

Hawaii Water and Wastewater Funding Sources
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Hawaii Department of Health (HDOH)	Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) <i>(water)</i>	✓			This program provides low-interest loans to Hawaii's regulated Public Water Systems for capital improvements to drinking water infrastructure projects. These projects help achieve or maintain compliance with drinking water standards, protect public health, and protect the environment.	Applicant must request a project ranking prior to submitting a Project Report. Applications and instructions can be accessed on the website.	http://health.hawaii.gov/sdwb/drinking-water-state-revolving-fund/	Safe Drinking Water Branch Environmental Management Division sdwb@doh.hawaii.gov 808-586-4258 Hawaii Department of Health Uluakupu Building 4 2385 Waimano Home Road, Suite 110 Pearl City, Hawaii 96782
	Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program (CWSRF) <i>(wastewater)</i>	✓	✓		This program assists in financing the construction of water pollution control projects necessary to prevent contamination of groundwater and coastal water resources, and to protect and promote the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the State of Hawaii. The program provides low-interest loans to county and state agencies to construct point source and nonpoint source water pollution control projects.	Applicant must request a project ranking prior to submitting a Project Report. Applications and instructions can be accessed on the website.	http://health.hawaii.gov/wastewater/home/cwsrf/	Wastewater Branch Environmental Management Division doh.wwb@doh.hawaii.gov 808-586-4294 Hawaii Department of Health 2827 Waimano Home Road, Room 207 Pearl City, Hawaii 96782
	Clean Water Act 604(b) Water Quality Planning Grants (CWSRF) <i>(ambient surface water, wastewater, nonpoint source)</i>	✓			Section 604(b) of the Clean Water Act provides funding to assist States and Regional Public Comprehensive Planning Organizations (Counties) in administering water quality management planning. States are required to allocate at least 40% of funds awarded to eligible counties. Plans must be approved by the EPA.	Contact the Clean Water Branch for information. Only counties are eligible.	N/A	Clean Water Branch cleanwaterbranch@doh.hawaii.gov 808-586-4309 Hawaii Department of Health 2827 Waimano Home Road, Room 225 Pearl City, Hawaii 96782
	Polluted Runoff Control Program (PRCP): 319(h) Nonpoint Source Grants <i>(nonpoint source)</i>	✓			The PRCP administers grant money it receives from the EPA through Section 319(h) of the Clean Water Act to reduce and prevent nonpoint source (NPS) pollution and improve water quality. Fifty percent of Section 319(h) grant funds (approximately \$600,000 annually) supports the implementation of watershed-based plans, which includes NPS pollution control projects, education and outreach, and water quality monitoring. A small portion of 319(h) grant funds goes towards developing watershed-based plans and total maximum daily load implementation plans.	A request for proposals (RFPs) soliciting NPS control projects in watersheds with PRCP-approved watershed plans is released annually. State and local government agencies can work directly with the PRCP to develop and implement NPS control projects.	https://health.hawaii.gov/cwb/clean-water-branch-home-page/polluted-runoff-control-program/319-grant-program/	Polluted Runoff Control Program cleanwaterbranch@doh.hawaii.gov 808-586-4309 State of Hawaii Department of Health 2827 Waimano Home Road, Hale Ola Room 225 Pearl City, Hawaii 96782
US EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)	Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation (WIFIA) <i>(water, wastewater)</i>	✓	✓	✓	The Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act of 2014 established a federal credit program administered by EPA for eligible water and wastewater infrastructure projects. The WIFIA program offers loans with low, fixed interest rates and flexible financial terms. The minimum project size for small communities, with a population of 25,000 or less, is \$5,000,000.	The application process has two phases. Submit a letter of interest to the WIFIA program by the annual deadline. For selected projects, submit an application, negotiate loan terms, and close the loan.	https://www.epa.gov/wifia	Karen Fligger wifia@epa.gov 202-564-2992 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest Mailcode 4201T Washington, District of Columbia 20460
	Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act: Assistance for Small and Disadvantaged Communities Drinking Water Grant <i>(water)</i>	✓			The program supports drinking water projects and activities in small and disadvantaged communities that are unable to finance projects to comply with drinking water regulations under the Safe Drinking Water Act. Projects and activities eligible for assistance can include infrastructure projects; technical, managerial, and financial capacity building activities; and activities necessary for a state to respond to a contaminant.	Communities will apply to their respective state program for assistance. Applications will be available in the upcoming weeks and accepted on a rolling basis until June 2020.	https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-assistance-small-and-disadvantaged-communities-drinking-water-grant	For state contact information (<i>coming soon</i>), visit: https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/drinking-water-grants



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USDA (US Department of Agriculture) Rural Development	Water and Waste Disposal Loan and Grant Program <i>(water, wastewater)</i>	✓	✓		Provides funding for clean and reliable drinking water systems to households and businesses in eligible rural areas and towns with fewer than 10,000 people.	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. Paper applications are accepted, or applicants can register for and use RD Apply. Information is available here: http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/rd-apply	http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-waste-disposal-loan-grant-program/hi	Donald Etes donald.etes@hi.usda.gov 808-933-8317 Room 311, Federal Building 154 Waianuenue Avenue Hilo, Hawaii 96720
	Water and Waste Disposal Guaranteed Loan Program <i>(water, sewer)</i>	✓	✓		The purpose of this program is to provide a loan guarantee for the construction or improvement of water and waste disposal projects serving the financially needy communities of rural areas and towns with populations of 10,000 or less. This is achieved through bolstering the existing private credit structure through the guarantee of quality loans. Guarantees up to 90% available to eligible lenders.		http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-waste-disposal-loan-guarantees/hi	
	Water and Waste Disposal Predevelopment Planning Grants <i>(water, wastewater)</i>	✓	✓		This program assists low-income communities with the initial planning and development of an application for USDA Rural Development Water and Waste Disposal direct loan/grant and loan guarantee programs. The maximum is \$30,000 or 75% of the predevelopment planning costs.	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. Paper applications are accepted, or applicants can register for and use RD Apply. Information is available here: http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/rd-apply	http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-waste-disposal-predevelopment-planning-grants/hi	Donald Etes donald.etes@hi.usda.gov 808-933-8317 Room 311, Federal Building 154 Waianuenue Avenue Hilo, Hawaii 96720
	Special Evaluation Assistance for Rural Communities and Households (SEARCH) <i>(water, wastewater)</i>	✓	✓		This program assists very small, financially distressed rural communities with predevelopment feasibility studies, design assistance, and technical assistance on proposed water and waste disposal projects.		https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/search-special-evaluation-assistance-rural-communities-and-households/hi	
	Emergency Community Water Assistance Grants <i>(water)</i>	✓	✓		This program helps eligible communities prepare for, or recover from, an emergency that threatens the availability of safe, reliable drinking water for households and businesses.		http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/emergency-community-water-assistance-grants/hi	
	Business and Industry Guaranteed Loan <i>(small business)</i>	✓	✓	✓	This program improves the economic health of rural communities by increasing access to business capital through loan guarantees that enable commercial lenders to provide affordable financing for businesses in eligible rural areas. Lenders such as federal or state-chartered banks, savings and loans, farm credit banks, and credit unions can apply for the program. Businesses can qualify for loan guarantees.	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and can be sent via mail. Contact your local state office to apply.	https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/business-industry-loan-guarantees/hi	Denise Oda denise.oda@hi.usda.gov 808-933-8323 Room 311, Federal Building 154 Waianuenue Avenue Hilo, Hawaii 96720
