Corporations and trusts • Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wastewater conveyance and treatment projects • Drinking water treatment and distribution projects • Enhanced energy efficiency projects at drinking water and wastewater facilities • Desalination, aquifer recharge and water recycling projects • A combination of eligible projects secured by a common security pledge or submitted under one application by an SRF program. 	EPA announces WIFIA funding availability and application process details in the Federal Register and on its website (www.epa.gov/wifa)	Solicitation Closed TBD: Grant Award	<p>NEPA, Davis-Bacon, American Iron and Steel and all federal cross-cutter provisions apply.</p> <p>Includes acquisition of property if it is integral to the project or will mitigate the environ. impact of a project.</p>

WaterSMART Program Funding Opportunities –Proposed for Fiscal Year 2018

Program Title	Description	Eligible Applicants	Federal Funding Amount / Non-Federal Cost Share	Current Status
Water Conservation Field Services Program	Funding is provided for pre-project activities such as planning and design to support water conservation and water efficiency programs. The four categories of pre-project activities are performing System Optimization Reviews, designing water management improvements, demonstration of innovative technologies, and development of water management plans.	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States	Up to \$100,000 for projects to be completed within two years.	Status of the FOA FOA to be posted in October 2017 and Applications around Mid-December 2017.
WaterSMART Grants	<u>Water and Energy Efficiency Grants</u> Projects that seek to conserve and use water more efficiently, increase the use of renewable energy and improve energy efficiency, benefit endangered and threatened species, facilitate water markets, or carry out other activities to address climate-related impacts on water or prevent any water-related crisis or conflict	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States	Up to \$300,000 for projects to be completed within two years; or Up to \$1,000,000 for projects to be completed within three years Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA FOA to be posted in November-December 2017 and Applications will be due in January 2018.
	<u>Small-Scale Water Efficiency Projects</u> This new funding category will be used to support small-scale water management projects that have been identified through previous planning efforts; Reclamation is working to develop a streamlined selection and review process to make the process as simple as possible for applicants.	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States	Up to \$75,000 for projects to be completed within two years; Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA FOA to be posted in November-December 2017 and Applications will be due in January 2018..

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	<p><u>Grants for Water Marketing Activities</u> Support for entities exploring actions that can be taken to develop or facilitate water marketing that could provide a mechanism for willing participants to buy, sell, lease, or exchange water.</p>	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States	Two funding groups, one for proposals seeking up to \$200,000 in federal funds and another for proposals seeking up to \$400,000; Cost Share: 50% or greater	<u>Status of the FOA</u> FOA posted February 14, 2017. Applications due April 19. Announcements expected in August.
Cooperative Watershed Management Program	Funding will be provided for Phase I activities, including the establishment or expansion of an existing watershed group	States, Indian tribes, local and special districts (e.g., irrigation and water districts), local governmental entities, and non-profit organizations that are located in the western United States	Up to \$50,000 may be awarded to an applicant per year, for a period of up to two years Cost Share: No non-Federal cost-share required for Phase I activities	<u>Status of the FOA</u> FOA will be posted in early fall (October 2017). Applications will be due in December 2017.
	Funding will be provided for Phase II activities, for watershed management projects.	Established watershed groups that represent a diverse group of stakeholders, have completed a watershed restoration plan, and are capable of promoting the sustainable use of water resources.	Up to \$100,000 for projects Cost Share: 50% or greater	<u>Status of the FOA</u> FOA will be posted in Spring (March 2018).
Landscape Conservation Cooperatives	Applied science projects that enhance the management of natural and cultural resources and have a nexus to water resource management in a changing climate within the Desert and Southern Rockies LCCs boundaries	States (including state agencies), tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, organizations with water or power delivery, universities, non-profit research organizations, and non-profit organizations	Up to \$100,000 for projects to be completed within two years Cost Share: 50% or greater	<u>Status of the FOA</u> TBD.

