

Financial Assistance Application Submittal Tool - FFAST

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Office of Water Use Efficiency

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System Requirements

- Best Viewed: Internet Explorer 6.0 or above on a Windows operating system
 - Screen Resolution 1024 x 760
 - Pop-up software disabled
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Financial Assistance Application Submittal Tool

Welcome to the Financial Assistance Application Submittal Tool (FAAST).

The Division of Financial Assistance (Division) administers the implementation of the State Water Resources Control Board's (State Water Board) financial assistance programs. The Division administers funding for construction of municipal sewage and water recycling facilities, watershed protection projects, nonpoint source pollution control projects, etc.

FAAST has been developed to provide an efficient means for project proponents to apply for the loan and grant funding offered by the Division.

Applicants can sign up for funding notifications, submit financial assistance applications, and monitor the status of their applications.

A valid user account and password are needed to use FAAST. To create an account, please use the Sign Up button on the right.

Applications submitted prior to the August 2004 release of FAAST are now available with limited information! These previous RFPs include PRISM Pesticide, Proposition 13, and 2003 Consolidated Grants. To view these applications and other previously submitted applications, visit the [Public Search Tool](#).

Currently the Division is accepting applications for various funding programs. For specific information regarding the available funding programs, please visit the [Division of Financial Assistance](#) web site.

If you have any questions or for further assistance, please call State Water Board Staff at:
1-866-434-1083 Monday thru Friday 8:00AM - 5:00PM,
or email FAAST_ADMIN@waterboards.ca.gov.

Log onto FAAST

User Name:

Password: (case sensitive)

Logon

Forgot your password?

Retrieve Password

Do not have a FAAST user account yet?

To submit Financial Assistance Applications and to receive email notification for upcoming funding releases, please sign up...

Sign up

Want to view previously submitted applications without logging onto FAAST?

Public Search Tool

Last Updated on January 30, 2008

If you have any questions, please email FAAST_admin@waterboards.ca.gov.

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FAAST RFP

➤ 2008 - DWR Urban Drought Assistance Grant Program

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This page displays the list of Request for Proposals (RFP) and solicitations currently accepting applications. Select the desired RFP/solicitation from the list below to begin the application process. For details regarding RFPs and Solicitations offered by the Division of Financial Assistance (DFA), please visit the [Division of Financial Assistance website](#).

RFPs/Solicitations Accepting Applications	Applications Due
Agricultural Drainage Loan Programs	6/30/2009 11:59:59 PM
DWR 2008 Prop 50 Ag & Urban Water Use Efficiency & Urban Water Suppliers AB 1420 Compliance	8/20/2008 11:59:59 PM
2008 CALFED WATER QUALITY GRANT PROGRAM	7/10/2008 5:00:00 PM
2008 CALFED Watershed Program - Implement Watershed Management Plan	7/3/2008 5:00:00 PM
DWR - 2008 Urban Drought Assistance Grant Program	6/27/2008 11:59:59 PM

If you have any questions, please [contact us](#).

“General Information” Tab

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General Information

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The "General Information" section contains Project details for your application.

The Application is organized into different sections. Please complete each section of the application except "Review Comments" and "Application Status." When you move between sections, the system will automatically save the information you have entered. You may also click the "Save as Work in Progress" button to save your information. To preview or submit the completed application, click the "Preview/Submit Application" button. You may preview your application and choose to return to the application to make edits, or you may continue to submit your application. The Preview/Submit screen of your application will show your complete answers to all questions and you can print and/or save a copy of your application from the Preview/Submit screen.

