

Federal Flood Risk Management Resources

Resources Information

Agency: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Resource: (EPA) Drinking Water and Clean Water State Revolving Loan Funds

Overview: Federal/state partnership where states provide loans for wide range of water quality and public health projects, including storm water management, infrastructure improvements at wastewater and drinking water treatment facilities, water conservation & reuse, watershed protection and management, purchase land for buffers to protect drinking water sources, emergency back-up power, and planning and design. Loans may be used to increase a utility's resiliency to disasters. A 2019 MOU establishes framework for State Revolving Funds to meet cost-sharing requirements or, after disaster declarations, provide interim financing for FEMA-funded projects.

Funding Info:

- Low interest loans
- States are required to match EPA funding.
- Assistance recipients are not required to match, although they must have dedicated source of repayment.
- Grants and principal forgiveness available.
- Technical assistance and training

Resource Website(s): [Drinking Water State Revolving Funds](#)
[Clean Water State Revolving Fund \(SRF\)](#)

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