	Water and Waste Disposal Revolving Fund <i>(water, wastewater)</i>			✓	This program helps qualified nonprofits create revolving loan funds that can provide financing to extend and improve water and waste disposal systems in rural areas.	Contact the Rural Development program specialist in your state or see contact information.	https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-waste-disposal-revolving-loan-funds/hi	Derek Jones derek.jones@wdc.usda.gov 202-720-9640 1400 Independence Avenue Southwest Washington, District of Columbia 20250



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Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)	Non-Entitlement Community Development and Block Grants (CDBG) in Hawaii (water, sewer)	✓			The Non-Entitlement CDBG Grants in Hawaii offer a source of financing allotted for the economic development, housing rehabilitation, public facilities rehabilitation, construction or installation for the benefit of low-to moderate-income persons, or to aid in the prevention of slums.		https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/cdbg-hud-administered/	Mark Chandler mark.a.chandler@hud.gov 808-457-4678 1132 Bishop Street, Suite 1400 Honolulu, Hawaii 968130
	Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grant (NHHBG) (water, sewer)	✓			The use of NHHBG funds is limited to eligible affordable housing activities for low-income (not exceeding 80% of the median income for the area) native Hawaiians eligible to reside on Hawaiian home lands. Eligible activities include new construction, rehabilitation, acquisition, infrastructure, and various support services. Housing can be either rental or home-ownership. NHHBG funds can also be used for certain types of community facilities if the facilities serve eligible residents of affordable housing.	Contact local HUD Field Office with questions or inquires.	https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/public_indian_housing/ih/codetalk/online/nhhbgprogram	Claudine Allen claudine.c.allen@hud.gov 808-457-4674 1132 Bishop Street, Suite 1400 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce	Public Works (water, sewer)	✓	✓		Empowers distressed communities to revitalize, expand, and upgrade their physical infrastructure, and generate or retain long-term, private-sector jobs and investment.	Application packages are available at www.grants.gov. Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis until the publication of a new EDA Programs Federal Funding Opportunity.	https://www.eda.gov/funding-opportunities/	Herbert Thweatt hthweatt@eda.gov 808-541-3391 300 Ala Moana Boulevard, Room 5180 Honolulu, Hawaii 96850
	Economic Adjustment (water, sewer)	✓	✓		Assists state and local interests in designing and implementing strategies to adjust or bring about change to an economy. The program focuses on areas that have experienced or are under threat of serious structural damage to the underlying economic base.			
National Rural Water Association (NRWA)	NRWA Revolving Loan Fund (water, wastewater)	✓	✓		The Rural Water Loan Fund (RWLF) is a funding program specifically designed to meet the unique needs of small water and wastewater utilities. The RWLF provides low-cost loans for short-term repair costs, small capital projects, or pre-development costs associated with larger projects. The RWLF was established through a grant from the USDA/RUS (Rural Utilities Service), and repaid funds used to replenish the fund and make new loans.	Applications can be accessed on website. Applications and supporting documents can be sent by mail or email.	http://nrwa.org/initiatives/revolving-loan-fund/	Mahana Gomes hrwaoffice@hawaiiirwa.org 808-315-8925 65-1158 Mamalahoa Highway, Suite 2D Kamuela, Hawaii 96743
CoBank	Rural Water and Wastewater Lending (water, wastewater)	✓	✓	✓	CoBank works with rural water and wastewater not-for-profit systems, municipalities, and investor-owned utility companies to provide interim and bridge financing, refinance of existing debt, term loans for system upgrades, and lines of credit.	Applications are accepted continuously. To apply, complete an online Loan Request Form from webiste.	http://www.cobank.com/About-CoBank/Industries-We-Serve/Water.aspx	Bryan Ervin ervinb@cobank.com 303-740-4377 6340 South Fiddlers Green Circle Greenwood Village, Colorado 80111
US Army Corp of Engineers	Section 595 – Water/Wastewater Improvements (water)	✓			Section 595 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1999, as amended, provides authority for the Corps to provide design and construction assistance. This assistance is to non-federal interests in rural Montana, Idaho, and Nevada for water-related environmental infrastructure and resources protection and development projects.	Send a letter of interest (LOI) to the Corps stating the problem, potential solution, and general understanding that this program is a 75/25 reimbursable cost-share.	www.nww.usace.army.mil	Karen Kelly karen.l.kelly@usace.army.mil 509-527-7248 201 North 3rd Avenue Walla Walla, Washington 99362