PIN# 9791 - Enter Project title here
GRANT AGREEMENT#

General Information	Funding Programs	Project Management	Legislative Information	Agency Contacts	Cooperating Entities	Application Questionnaire	Application Attachments	Review Comments	Application Status	Perf.Meas. Classif.	Post Award
<p>RFP Title : DWR - 2008 Urban Drought Assistance Grant Program</p> <p>Applicant Organization: Rivera's WQ Firm</p> <p>Submitting Organization: Rivera's WQ Firm</p> <p>Project Title: <input type="text" value="Enter Project title here"/> *</p> <p>Project Description: <input type="text" value=""/> * (1000 characters max)</p>											
Project Budget											
<p>Funds Requested: \$ <input type="text"/></p> <p>Local Cost Match: \$ <input type="text"/></p> <p>Total Budget: \$ <input type="text"/></p>											
Project Location											
<p>Latitude : <input type="text"/> (32.0000 to 42.0000) Longitude : <input type="text"/> (-125.0000 to -114.0000) Obtain Latitude and Longitude</p> <p>Watershed: <input type="text"/> Enter primary watershed(s) for reporting purposes only.</p> <p>County: <input type="text" value="Select a value"/></p> <p>Responsible RWQCB: <input type="text" value="Select a value"/> * Locate on Map</p>											
*Indicates required information.											
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<input type="button" value="Preview / Submit Application"/>											
Click this button to preview/print your application and then either (1) return to the application to edit further by clicking "Return to Application" button, or (2) continue on to submit your application.											
If you have any questions, please contact us .											

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Funding Programs

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The Funding Programs section allows you to view or edit available funding program(s) in the RFP. Select the funding program(s) that you want to apply for by clicking the check boxes under "Apply." If your application has been recommended to proceed to the next phase of the application process, the recommended grant amount will be displayed under "Amount Recommended by SWRCB."

Please complete each section of the application except "Review Comments" and "Application Status." When you move between sections, the system will automatically save the information you have entered. You may also click the "Save as Work in Progress" button to save your information. To preview or submit the completed application, click the "Preview / Submit Application" button.

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You may select only 1 (one) funding program listed below by checking the apply box.												
Funding Program	Description	Grant Amount Range	Apply									
DWR - 2008 Urban Drought Assistance Grant Program	Current water shortages and the State's Drought conditions declared by the Governor call for a fast track assistance program to help urban communities to immediately implement efficiency projects that will help cope with water shortages and drought conditions.	0.00 - 4,000,000.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Apply?									

If you have any questions, please [contact us](#).

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“Project Management” Tab

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The information in the following section is pulled from your initial account sign-up process.																																	
Applicant Information					Person Submitting Application																												
Name: California Department of Water Resources Address: 901 P Street Sacramento, CA - 94236-0001 *If you need to further edit Applicant Information, go to the main menu and click on "Update your Organization profile." If you are submitting on behalf of another Organization, and need to edit the above information, you will need to contact FAAST_ADMIN@waterboards.ca.gov Federal Tax Id: <input type="text"/> (Please enter the 9 digit number without dashes or spaces) The Federal Tax ID is required if your project is recommended for funding and you enter into the grant agreement process					Name: Judith Colvin IN STAGING Phone No: 916-651-9665 Fax: 916-652-9292 Email: jcolvin@water.ca.gov To change this information, go to the main menu and click on "Update Your User Profile."																												
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“Legislative Information” Tab

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Assembly District	Select a value ▼								Find Assembly District
Senate District	Select a value ▼								Find Senate District
US Congressional District	Select a value ▼								Find US Congressional District
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“Agency Contacts” Tab

General Information	Funding Programs	Project Management	Legislative Information	Agency Contacts	Cooperating Entities	Application Questionnaire	Application Attachments	Review Comments	Application Status
Fill in contact information for RWQCB or other agency staff contacted regarding this application and click "Save Agency Contact" button.									
Organization Name: <input type="text"/>									
Contact First Name: <input type="text"/>									
Contact Last Name: <input type="text"/>									
Contact Phone: <input type="text"/> (Format: 999-999-9999)									
Contact Email: <input type="text"/>									
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“Cooperating Entities” Tab

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Cooperating Entity Details:															
Fill in the fields with entity details and click "Save Entity " button.															
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Role/Contribution to Project:					<input type="text"/>										
					e.g. agency consultant, co-applicant, project manager, landowner, local stakeholder group, subcontractor, funding partner, implementing agency, etc.										
Contact First Name:					<input type="text"/>										
Last Name:					<input type="text"/>										
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“Application Questionnaire” Tab

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Answer all the questions

Q#. Question

1. Please indicate in the text box below whether your organization is a:

- City
- County
- City and County
- Joint Powers Authority
- Public Water District
- Tribe
- Non-Profit Organization
- University or College
- State Agency
- Federal Agency
- Investor-Owned Utility (See Note below)
- Mutual Water Company (See Note below)
- Other (If you answered Other, please explain in textbox.)

