

San Luis Obispo County Regional Water Management Group (RWMG)

General Meeting

April 6, 2022
10:00 AM

SLO County New Government Center
Room D161/162



Today's Agenda

1. Introduction, Public Comment and Member Updates
2. General Program & Funding Updates
3. Project Selection Process
 - a) Call for Projects Readme
 - b) Scoring Metrics



San Luis Obispo County Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Region

***Introduction, Public Comment and
Member Updates***



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General Program & Funding Updates



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***Prop 1, Round 2 Grant
Call for Projects Final Review***



Prop. 1, Round 2 (P1R2) Grant Updates

Documents & Schedule

- Draft released 12/10
- Final Documents expected in late April

— Resource Documents

- Draft 2022 Guidelines
- Draft 2022 Proposal Solicitation Package
- Draft Attachment 1 Self Certification Form
- Draft Attachment 2 Work Plan
- Draft Attachment 3 Budget
- Draft Attachment 4 Schedule
- Draft Attachment 8 Project Selection
- Environmental Information Form
- Decision Support Tools in Proposition 1 IRWM Implementation

— Round 2 Solicitation Schedule and Key Dates

Tentative Schedule	Milestone or Activity
December 10, 2021	Draft Proposal Solicitation Package and Guidelines Released
January - February 2022	Public Comment Workshop(s)
February 8, 2022	Last Day of Public Comment



Prop. 1, Round 2 (P1R2) Grant Updates

Draft Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP) & Guidelines

- Sets Program Preferences and Priorities
- Eligible entities and projects
- Removed multiple time-intensive steps
- Scoring Criteria Reduced
- No CEQA or permitting requirement*
- Reimbursement starts at final award.
- Better recognizes SGMA

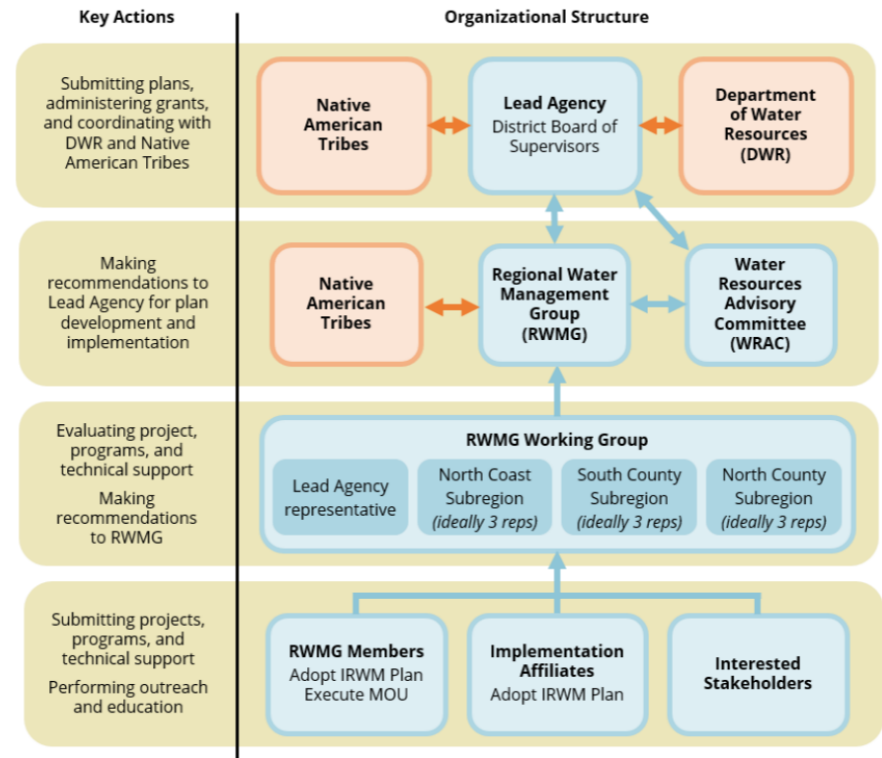
Staff will analyze Final docs for changes.



