

Brendan Clark

From: Courtney Howard
Sent: Friday, August 19, 2022 9:50 AM
To: Brendan Clark
Cc: Joey Steil
Subject: RE: Updates & Questions - IRWM Prop 1, Round 2 - Please Respond.

Hi Brendan,
Please see answers in blue below.
Thank you,
Courtney



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From: Brendan Clark <BClark@co.slo.ca.us>
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2022 8:19 AM
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Subject: Updates & Questions - IRWM Prop 1, Round 2 - Please Respond.

Hi Courtney,

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

(This email has been sent to each submitting agency)

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?
 - a. Specifically, has the project secured a non-State funding source?

Yes, the Board approved local funding for the project on 6/7 and it is now fully funded.

- 2) Since applying, has there been any updates to the project permitting?
 - a. For example, project secured CUP or encroachment permit.

This project doesn't require permitting since it is a Decision Support Tool project.

- 3) Is your project subject to NEPA? Yes or no. No
 - a. If yes, is NEPA complete? N/A

- 4) What is the status of the design of the project? N/A, because it is not a construction project. However the project has been kicked off and the prototype tool "design" phase is scheduled for the last quarter of 2022 and first quarter of 2023.

- a. What % plans are complete?

- 5) Is there any change to the status of legal access / easements for the project, if applicable? N/A

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,



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