



# Loan and Grant Information

The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma's OWRM's Sustainable Communities Program has put together a reference packet of funding programs for infrastructure improvements and development of water treatment sectors. Links can be accessed through our online list by visiting [chocta.ws/sustainable-communities](https://chocta.ws/sustainable-communities) or scanning the QR code.

About the Choctaw Nation Water Resource Management Sustainable Communities Program:

The Sustainable Communities Program ensures safe, reliable water infrastructure for future generations by assisting local water providers. The team consists of infrastructure planners with extensive knowledge of water and wastewater operations and system information, and resource planners specializing in policy, funding opportunities, and office procedures that assist systems with all aspects of water system operations and record keeping. Training opportunities can be found at [chocta.ws/sustainable-communities](https://chocta.ws/sustainable-communities) or scanning the QR code.

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# OKLAHOMA WATER RESOURCES BOARD

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<p><b>Emergency Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/emergency-grants.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/emergency-grants.html</a></p>	Up to \$100,000; 15% local contribution required	Counties, towns, municipalities, public works authorities, rural water districts, water conservancy districts, rural sewage districts, irrigation districts, and school districts	Water supply reservoirs, rural water and sewer systems, water supply or distribution lines, water or wastewater treatment, wastewater collection systems, and related water or wastewater projects	Kelly Jasper, State Grants Administrator; 405.530.8800
<p><b>Rural Economic Action Plan (REAP) Grant</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/rural-economic-action-plan-grants.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/rural-economic-action-plan-grants.html</a></p>	Up to \$150,000; no match requirement	Cities, towns, and unincorporated areas with populations of 7,000 or less with priority given to communities of less than 1,750 or unincorporated areas less than 525 taps	Sewer line construction or repair, storm or sanitary sewer projects, water line construction or repair, water treatment systems, water acquisition, water distribution or recovery systems, and other water or wastewater projects	Kelly Jasper, State Grants Administrator; 405.530.8800
<p><b>Clean Water State Revolving Fund Loan Program (CWSRF)</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/clean-water-state-revolving-fund-loans.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/clean-water-state-revolving-fund-loans.html</a></p>	Up to 30-year terms	Counties, towns, municipalities, public works authorities, rural water districts, water conservancy districts, rural sewage districts, irrigation districts, and school districts	Project planning and design; construction of new wastewater facilities or the replacement or rehabilitation of existing facilities for primary, secondary, and advanced treatment; inflow and infiltration (I&I) correction; collector and interceptor sewers; combined sewer overflow correction, and related wastewater projects; nonpoint source projects; green infrastructure; water/energy efficiency projects; brownfields, and related stormwater pollution control projects, and source water protection	Jerri Hargis, Assistant Chief; 405.530.8800
<p><b>Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Loan Program (DWSRF)</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/drinking-water-state-revolving-fund-loans.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/drinking-water-state-revolving-fund-loans.html</a></p> <p><i>co-administered with the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality</i></p>	Up to 30-year term	Counties, towns, municipalities, public works authorities, rural water districts, and water conservancy districts	Water projects that include new construction, expansion, and rehabilitation of water facilities for drinking water treatment, supply, distribution, and storage. Refinancing existing debt obligations for such projects	Lori Johnson, Chief; 405.530.8800