MOU and IRWM Plan Requirements

Memorandum of Understanding:

- Defines roles of Lead agency, WRAC, RWMG, RWMG Working Group, etc.
- Summarized in IRWM Plan Section 2.2



MOU and IRWM Plan Requirements

2019 IRWM Plan, Section 6.4 “Grant Opportunity Specific List”

1. Review Draft PSP at Regular RWMG Meeting.
2. Call for projects.
3. Project showcase.
4. Application Recommendation by RWMG Working Group.
5. Application Recommendation by RWMG.
6. Application Recommendation by WRAC.
7. Funding Area Workshops with DWR.*
8. Application approved by Board of Supervisors for submittal to DWR.



Review of Prop. 1, Round 1 Process

Details provided in attachment posted on website.

- Required submittal of PIF & presentation slides
- Call for projects in March, application due in December
- Included additional steps with DWR
- Slightly delayed in waiting for Final Guidelines and PSP
- Lessons learned:
 - Working Group participants
 - Local preferences



Local Project Selection Process

Documents:

- “Call for Projects” ReadMe
- Project Information Form (PIF)
- Objectives Worksheet
- Presentation Slides
 - Applicants provide this

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Name	Description
_Call-for-Projects-ReadMe-P1R2	Call for Projects ReadMe
_P1R2-Scoring-Metrics	Call for Projects Scoring Metrics
_Project Information Form-(PIF)	Project Information Form (Required)
_Objectives-and-Climate-Change-Worksheet	Objectives and Climate Change Worksheet (Required)



Local Project Selection Process

References

- Guidelines (Draft)
- Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP)
 - 4 Attachments
- Comment letter submitted by SLO to DWR
- IRWM Grant award summary to-date

P1R2-Guidelines-DRAFT-12-2021-(reference)	Draft guidelines for the Prop 1, Round 2 (P1R2) Implementation Grant (Reference)
P1R2-PSP-DRAFT-12-2021-(reference)	Draft Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP) for the Prop 1, Round 2 (P1R2) Implementation Grant (Reference)
Attachment1_SelfCertificationForm-(reference)	Draft PSP Attachment 1, Self Certification Form (Reference)
Attachment2_workplan-(reference)	Draft PSP Attachment 2, Work Plan (Reference)
Attachment3_Budget-Draft-(reference)	Draft PSP, Attachment 3, Budget (Reference)
Attachment4_Schedule-Draft-(reference)	Draft PSP, Attachment 4, Schedule (Reference)
Attachment7_ProjectSelectionProcessForm-(reference)	Draft PSP Attachment 7, Project Selection Process Form (Reference)
2022_02_17_P1R2-Draft_SLO-Comments-(reference)	SLO County Comments to Draft Guidelines and PSP (2/17/2022, Reference)
SLO-County-Grant-Award-Summary_March-2022-(Reference)	SLO County Grant Award Summary_March 2022 (Reference)



Local Project Selection Process

Review:

1. Staff - Eligibility (i.e. project type, completion date, etc.)
 - Any disagreements will be reviewed by Working Group
2. Working Group – Project scoring
3. Working Group – Application recommendation to RWMG
4. RWMG – Recommendation to BOS
5. WRAC – Recommendation to BOS, with applicants abstaining
6. BOS – Authorize PWD Director to file application



Local Project Selection Process

Scoring:

- PSP Scoring
- Attachment 7 Req's
- Local preferences to be considered:
 - Highest "readiness" score
 - Geographical equity
 - Previous awards

DWR Scoring	Points	Comment
AB 1249 Contaminant(s)	1	Per Project Solicitation Package, see pages 30-31 of Draft PSP
Leveraged funds	1	
Claimed Benefit logical and reasonable?	1	
Does project benefit more than one region?	1	
AB 1249 & Small DAC?	1	
Employ new or innovative technology? Or, is project a decision support tool?	1	
Total	6	
Prop 1 / Readiness Scoring	Points	Comment
Other funding secured	1	Per Attachment 7
Multiple quantifiable benefits	1	
CEQA Complete? (pts awarded if N/A)	1	
NEPA Complete? (pts awarded if N/A)	1	
Access Complete? (pts awarded if N/A)	1	
Permits Complete? (pts awarded if N/A)	1	
Total	6	