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Small Business Administration (SBA)	504 Fixed Asset Program (Certified Development Company) <i>(small business)</i>			✓	The 504 Loan Program provides approved small businesses with long-term, fixed-rate financing used to acquire fixed assets for expansion or modernization. 504 loans are made available through Certified Development Companies (CDCs), SBA's community-based partners for providing 504 Loans.	For additional eligibility criteria and loan application requirements contact your local CDC.	https://www.sba.gov/offices/headquarters/ofa/resources/4049	Jane Sawyer jane.sawyer@sba.gov 808-541-2990 500 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 1-306 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
	7(a) Loan Guarantee <i>(small business)</i>			✓	This program can be used to finance a variety of business purposes. The proceeds may be used to purchase machinery, fixtures, and supplies; make improvements to land and buildings; finance receivables and augment working capital; acquire and start businesses; and refinance existing debt under certain conditions. The maximum loan amount is \$5 million. There is no minimum amount. Other, more specialized 7(a) programs have different terms and guaranty amounts.	Borrowers must submit SBA Form 1919 for a 7(a) business loan to private lenders. The lender will review the application, complete SBA Form 1920, and then submit it to the SBA's Loan Guaranty Processing Center through SBA's E-Tran website.	https://www.sba.gov/document/?program=7(a)	Jane Sawyer jane.sawyer@sba.gov 808-541-2990 500 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 1-306 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
	Community Advantage Pilot <i>(small business)</i>			✓	This pilot initiative aims at increasing the number of SBA 7(a) lenders who reach underserved communities, targeting mission-focused financial institutions which were previously not able to offer SBA loans. The maximum loan size is \$250,000. Guarantee can be up to 85% for loans up to \$150,000 and 75% for those greater than \$150,000.	All small business applicants must complete SBA Form 1919, Borrower Information Form, and 2449, Community Advantage Addendum. Lenders must complete SBA Form 1920.	https://www.sba.gov/document/?program=7(a)	Jane Sawyer jane.sawyer@sba.gov 808-541-2990 500 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 1-306 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
	Microloan Program <i>(small business)</i>			✓	Assists women, low-income, veteran, and minority entrepreneurs, and other small businesses in need of small amounts of financial assistance. Under the Microloan Program, SBA makes direct loans to Intermediaries that, in turn, use the proceeds to make small loans to eligible micro-borrowers.	For additional information on eligibility criteria, loan application requirements, participating micro-lenders please visit website	https://www.sba.gov/tools/local-assistance	
Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC)	USDA & EPA Technical Assistance Grants <i>(water, wastewater, solid waste)</i>	✓	✓		RCAC works with rural water, wastewater, and solid waste systems to make them sustainable. Our services are directed to small, low-income communities in rural areas and Native communities to ensure that they comply with state and federal regulations. The five core service areas are capacity building, technical assistance, advocacy, training, and access to resources. Funding is provided by EPA, USDA, and HDOH.	Refer to website	https://www.rcac.org/programs-services/#section-1	Refer to website
	Household Waterwell Grant/Loan Program <i>(household wells)</i>	✓	✓		Low interest rate loan program to assist individual households in the refurbishing, replacement, or construction of a household water well system. This program is supported by a grant from the USDA, Rural Utilities Service.	Refer to website	https://www.rcac.org/lending/household-water-well-loans/	Refer to website
	Environmental Infrastructure Loans <i>(water, wastewater)</i>	✓	✓		Financing to construct, improve, or expand the supply of safe drinking water and waste disposal systems in the rural West. Short-term loans are available for feasibility studies (e.g., preliminary engineering reports or environmental reports); pre-development planning (engineering, legal, bound counsel); and construction. Intermediate-term loans are available for up to twenty year terms. Long-term loans are also available from funding through USDA Rural Utilities Service Water and Waste Disposal Guaranteed Loan Program.	Refer to website	https://www.rcac.org/lending/environmental-loans/	Mike Carnes Central/Southern CA, HI (559) 802-3381 Fax: (559) 802-3391 Email: mcarnes@rcac.org