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<p><b>Financial Assistance Loan Program</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/financial-assistance-program-loans.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/financial-assistance-program-loans.html</a></p>	Up to 30-year term	Counties, towns, municipalities, public works authorities, rural water districts, water conservancy districts, rural sewage districts, irrigation districts, and school districts	Water/wastewater facility expansion, replacement, improvement, and/or repair; dams, reservoirs, and other water storage projects; floodplain restoration and stream bank stabilization; storm sewer and drainage improvements, and refinancing of existing debt obligations for such projects	Lori Johnson, Chief; 405.530.8800
<p><b>Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Loan Program (DWSRF)</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/deq/divisions/water-quality/public-water-supply/dwsrf.html">https://oklahoma.gov/deq/divisions/water-quality/public-water-supply/dwsrf.html</a></p> <p><i>co-administered with the Oklahoma Water Resources Board</i></p>	Up to 30-year term	Counties, towns, municipalities, public works authorities, rural water districts, and water conservancy districts	Water projects that include new construction, expansion, and rehabilitation of water facilities for drinking water treatment, supply, distribution, and storage, refinancing existing debt obligations for such projects	Candy Thompson, P.E., Engineering Manager; 405.702.8104
<p><b>Capacity Development Program</b></p> <p><a href="https://oklahoma.gov/deq/divisions/water-quality/public-water-supply/capacity-development.html">https://oklahoma.gov/deq/divisions/water-quality/public-water-supply/capacity-development.html</a></p> <p><i>Administered by the ODEQ under the DWSRF Program</i></p>		All Oklahoma public water supplies are eligible though priority is offered to systems serving a population of <10,000 and those seeking funding through the DWSRF program	Free assistance with Capacity Development Assessments, AWWA Water Loss Audits, Asset Management Plans, Emergency Response Plans, and select financial, organizational, and technical templates	Lisa Stewart, Environmental Programs Manager; 405.702.8270
<p><b>Community Development Block Grants Economic Development Infrastructure Financing (EDIF)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/">https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/</a></p>		Units of general local government (incorporated towns, cities, and counties). Publicly owned and maintained improvements that will provide basic infrastructure services to a new or expanding business	Water and wastewater, transportation improvements, rehabilitation and new construction of publicly owned industrial buildings	Marshall Vogts, Director; 405.815.6552

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<p><b>Community Development Block Grants Water/Wastewater Engineering</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/">https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/</a></p>		<p>Units of general local government (incorporated towns, cities, and counties)</p>	<p>Water/Wastewater Engineering: This program is for applicants that require funds for engineering and construction costs associated with developing the water/wastewater project. An eligible application must contain an engineering component</p>	<p>Marshall Vogts, Director; 405.815.6552</p>
<p><b>Community Development Block Grants Water/Wastewater Phase I &amp; II</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/">https://www.okcommerce.gov/community-development/local-governments-edos/community-development-block-grant-programs/</a></p>		<p>Units of general local government (incorporated towns, cities, and counties)</p>	<p>Water/Wastewater Construction: This program is for applicants that are ready to begin construction on a water or wastewater project. CDBG funds may only be utilized for construction, inspection, and administration costs. Engineering costs are prohibited</p>	<p>Marshall Vogts, Director; 405.815.6552</p>

# U.S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<b>Water and Energy Efficiency Grants</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/weeg/">https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/weeg/</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, other organizations with water and power delivery authority	On-the-ground water management improvement projects that conserve water and address supply reliability that conserve and use water more efficiently, such as canal lining/piping; municipal metering; irrigation flow measurement, Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition and Automation (SCADA) and Irrigation Measures; and hydropower projects that are related to water management and delivery	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Small-Scale Water Efficiency Projects</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/swep/index.html">https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/swep/index.html</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts or other organizations with water or power delivery authority	Small water efficiency improvements that have been identified through previous planning efforts. Example projects include but are not limited to: Canal Lining/Piping, Municipal Metering, Irrigation Flow Measurement, Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) and Automation, and Irrigation Measures	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Large-Scale Water Recycling Projects</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/largescale/index.html">https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/largescale/index.html</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts or other organizations with water or power delivery authority	Planning, preliminary design, and environmental compliance activities	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Planning and Project Design Grants</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/projectdesign/index.html">https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/projectdesign/index.html</a>	.	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts or other organizations with water or power delivery authority	Water Strategy Grants, Project Design Grants and Drought Contingency Planning – site-specific final design of medium and large-scale on-the ground water supply construction (including domestic water supply project for Tribes, insular areas, and disadvantaged communities, water management construction, and restoration projects	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162