Local Project Selection Process

Schedule:

1. April 6 – Review Call for Projects
2. April 7 to 28 – Call for Projects is open
3. April 29 to 30 – Eligibility Check by staff
4. May 4 – Project presentations @ joint RWMG/WRAC Mtg
 - Select RWMG Working Group from non-submitting members
5. Mid May - RWMG Working Group scores projects and provides recommendation(s) for RWMG consideration*



Local Project Selection Process

6. June 1 – RWMG recommends project(s) for application
7. June 1 – WRAC meets to consider supporting RWMG recommendation to BOS
8. July/August – BOS considers authorizing application
9. Sept/Oct – Application due to DWR.



Prop 1, Round 2 Funding

- MOA with Central Coast Funding Area partners
- Based on previous Prop. 1 awards & agreements

Table 1 - Prop 1 IRWM Funding for San Luis Obispo County Region

	Total Prop 1 Funds	DAC Implementation	General Implementation
Planning Grant (2016)	\$ 204,183	n/a	n/a
DAC Involvement (2017)	\$ 938,570	n/a	n/a
Round 1 Implementation Grant (2019)	\$ 2,782,130	\$ 274,500	\$ 2,507,630
Round 2 Implementation Grant (2022)	\$ 3,782,129	\$ 499,599	\$ 3,282,530
Total for SLO Region (Per CCFA MOA)	\$ 7,707,012	\$ 774,099	\$ 5,790,160



Local Project Selection Process

- Website
- Schedule, req's, documents

www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm



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P1R2 Call For Projects

[This page is under construction. The Call for Projects is expected to open on April 7th.](#)

Welcome to the Call for Projects for the Prop 1, Round 2 IRWM Implementation Grant. Please see below for all relevant application timelines, requirements, documents and references.

Funding available to the SLO Region is \$3,782,129 with a minimum of \$499,599 for DAC projects.

Please contact Brendan Clark with any questions: (805) 788-2316 or bclark@co.slo.ca.us

Timeline:

1. *April 7 - 28, 2022*. Call for projects is open (21 days).
2. *April 28 - 29, 2022*. Eligibility Screening by staff.
3. *May 4, 2022, Project Showcase @ Joint WRAC and RWMG Meeting, 1:30pm - 3:30pm*. Applications will present projects to members and public stakeholders (more details below).
4. *May 5 - 6, 2022*. Initial project scoring by staff-level team.
5. *May TBD*. RWMG Working Group meeting to finalize scores and prepare funding recommendation
6. *June 1, 2022 @ RWMG Meeting, 10am - 12pm*. Members to vote on the projects and funding recommendation by the Working Group for the DWR application.
7. *June 1, 2022 @ WRAC Meeting, 1:30pm - 3:30pm*. Per our program MOU.

Note: this schedule may be altered after the final grant documents come out by DWR.

Requirements:

Project sponsors must complete & submit the following to Brendan Clark by **5pm April 28th**:

- Project Information Form (PIF), provided below
- Objectives and Climate Change Worksheet, provided below
- No more than two (2) presentation slides that include basic project details, need for the project and requested grant amount (PPT or PDF format).

Related Forms & Documents

[P1R2 Call For Projects](#)



Prop. 1, Round 2 (P1R2) Grant Updates

Next Steps

- Call for Projects opens after this meeting
- Review materials
- Complete PIF, Goals worksheet, and slides
 - Stormwater project? Contact County by April 14th.
- Presenting at 5/4 WRAC
- Adopt the 2019 IRWM Plan



Thank You!

- Next Meeting **May 4, 2022, at 1:30pm.**
 - Will finalize local project selection process.
- For more information, please visit:
www.slocounty.ca.gov/irwm
- Brendan Clark, (805) 788-2316, bclark@co.slo.ca.us

