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Sent: Friday, August 19, 2022 11:00 AM
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Cc: Joey Steil
Subject: [EXT]RE: Updates & Questions - IRWM Prop 1, Round 2 - Please Respond.

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Please see responses to the Supplemental Questions for the Morro Bay IPR Project **in green** below. Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

Also, next Thursday is the 25th of August. Can you clarify if the meeting is on the 24th or 25th? Also, can project proponents attend the meeting or is intended to be just for the Working Group?

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Subject: Updates & Questions - IRWM Prop 1, Round 2 - Please Respond.

Thanks again for applying for the IRWM Prop 1, Round 2 Grant.

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A few status updates notes and questions for you to respond to in the next few days.

Status & Schedule Update:

- The Working Group is preparing for their upcoming meeting to recommend a suite of projects to move ahead in the application process.
- This meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 24th at 10am. We will be meeting in the conference room of the SLO City/County Library.
 - Your attendance is not required
- It is anticipated that the Working Group will recommend 3-5 projects for the application. From there, the schedule is anticipated to be:
 - RWMG, September 7th, 10am: The RWMG will be expected to vote to recommend this suite of projects to the Board of Supervisors.
 - WRAC, October 5th, 1:30pm: The WRAC will vote whether or not to recommend the suite of projects to the Board.
 - Board of Supervisors, Nov 8 or Dec 6, 9am: the BOS will consider authorizing the Director of Public works to file the application or not.
 - Application is due February 1, 2023 to DWR.

Supplemental Questions:

We acknowledge that since the initial project submittals in March, projects may have achieved milestones that could affect scoring. ***With that, can you please respond by Friday at Noon, August 19th to the following Questions:***

- 1) Since applying, has there been any update to the funding of the project? **Yes**
 - a. Specifically, has the project secured a non-State funding source? **The City just received notification that it will receive \$9.3M in grant funding from the United States Bureau of Reclamation Title XVI Program. This funding will pay for 25% of the ~\$40M total estimated costs for the IPR/Recycled Water components of the WRF Program (Advanced Treatment Processes, IPR pipeline, injection wells).**
- 2) Since applying, has there been any updates to the project permitting? **No formal updates. Coastal Development Permit for project has been obtained.**
 - a. For example, project secured CUP or encroachment permit.
- 3) Is your project subject to NEPA? Yes or no. **Yes**
 - a. If yes, is NEPA complete? **Yes**
- 4) What is the status of the design of the project? **Conceptual Design is underway, with Final Design anticipated to be completed in August 2023.**
 - a. What % plans are complete? **Approximately 10%**
- 5) Is there any change to the status of legal access / easements for the project, if applicable? **No formal updates. Legal access / easements have been obtained.**

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,



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