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<b>Title XVI &amp; Desalination WINN Act Programs</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/title/titlexvi.html">https://www.usbr.gov/watersmart/title/titlexvi.html</a>	Funding solicitations announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the western United States are eligible to apply under the program. Applicants must have a completed Title XVI Feasibility Study that Reclamation has reviewed and found to meet all requirements of Reclamation Manual Release WTR 11-01	Research, planning, design, and/or construction of activities supporting a project that involves the treatment of an impaired water source for beneficial use purposes. Impaired source water may include treated effluent emanating from agriculture, municipal, or industrial operations; storm water, or other sources impaired by naturally occurring contaminants such as radionuclides, heavy metals, etc. Beneficial uses may include potable water or non-potable uses such as landscape irrigation. Desalination activities include planning, design, and/or construction of an ocean or brackish water desalination project	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Small Surface and Groundwater Storage Projects</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/smallstorage/">https://www.usbr.gov/smallstorage/</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the Western U.S.	An eligible project must have water storage capacity of not less than 2,000 acre-feet and not more than 30,000 acre-feet and increase yield, on average, above existing conditions to identified beneficiaries and the environment	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Drought Resiliency Projects</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/drought/projects.html">https://www.usbr.gov/drought/projects.html</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations	States, Indian tribes, irrigation districts, water districts, or other organizations with water or power delivery authority located in the Western U.S.	On-the-ground projects and modeling tools that will increase water reliability and improve water management (e.g. infrastructure improvements and system modifications; storing water and/or recharging groundwater supplies; developing projects that provide protection for fish, wildlife, and the environment).	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162
<b>Native American Affairs Technical Assistance Program</b> <a href="https://www.usbr.gov/native/programs/TAPprogram.html">https://www.usbr.gov/native/programs/TAPprogram.html</a>	Funding solicitations are announced once per year depending on appropriations.	Federally recognized Indian Tribes	Water needs assessments; water management studies; short term water quality data collection and assessments; short term water measurement data collection and assessment; training for tribal staff in areas of water resources' development, management and protection; minor rehabilitation of existing tribal owned, water related structures and facilities; minor infrastructure installation projects such as efficient landscape irrigation or domestic/ stock wells; minor projects related to riparian or aquatic habitat with the goal to maintain or improve water quantity or water quality; developing basin plans.	Collins Balcombe, Planning & Project Development Manager; 512.899.4162

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<p><b>Pre-Development Planning Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-predevelopment-planning-grants">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-predevelopment-planning-grants</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Public bodies, nonprofit corporations, tribal governments and towns of up to 10,000 people and all rural areas	Assist applicants, without resources, in paying costs, such as engineering or environmental reports, associated with developing a complete application for a proposed water or wastewater project	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Emergency &amp; Imminent Community Water Assistance Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/emergency-community-water-assistance-grants">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/emergency-community-water-assistance-grants</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Public bodies, nonprofit corporations, and tribal governments in towns of up to 10,000 people and all rural areas.	Assist eligible applicants who have experienced a significant decline in quantity or quality of water, or in which such a decline is considered imminent, to obtain or maintain adequate quantities of water that meets Safe Drinking Water Act standards	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Native American Section 306C Water and Waste Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-grants-alleviate-health-risks-tribal-lands-and-colonias/ok">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-grants-alleviate-health-risks-tribal-lands-and-colonias/ok</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Federally recognized Native American tribes or public bodies and nonprofit organizations where 50 percent of those served are tribal members	Assist eligible applicants in developing or improving public water or wastewater facilities	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Rural Economic Development Zero-Interest Loans</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/business-programs/rural-economic-development-loan-grant-programs">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/business-programs/rural-economic-development-loan-grant-programs</a></p>	Up to \$740,000	Eligible electric and telecommunications utilities	Applicants provide zero interest loan to public or private projects for rural economic development and job creation, infrastructure, and community development projects	Brian Wiles, Business & Cooperative Programs Director; 405.742.1061

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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<p><b>Technical Assistance and Training Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-facilities/community-facilities-technical-assistance-and-training-grant">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-facilities/community-facilities-technical-assistance-and-training-grant</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Private non-profit organizations	Training and technical assistance programs designed to enhance the operation and maintenance of water and waste disposal facilities under 10,000 population	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Solid Waste Management Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/solid-waste-management-grants">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/solid-waste-management-grants</a></p>	Up to 100 % of eligible project costs	Nonprofit organizations and cooperatives, local governments, and Indian tribes	Evaluation of landfill conditions to determine threats to water resources. Providing technical assistance and/or training to help communities under 10,000 population reduce solid waste stream; enhance operator skill; and assist operators of landfills that are closed, or will soon be closed, with the development and implementation of plans for closing and future land use	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Water and Waste Disposal Loans and Grants</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-loan-grant-program">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-loan-grant-program</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Public bodies, nonprofit corporations, and tribal governments in towns of up to 10,000 people and all rural areas	Construction, installation, repair, improvement, and expansion of community water, wastewater, solid waste, and storm sewer systems including acquisition of land, water rights, legal fees, or engineering	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Guaranteed Water and Wastewater Loans</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-loan-guarantees">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/water-waste-disposal-loan-guarantees</a></p>		Nonprofit organizations, public bodies, and Indian tribes in towns where the population does not exceed 10,000 and all rural areas.	Construction, installation, repair, improvement and expansion of community water, wastewater, solid waste, and storm sewer systems including acquisition of land, water rights, legal fees, or engineering	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116
<p><b>Emergency Community Water Assistance Grant Mitigation Assistance</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/emergency-community-water-assistance-grants">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-environmental-programs/emergency-community-water-assistance-grants</a></p>	Annual Appropriation	Public bodies, nonprofit corporations, and tribal governments in towns of up to 10,000 people and all rural areas	Assist eligible applicants who have experienced a significant decline in quantity or quality of water, or in which such a decline is considered imminent, to obtain or maintain adequate quantities of water that meets Safe Drinking Water Act standards	Pamela Bensley, Community Programs Director; 580.889.6668 ext. 116