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Bureau of Reclamation	WaterSMART Water and Energy Efficiency Grants (water, power)	✓			Reclamation provides 50-50 cost-share funding to irrigation and water districts, tribes, states, and other entities with water or power delivery authority. Projects conserve and use water more efficiently; increase the production of hydropower; mitigate conflict risk in areas at a high risk of future water conflict; and accomplish other benefits that contribute to water supply reliability in the western United States.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/weeg/index.html	Joshua German jgerman@usbr.gov 303-445-2839 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	WaterSMART Water Marketing Strategy Grants (water)	✓			Reclamation provides assistance to states, tribes, and local governments to conduct planning activities to develop water marketing strategies that establish or expand water markets or water marketing activities between willing participants, in compliance with state and federal laws.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/watermarketing/index.html	Avra Morgan aomorgan@usbr.gov 303-445-2906 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	WaterSMART Small-Scale Water Efficiency Projects (water, power)	✓			Reclamation provides 50-50 cost-share funding to irrigation and water districts, tribes, states, and other entities with water or power delivery authority for small water efficiency improvements that have been identified through previous planning efforts. Projects eligible for funding include installation of flow measurement or automation in a specific part of a water delivery system, lining of a section of a canal to address seepage, or other similar projects that are limited in scope.	Small-Scale Water Efficiency Projects Funding Opportunity for FY 2020. It closes on March 4, 2020.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/sweep/index.html	Robin Graber rgraber@usbr.gov 303-445-2766 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	Desalination (water)	✓			The Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act provides new authority to Reclamation to develop a desalination construction program that will provide a path for ocean or brackish water desalination projects to receive federal funding. Reclamation is developing a new WaterSMART Desalination Construction Program to allocate funding for desalination projects through a competitive grant program in 2018.	Feasibility studies for desalination projects must meet the requirements contained in Reclamation Manual Directives and Standards WTR 11-01 (https://www.usbr.gov/recman/wtr/wtr11-01.pdf). A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/desalination/index.html	Amanda Erath aerath@usbr.gov 303-445-2766 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	WaterSMART Basin Studies (water)	✓			Basin Studies are collaborative studies, cost-shared with non-federal partners, to evaluate water supply and demand and help ensure reliable water supplies by identifying strategies to address imbalances in water supply and demand.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/bsp/index.html	Amanda Erath aerath@usbr.gov 303-445-2766 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	Applied Science Grants (water, watershed management)	✓	✓		Through WaterSMART, Reclamation has funding available for Applied Science Grants. This funding opportunity seeks proposals to develop tools and information to support the management of water resources for multiple uses. Projects funded under Applied Science Grants inform how drought impacts water management, develop tools and information to inform watershed management, and develop platforms to improve access and use of water resources data by resource managers in the West.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/appliedscience/index.html	Avra Morgan aomorgan@usbr.gov 303-445-2906 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225