Note: Investor-owned utilities and mutual water companies should demonstrate that the project will benefit customers of the water system. If you are an investor owned utility or mutual water company, please describe in textbox the public purpose of the project and demonstrate that the customer will benefit from the project.

Answer:

Max 500 Characters

2. My agency is an urban water supplier and is applying for drought emergency assistance and is eligible according to the following funding criteria:

1. Any eligible applicant that serves at least 1 water retail area is eligible for a grant with a State share funding cap of \$250,000
2. Any wholesale urban water suppliers and associations that serve at least 5 water retail areas is eligible for a grant with a State share funding cap of \$1,000,000
3. Any wholesale urban water suppliers and associations that serve at least 10 water retail areas is eligible for a grant with a State share funding cap of \$2,000,000
4. Any wholesale urban water suppliers and associations that serve at least 20 water retail areas is eligible for a grant with a State share funding cap of \$4,000,000

Answer:

Select a Value Select from list

3. My agency is an urban water supplier and is requesting a waiver of cost share based on inclusion of disadvantaged communities:

Application Attachments

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Suggested Attachment Title: <input type="text" value="Select a value - initial entry for combo box"/> Select a title from the drop down menu.									
Editable Attachment Title: <input type="text"/> Edit title if needed.									
File Pathname: <input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="Browse..."/>									
Although this system will accept attachments up to 10 mb, each RFP/Solicitation may specify smaller attachment size limits. To see the file size in the Browse Dialog box, click on the "View Menu" button (This button is in the upper right area of the Browse/Choose File dialog). Then select details from the dropdown.									
Please note that file attachments may take several minutes to upload depending on the speed of your connection and the size of the file. When the file has been successfully uploaded to the system, the attachment title and upload date will appear below. PLEASE WAIT UNTIL THE FILE COMPLETELY UPLOADS BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO UPLOAD ADDITIONAL FILES OR WORKING ON OTHER PARTS OF THE APPLICATION. If you would like to view the attached file, click on its title shown in blue underlined text.									
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Save and Submit the Application

*Indicates required information.

Save as Work in Progress

Next Section

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Certification & Submission

Please read before signing and submitting application.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information I have entered on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I am authorized to submit the application on behalf of the applicant. I further understand that any false, incomplete or incorrect statements may result in the disqualification of this application. By initialing below, I waive all rights to privacy and confidentiality of the application on behalf of the applicant, to the extent provided in this funding solicitation.

After completing the application, please enter your initials certifying the accuracy of the application and click the "Submit Now" button. **After submission you will no longer have the ability to modify your application.** If you would like to submit application later, click the "Return to Application" button.

Enter your initials

Submission Date: 8/29/2006

Return to Application

Submit Now

Submittal Confirmation

Application submission acknowledgement

Thank you for submitting an application for the **** DWR Proposition 50 Chapter 7 Agricultural & Urban Water Use Efficiency - Step 1 ****!

An email will be sent to you confirming that we have received your application within 15 minutes. Please note that your **proposal identification number (PIN) for this application is: 8853**. Please provide this PIN in the subject line on any correspondence or emails regarding your application.

Your input is valuable. Please tell us about your experience using the FAAST online application submittal tool by completing a [short survey](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Division of Financial Assistance staff at FAAST_ADMIN@waterboards.ca.gov or 1-866-434-1083 M-F 8:00 am - 5:00 pm. Thank you.