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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<b>Public Works and Development Facilities Grant Program</b>  <a href="https://www.eda.gov/funding/programs/public-works">https://www.eda.gov/funding/programs/public-works</a>	Average Grant: \$886,031	State, political subdivision of a state, Indian tribe, special-purpose unit of state and local government, or a nonprofit organization	Water and sewer facilities primarily serving industry and commerce; access roads to industrial parks or sites; port improvements; and business incubator facilities	Jessica Falk, Area Director; 512.381.8150

# OKLAHOMA RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<b>Oklahoma Rural Development Finance Corporation</b>  <a href="https://orwa.org/ordfc/">https://orwa.org/ordfc/</a>	Up to \$500,000	Public water and wastewater systems in Oklahoma	Pre-development (planning), equipment replacement, system upgrades, maintenance, and small capital projects	Brandon Bowman; 405.672.8925
<b>Oklahoma Rural Infrastructure Grant</b>  <a href="https://orwa.org/rig/">https://orwa.org/rig/</a>	\$100,000 with a %20 percent match through dollars or in-kind labor	Publicly-owned Oklahoma water and wastewater systems serving 3,300 or fewer people	Engineering work, new and existing source projects, hydrants, backup power generators, scada systems, billing software and systems, GIS mapping, laboratory upgrade, treatment projects, line extension, tank rehabilitation, water meters, financial auditing, customer meters, master/ inline meters, leak repair, storage projects, distribution valves, smore testing, lift stations, sanitary sewer evaluation study, manhole projects, & develop CMOM program	<a href="https://orwa.org/rig/">https://orwa.org/rig/</a>
<b>Rural Water Loan Fund (RWLF) Operated by the National Rural Water Association</b>  <a href="https://nrwa.org/members/products-services-portfolio/rural-water-loan-fund/">https://nrwa.org/members/products-services-portfolio/rural-water-loan-fund/</a>	\$200,000 or 75% or total project cost, whichever is less	Public entities (municipalities, counties, special purpose districts, Native American Tribes, nonprofit corporations and cooperatives) serving up to 10,000 persons, or in rural areas with no population limits	Pre-development (planning) costs for water or wastewater infrastructure projects, equipment replacement, system upgrades, maintenance, small capital projects, energy efficiency projects, disaster recovery and emergencies	Anthony Prince; 580.252.0629

# INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<b>Sanitation Facilities Construction Grant Program</b>  <a href="https://www.ihs.gov/dsfc/">https://www.ihs.gov/dsfc/</a>	Annual Appropriation	Federally recognized tribal members; and based on a Native American prorata share, town, and water districts under 10,000 population	Water/wastewater and solid waste facilities construction projects on an individual or community basis	Johnny B. Taylor, Director; 405.951.3782
<b>Emergency Funds Grant Program</b>	Annual Appropriation	Federally recognized tribal members; and based on a Native American prorata share, town, and water districts under 10,000 population	Water/wastewater and solid waste facilities construction	Johnny B. Taylor, Director; 405.951.3782

