MISSISSIPPI

GRANTS & LOANS FOR WASTEWATER, DRINKING WATER, STORM WATER, AND SOLID WASTE PROJECTS

February, 2020

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| 1. Water Pollution Control Revolving Loan Fund Program | Wastewater, Storm Water, and Non-Point Source Pollution Control | Public Entities | Loans | 100% or Match | None | 1.75% 20-year Loans 2.75% 30-year Loans (If project useful life 30+ years) Possible 75% subsidy if "Small/Low-Income" (Pop ≤ 3,000; MHI ≤ 30,000) | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 2. Water Pollution Control Emergency Loan Fund Program | Wastewater | Public Entities | Loans | 100% or Match | Max. \$350,000 | 4.0% 10 year Loans | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 3. Drinking Water Systems Improvements Revolving Loan Fund Program | Drinking Water Improvements | Public Entities and Tax Exempt Rural Water Associations | Loans | 100% or Match | No minimum \$5,000,000 max; Could exceed on a case-by-case basis. Only 1 loan per borrower for FFY-20 Could exceed based on funds availability. | 1.95% loans for FFY-20 Possible principal forgiveness if eligible 20 year repayment | MS State Department of Health – Bureau of Public Water Supply Ph. (601) 576-7518 |
| 4. Drinking Water Systems Emergency Revolving Loan Fund Program | Drinking Water Emergency | Public Entities and Tax Exempt Rural Water Associations | Loans | 100% or Match | None; At Board's discretion. | 2.0% loans 5 year repayment | MS State Department of Health – Bureau of Public Water Supply Ph. (601) 576-7518 |
| 5. Community Development Block Grant Program (Public Facilities) | Water, Wastewater, and Storm Water | Counties and Municipalities (Except Entitlement Communities) | Grants | Specific To Each Project | Min. \$100,000 Max. \$600,000, Regular \$450,000, Small Governments (subject to change) | At least 51% low / moderate income | MS Development Authority Ph. (601) 359-3179 |
| 6. Community Development Block Grant Program (Economic Development) | Water, Wastewater, and Storm Water | Counties and Municipalities (Except Entitlement Communities) | Grants | Up to 50% | \$20,000.00 per job Max. \$2,500,000 (subject to change) | At least 51% of jobs low/ moderate income. Min. 20 jobs created | MS Development Authority Ph. (601) 359-3179 |

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| 7. Development Infrastructure Program | Water, Wastewater, and Storm Water | Counties and Municipalities | Grants | Up to 90% | \$15,000.00 per job Max. \$500,000 | Must be used in connection with economic development projects. Min. 10 jobs created. | MS Development Authority Ph. (601) 359-3179 |
| 8. Capital Improvements Revolving Loan Program | Brownfield Cleanup, Water, Wastewater, and Industrial Storm Water | Counties and Municipalities | Loans | Up to 100% | \$750,000 max per CD Project or \$1MM per applicant. ED project or \$20,000 per job | Tax Exempt: 2.0% 20 year repayment. Taxable: 3.0% 20 year repayment. | MS Development Authority Ph. (601) 359-3179 |
| 9. Mississippi Business Investment Act Program | Water, Wastewater, and Storm Water | Counties and Municipalities | Loans | Must provide \$3 of private funds for each \$1 of MBIA funds. At least 1 job for every \$15,000 in MBIA \$. | Min. and Max. determined by MDA Director | Determined by MDA Director | MS Development Authority Ph. (601) 359-3552 |
| 10. U.S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration | Plans, Studies, and Public Infrastructure if included in area CEDS | States, Municipalities, Counties, Indian Tribes and their Dependent Authorities | Grants | Normally 50% to 80% | Min / Max varied depending on project. Usual range \$100,000 To \$2,000,000 | Projects must demonstrate need, job creation and/or retention. Focused toward economic development. | Economic Development Administration, Atlanta Regional Office Ph. (404) 730-3002, 1-800-319-9049 www.eda.gov |
| 11. Appalachian Regional Commission Program | Water and Wastewater | Counties and Municipalities in Appalachian Region | Grants | 80% Distressed County, 70% At-Risk County, 50% Transitional County | None | Projects must demonstrate need, job creation and retention. Focused toward economic development. | Appalachian Regional Commission, Tupelo Office Ph. (662) 844-1184 |
| 12. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development | Rural Water and Wastewater | Public Entities, Non- Profit Utility District/ Associations, and Indian Tribes (Pop. < 10k-Direct Loan & Grant Program -<50k- Guaranteed Loan Program) | Loans and Grants | 100% Loan Up to 75% Grant | None | Interest rate set quarterly by the Agency. Call (601) 965-5460 for current rate. Repayments: 40 years non-profits, 35 years public entities | Water Programs Division Ph. (601) 965-5460 |