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Bureau of Reclamation, continued	Cooperative Watershed Management (watershed management)	✓	✓		The Cooperative Watershed Management Program (CWMP) contributes to the WaterSMART strategy by providing funding to watershed groups. This funding encourages diverse stakeholders to form local solutions addressing their water management needs.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/cwmp/index.html	Avra Morgan aomorgan@usbr.gov 303-445-2906 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	Drought Response Program (water)	✓			The Bureau of Reclamation's Drought Response Program supports a proactive approach to drought by providing assistance to water managers to develop and update comprehensive drought plans, and implement projects that will build long-term resiliency to drought. Program areas include contingency planning, resiliency projects, and emergency response actions.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/drought/	Darion Mayhorn dmayhorn@usbr.gov 303-445-3121 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
	Water Conservation Field Services Program (water)	✓			Reclamation is in the process of updating the Water Conservation Field Services Program and has issued a temporary Reclamation Manual Release. The goal of this Temporary Reclamation Manual Release (TRMR) Directive and Standard is to ensure consistency and efficiency in the process the Bureau of Reclamation uses to carry out financial assistance as part of the Water Conservation Field Services Program. This TRMR provides that financial assistance will be available under the WCFSP for water conservation planning, development of system optimization reviews, designing water management improvements, and demonstration projects.	A Funding Opportunity Announcement will be posted at the website.	https://www.usbr.gov/waterconservation/	Josh German jgerman@usbr.gov 303-445-3121 Building 67 (84-51000) P.O. Box 25007 Denver, Colorado 80225
USDA National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)	Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act (PL-566) (watershed management)	✓			Through the PL-566 Program, NRCS works with sponsors to plan and implement projects to prevent damage from erosion, floodwater, and sediment; to further conservation, development, utilization, and disposal of water; and to further conservation and proper utilization of land. Sponsors are responsible for land rights, permits, public participation, project fiscal and technical management, and operation and maintenance.	Refer to website or contact.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detailfull/national/technical/econ/stateresources/?cid=stelprdb1044074	Susan Kubo (808) 600-2921 susan.kubo@usda.gov
	Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) (conservation)	✓	✓	✓	Through RCPP, NRCS seeks to co-invest with partners to implement projects that demonstrate innovative solutions to conservation challenges, and provide measurable improvements and outcomes tied to the resource concerns they seek to address.	Refer to website.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/financial/rcpp/	Refer to website.
	Agricultural Management Assistance (AMA) (water, watershed management)		✓	✓	Support to construct or improve water management structures or irrigation structures; plant trees for windbreaks or to improve water quality; and mitigate risk through production diversification or resource conservation practices, including soil erosion control, integrated pest management, or transition to organic farming. Provides up to \$50,000 annually to address water management, water quality, and erosion control. Participants are not subject to the Food Security Act's Highly Erodible Land and Wetland Conservation Provisions.	Refer to website.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/national/programs/financial/ama/?cid=stelprdb1042016	Refer to website.



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USDA National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), continued	Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) (agricultural conservation)		✓	✓	Through EQIP, NRCS provides agricultural producers with financial resources and one-on-one help to plan and implement improvements, or what NRCS calls conservation practices, to provide cleaner water and air, healthier soil and better wildlife habitat, all while improving agricultural operations. Through EQIP, you can voluntarily implement conservation practices, and NRCS co-invests in these practices with you.	EQIP provides up to \$450,000 , over the life of the Farm Bill, to address existing resource concerns.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/national/programs/financial/eqip/?cid=stelprdb1044009	Refer to website.
	Conservation Innovation Grants (CIG) (water quality, conservation)	✓	✓	✓	CIG projects are competitive grants that drive public and private sector innovation in resource conservation. CIG projects inspire creative problem-solving that boosts production on farms, ranches, and private forests—ultimately, they improve water quality, soil health, and wildlife habitat.	Refer to website.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/financial/cig/	Refer to website.
	Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP) (conservation)			✓	✓	CSP plans helps Producers build on their existing conservation efforts while strengthening their operations. Whether the goal is improving grazing conditions, increasing crop resiliency, or developing a wildlife habitat, CSP plans can be custom-designed to help meet those goals. CSP plans can help identify natural resource problems in operations and provide technical and financial assistance to solve the problems, or attain higher stewardship levels in an environmentally beneficial and cost-effective manner. For example, plans look at ways to address the amount of soil lost; mitigate the impact of excess water; reduce the contribution of agricultural operations to airborne soil particles and greenhouse gas emissions; improve the cover, food, and water available for domestic and wildlife species; or promote energy efficiencies for on-farm activities. CSP offers financial incentives to Producers that maintain the level of conservation on the land and incorporate new or advanced conservation activities. Unlike with EQIP, it is not necessary to have an existing resource concern to qualify for CSP.	Refer to website.	https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/financial/csp/



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Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Grant Program <i>(flood control)</i>	✓	✓		FMA provides funding to states, territories, federally-recognized tribes, and local communities for projects and planning that reduces or eliminates long-term risk of flood damage to structures insured under the NFIP. FMA funding is also available for management costs. Funding is appropriated by Congress annually.	Check website for application information.	https://www.fema.gov/flood-mitigation-assistance-grant-program	Refer to website.
	Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) <i>(mitigation)</i>	✓	✓		The purpose of HMGP is to help communities implement hazard mitigation measures following a Presidential Major Disaster Declaration in the areas of the state, tribe, or territory requested by the Governor or Tribal Executive. The key purpose of this grant program is to enact mitigation measures that reduce the risk of loss of life and property from future disasters.	Check website for application information.	https://www.fema.gov/hazard-mitigation-grant-program	Refer to website.
	Pre-Disaster Mitigation/ Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities <i>(resiliency)</i>	✓	✓		This program assists states, territories, federally-recognized tribes, and local communities in implementing a sustained pre-disaster natural hazard mitigation program. The goal is to reduce overall risk to the population and structures from future hazard events, while also reducing reliance on federal funding in future disasters. This program awards planning and project grants and provides opportunities for raising public awareness about reducing future losses before disaster strikes. FEMA will be replacing this program in the near future with a new Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities program, which is currently being developed.	Check website for application information.	https://www.fema.gov/pre-disaster-mitigation-grant-program	Refer to website.
National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF), in partnership with National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) and others	National Coastal Resilience Fund <i>(conservation, resiliency)</i>	✓	✓	✓	The National Coastal Resilience Fund restores, increases, and strengthens natural infrastructure to protect coastal communities while also enhancing habitats for fish and wildlife. Established in 2018, the National Coastal Resilience Fund invests in conservation projects that restore or expand natural features such as coastal marshes and wetlands, dune and beach systems, oyster and coral reefs, forests, coastal rivers and floodplains, and barrier islands that minimize the impacts of storms and other naturally occurring events on nearby communities.	Apply to active RFPs on the website, additional information provided in the RFP and on the website.	https://www.nfwf.org/coastalresilience/Pages/home.aspx	Kaitly Goldsmith Manager, Marine Conservation kaitlin.goldsmith@nfwf.org
	Coral Reef Conservation Fund <i>(watershed management)</i>	✓	✓	✓	The Coral Reef Conservation Fund awards grants to reduce land-based sources of pollution, advance coral reef fishery management, support recovery and resiliency of coral reef systems, and improve watershed management planning. Since 2000 the program has supported reduction in sediment and nutrient runoff to reefs from agricultural runoff, sewage outfall, and erosion from bare soils, and worked to recover functional reef species from unsustainable harvest.	Apply to active RFPs on the website, additional information provided in the RFP and on the website.	https://www.nfwf.org/coralreef/Pages/home.aspx	Michelle Pico Program Director, Marine Conservation michelle.pico@nfwf.org
	Hawaii Conservation Program <i>(conservation)</i>	✓	✓	✓	The program goals are to restore and protect critical habitats, recover populations of native species, fill knowledge gaps, and increase conservation literacy through community engagement. This program will also engage communities in conservation through technical assistance to foster stewardship.	Check website for application information.	https://www.nfwf.org/hawaiiconservation/Pages/home.aspx	Jana Doi Manager, Alaska and Hawaii Program jana.doi@nfwf.org