# OKLAHOMA MUNICIPAL ASSURANCE GROUP

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<b>OMAG Grants</b>  <a href="https://www.omag.org/grants-and-scholarships">https://www.omag.org/grants-and-scholarships</a>	Various matching fund grants; dollar amounts, and matching percentages vary per grant, per year.	OMAG members	Sanitary Sewer Root Control Grant, Sanitary Sewer Equipment Grant, Sanitary Sewer CCTV Grant Safety Equipment Grant, General Safety Equipment, Confined Space Equipment, Excavation Safety Equipment, Law Enforcement, & Body-Worn Video Camera	<a href="http://www.omag.org/grants-and-scholarships">www.omag.org/grants-and-scholarships</a>

# OKLAHOMA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT

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<b>Rural Economic Action Plan (REAP) Grant</b>  <a href="https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/rural-economic-action-plan-grants.html">https://oklahoma.gov/owrb/financing/rural-economic-action-plan-grants.html</a>	Amounts: Varies by Council of Government	Towns, cities, unincorporated areas, or other qualified entities with populations less than 7,000	Projects include, but are not limited to, water/wastewater system improvements; solid waste disposal; road and street construction or improvement; health care services and/or emergency medical care; and construction or improvement of telecommunication facilities	Kim Rose, Executive Director; 918.465.2367
<b>Community Resource Assistance Loan Program</b>	Provides technical assistance at no cost	Public bodies and private nonprofit corporations	Water/wastewater facility expansion, replacement, improvement, and/or repair.	Salvador Gandara, Regional CWISA Coordinator; 214.665.3194

# U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Grant/Loan Name & Link	Financing Details	Eligible Recipients	Eligible Activities	Contact
<p><b>Clean Water Act Indian Set-Aside Grant Program (CWISA)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.epa.gov/small-and-rural-wastewater-systems/clean-water-indian-set-aside-program">https://www.epa.gov/small-and-rural-wastewater-systems/clean-water-indian-set-aside-program</a></p>	Up to 100% of project costs (no grant match required)	Federally recognized Indian Tribes	Planning, design, and construction of wastewater projects including interceptor sewers, conventional or alternative wastewater treatment facilities, infiltration or inflow correction, collection sewers, major sewer rehabilitation, and on-site treatment (e.g., septic) systems	Salvador Gandara, Regional CWISA Coordinator; 214.665.3194
<p><b>Small &amp; Disadvantaged Communities Drinking Water Grant</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-small-underserved-and-disadvantaged-communities-grant-program-0">https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-small-underserved-and-disadvantaged-communities-grant-program-0</a></p>	States, as the receiving entity, are required to provide the 45% cost share. States may require some cost share from the communities receiving the assistance	ODEQ applies for the grant with a work plan of eligible projects.	Drinking Water Projects	Salvador Gandara, Regional CWISA Coordinator; 214.665.3194
<p><b>Drinking Water Tribal Set-Aside Grant Program</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.epa.gov/tribaldrinkingwater/drinking-water-infrastructure-grants-tribal-set-aside-program">https://www.epa.gov/tribaldrinkingwater/drinking-water-infrastructure-grants-tribal-set-aside-program</a></p>	Up to 100% of allowable project costs (No grant match required)	Federally recognized Indian tribes	Planning, design, and construction of drinking water treatment facilities including Disinfection, water storage / transmission / distribution, source water rehabilitation, and consolidation of water supplies	Salvador Gandara, Regional CWISA Coordinator; 214.665.3194
<p><b>Lead Testing in Schools &amp; Childcare Facilities Grant Program</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-voluntary-school-and-child-care-lead-testing-and-reduction-grant-program">https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-voluntary-school-and-child-care-lead-testing-and-reduction-grant-program</a></p>	Lead Testing Funding (no grant match required)	Schools and Childcare Facilities	Lead testing in schools and childcare facilities, outreach, education and training	Anisa Pjetrovic, Region 6 Coordinator; 214.665.3103
<p><b>Water Infrastructure Finance &amp; Innovation Act (WIFIA)</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.epa.gov/wifia">https://www.epa.gov/wifia</a></p>		WIFIA assistance can go to any state and will be awarded competitively based on letters of interest received for eligible, creditworthy projects. In making awards, EPA will consider geographic diversity	Clean Water SRF projects; Drinking Water SRF projects; enhanced energy efficiency projects at drinking water and wastewater facilities; brackish or seawater desalination, aquifer recharge, alternative water supply, and water recycling projects; etc.	Michael Vaughn, Environmental Protection Specialist; 214.665.7313