

State Water Infrastructure Grants TDEC ARP Non-Competitive Grant

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ALL Non-Competitive Applications (Collaborative and Non-Collaborative) May Be Submitted NOW!



Deadlines

- The application period will close
 <u>November 2022</u>
- There is <u>no deadline</u> to submit the Tennessee Infrastructure Scorecard. The Scorecard must be submitted with the non-competitive application but there is no other deadline associated with completing the Scorecard





Collaborative Proposals



A <u>collaborative proposal</u> involves multiple entities (utilities, cities, or counties) working together for a *shared purpose*. The proposal can consist of multiple collaborative projects under a single grant applicant. The shared purpose must be clearly explained in the application.



Transferring State Allocations

- A city or county may "transfer" their state allocation to another eligible city or county. TDEC is developing simple instructions for "transferring" state allocations from one eligible entity to another eligible entity
- TDEC will require documentation verifying this "transfer" from one eligible entity to another
- This "transfer" as funds cannot be used as co-funding for a proposal



Deliverables



- Applicants do <u>not</u> need to have all plans and specifications complete prior to submitting the grant application or receiving reimbursement from TDEC on grant activities
- Applicants do <u>not</u> need to fulfill Asset
 Management Planning (AMP)
 requirements prior to working on other
 projects. AMP requirements must be
 demonstrated by the end of the grant
 award (September 2026)



Budget Worksheet Review

• Demonstration and review of the budget worksheet