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| 13. MS Public Water Fluoridation Program | Water | Public Water Systems | Grants | 100% | None | Requires 5 year Grant Agreement. Eligible systems must have population ≥ 2k people | MS State Department of Health Ph. (601) 576-7960 |
| 14. Solid Waste Assistance Grants: Non-Competitive Grants | Illegal Dump Clean-Up, Recycling Programs, HHW Collection Programs, Local Solid Waste Enforcement Officer, Programs to Prevent Illegal Dumping, Educational Programs | Counties | Grants | 50% Match for Enforcement Officer Program 25% Match for HHW collection days | Allocated based on State- Aid Road Mileage Formula Project Specific | 2 Year Grant Agreement Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 15. Solid Waste Assistance Grants: Competitive Grants | Illegal Dump Clean-Up, Recycling Programs, HHW Collection Programs, Local Solid Waste Enforcement Officer, Programs to Prevent Illegal Dumping, and Educational Programs | Cities, Counties, Regional Solid Waste Authorities and Other Multi-County Entities | Grants | 50% Match for Enforcement Officer Program 25% Match for HHW collection days | Based on Population Minimum \$15,000 Maximum \$75,000 Project Specific | 2 Year Grant Agreement Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 16. Solid Waste Planning Grants | Provides Funding Assistance for the Development of Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plans | Counties, Certain Cities with Solid Waste Plans, and Solid Waste Authorities | Grants | % Varies by Population; Up to 90% based on population | Project Specific | Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 17. Recycling Cooperative Grants | Recycling Projects that meet the terms of the applicable Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) | Cities, Counties, Regional Solid Waste Management Authorities or Other Multi-County Entities working on cooperative recycling systems | Grants | Project Specific | Project Specific | Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 18. Waste Tire Grants: Local Government Collection/Clean-Up Grants | Collection Sites, Transportation Costs, Storage Trailers or Units, Contractual Disposal Costs, and Public Education | Counties and Regional Solid Waste Authorities, Some cities with individual solid waste plans | Grants | No Required Match | Project Specific | 2 Year Grant Agreement | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 19. Waste Tire Grants: Incentive Recycling and Research Grants | Recycling Equipment, Support Structures, Demonstration Projects and New Product Development | Research Institutions, Private Recycling Companies, Cities, Counties and Regional Solid Waste Authorities | Grants | Minimum 50% Match for Private Entities | Project Specific but limitations are based on the amount of funds available | Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |

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| 20. Waste Tire Abatement Program | Provides Reimbursement to Clean-up Unauthorized Tire Dump Sites | Used to reimburse costs incurred by contractor during illegal waste tire dump clean-ups initiated by MDEQ | Reimbur sement Program | Up to 100% of eligible costs | Project Specific | Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 21. Nonhazardous Solid Waste Corrective Action Trust Fund | Provides Reimbursement For Emergency, Preventative, or Corrective Actions at historic closed/abandoned landfills | Owners of Landfills that received household garbage and that closed before the effective date of the Federal Subtitle D Regulations; or used by MDEQ to reimburse cost incurred by contractors performing corrective action if owner not found | Reimburse ment program | Up to 100% of eligible costs | Project Specific | Project Specific | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 22. School Recycling Grants (K-12 Institutions) | Provides up to 10 grants annually to start and/or grow school recycling programs | K-12 Public and Private Schools in the State | Grants | \$500 and \$1,000 grants for eligible program costs | \$500 and \$1,000 Grants | Project Specific | Mississippi Recycling Coalition Ph: 1-800-545-3764 (KMB) or (601) 961-5171 www.msrecycles.or g |
| 23. MS Groundwater Protection Trust Fund | Underground Storage Tanks | Owners of Underground Storage Tanks | Reimbur sement Program | Up to 100% of eligible costs | Maximum of \$1,500,000 per occurrence for assessment & remediation and \$1,000,000 per occurrence for third party damages | Compliance with Regulations | MS Department of Environmental Quality Ph. (601) 961-5171 |
| 24. Environmental Protection Agency Grants | See Web Site | | | | | www.grants.gov | |