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Basin Studies	Through the Basin Studies, Reclamation works with States, Indian tribes, local partners, and other stakeholders in a cooperative manner to evaluate the ability to meet future water demands within a river basin and to identify adaptation and mitigation strategies to address the potential impacts of climate change	States, tribes, water districts, cities, and other local governmental entities with water delivery or management authority located in the western United States	Basin Studies are not a financial assistance program Reclamation Cost Share: 50% Non-Federal Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA Request for Letters of Intent is usually sent out in November and due in January 2018.
Title XVI	Funding for planning, design, and construction of congressionally authorized water recycling and reuse projects	Sponsors of water reclamation and reuse projects specifically authorized for funding under Title XVI of Public Law 102-575	Typically up to \$4,000,000 per applicant Cost Share: 75% or greater	Status of the FOA TBD in Fall 2017 or Spring 2018
	Funding for development of new Title XVI feasibility studies	Entities with water delivery authority, all located within the 17 western States or Hawaii	Up to \$150,000 for feasibility studies to be completed within 18 months; or up to \$450,000 for feasibility studies to be completed within 3 years Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA TBD in Fall 2017 or Spring 2018
	Funding for Title XVI water reuse research	Entities with water delivery authority, all located within the 17 western States or Hawaii	Up to \$75,000 for planning related research, \$150,000 for research at existing facilities, and \$300,000 for research at new locations. Cost Share: 75% or greater	Status of the FOA TBD in Fall 2017 or Spring 2018.

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Title XVI (cont)	Funding for planning, design, and construction of WIIN water recycling projects	Sponsors of water recycling projects with completed feasibility studies that have been included in a list of eligible applicants provided to Congress.	Cost Share: 75% or greater	Status of the FOA TBD in Fall 2017 or Spring 2018.
Drought Response Program	<u>Drought Contingency Plans</u> Reclamation will provide financial assistance through cooperative agreements to develop or update drought contingency plans. Plans must include input and participation by multiple stakeholders and identify potential drought mitigation and response actions to build long-term resilience to drought.	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the Reclamation States or Hawaii.	Up to \$200,000 to develop a drought contingency plan or to update an existing plan Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA FOA posted November 15, 2016. Applications were due on February 14, 2017. Announced on June 30, 2017.
	<u>Drought Resiliency Projects</u> Reclamation will provide financial assistance to implement projects that build long-term resiliency to drought.	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States or United States Territories.	Up to \$750,000 to implement projects that will build long-term resiliency to drought Cost Share: 50% or greater	Status of the FOA FOA posted November 15, 2016. Applications were due on February 14, 2017. Announced on June 30, 2017.
	<u>Emergency Drought Response Actions</u> Reclamation will continue to fund emergency drought response actions to address ongoing drought emergencies contingent on available funding.	Same as above. In addition, the applicant needs an existing drought contingency plan on file or a state governor or tribal leader drought declaration. Assistance must be requested in writing.	Up to \$100,000 in Federal funds will be made available for each emergency response action. A non-Federal cost-share is not required; however, requests that include a non-Federal cost-share contribution will receive additional points in the evaluation criteria	Assistance is available through written request.



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WaterSMART Drought Response Program: Drought Contingency Planning
Grants for Fiscal Year 2018
Department of the Interior
Bureau of Reclamation

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Opportunity Category Explanation:

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 5

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Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,250,000

Award Ceiling: \$200,000

Award Floor: \$0

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the Reclamation States or Hawaii.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Agency Name: Bureau of Reclamation

Description: The objective of this FOA is to invite states, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, and other organizations with water or power delivery authority to leverage their money and resources by cost sharing Drought Contingency Planning with Reclamation to build resilience to drought in advance of a crisis. Applicants under this FOA may request funding to develop a new drought plan or to update an existing drought plan (collectively, Drought Contingency Plans). Applicants may also request technical assistance from Reclamation for the development of elements of the Drought Contingency Plan (Project).

Link to Additional Information: For further information on the Drought Response Program, including information on funding for Drought Resiliency Projects

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Bureau of Reclamation

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Opportunity Category Explanation:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
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Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,250,000
Award Ceiling:	\$750,000
Award Floor:	\$0

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the Western United States or United States Territories as identified in the Reclamation Act of June 17, 1902, as amended.

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Description: The objective of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to invite states, tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, and other organizations with water or power delivery authority to leverage their money and resources by cost sharing with Reclamation on Drought Resiliency Projects that will increase the reliability of water supplies; improve water management; and provide benefits for fish, wildlife, and the environment to mitigate impacts caused by drought.

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