



# NFWFMD Water Project Priorities Database Form

## 1. General Information

<b>Project Name or Title:</b>
<b>Project Location (City/Town and County):</b>

<b>Name(s) of Entity:</b>		
<b>Primary Contact Information for this Grant Application</b>		
Name, Title:		
Entity:		
Mailing Address:		
Address (continued):		
City, State:		ZIP
Phone:		Phone 2:
Email address:		

## 2. Project type (check one)

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stormwater<br><input type="checkbox"/> Restoration<br><input type="checkbox"/> Springs<br><input type="checkbox"/> Water supply development | <input type="checkbox"/> Wastewater<br><input type="checkbox"/> Land acquisition<br><input type="checkbox"/> Alternative water supply (including reuse)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other (list)_____ |
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If more than one project type, provide brief description here:

## 3. Project Description

In 150 words or less provide a concise but complete description of the proposed project. Be specific with tasks, location(s), lengths and areas, quantity of work or items to complete.

#### 4. Support for the District's Core Missions

In 150 words or less describe how the proposed project will address any relevant District priorities and/or local water resource priorities (click [here](#) more information on the District's Core Missions). In addition, note if the proposed project:

- is consistent with a District Regional Water Supply Plan (RWSP), Surface Water Management or Improvement (SWIM) Plan; Strategic Plan; or other District plan;
- will reuse reclaimed water and/or conserve water;
- is part of a state, regional or local goal or strategy, and if it is in a local plan, e.g., Capital Improvement Plan, Asset Management Plan, or Local Mitigation Strategy.

Also if the project is intended to address public or environmental health, safety, or welfare, include steps already taken to address these concerns.

#### 5. Project Outcomes and Benefits

In 150 words or less describe the anticipated outcomes, results and benefits (environmental, community development, economic) of the proposed project including the specific water resources that may be affected. Be specific and quantify expected results when possible (e.g., estimates of population and/or households served, pounds of pollutants removed/treated, gallons of water per day provided, etc.). If the anticipated outcome will be realized during a future phase, explain how the current proposed project will make progress toward the outcome.

**6. Project Team and Capabilities**

<p>A. Describe the project team and key personnel that will have assigned responsibilities for this proposed project, including years of relevant experience.</p>	
<p>B. Briefly describe any known or anticipated challenges or obstacles (e.g. permitting, site access, etc.); and plans or strategies to overcome or how they will be addressed.</p>	
<p>C. Provide a summary statement indicating Applicant’s readiness to implement and commitment to complete project in 24 months or less.</p>	
<p>D. Provide a summary statement regarding Applicant’s ability and resources (financial, human, other) to operate and maintain the proposed completed project.</p>	

**7. Project Status and Schedule**

<p>What is the current status of the project? (check one)</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Conceptual  <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary design complete  <input type="checkbox"/> Design stage; % complete: _____  <input type="checkbox"/> Shovel-ready</p>
<p>Briefly describe the project status and estimated schedule to complete, considering the following (describe as applicable):</p> <p>A. Planning, programming (including financial planning/budgeting)  B. Design, cost estimating, construction documents  C. Permitting, bidding, contracting  D. Material/equipment procurement  E. Construction, project close-out</p>	

**8. Economically Distressed Community**

Does the applicant qualify for a reduction or waiver of financial match requirements as an economically distressed or financially disadvantaged county or community?

Yes       No

An economically distressed county or community is defined in section [288.0656](#), F.S., under the Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI). An economically distressed, or “financially disadvantaged small community” is also defined in section [403.1838\(2\)](#), F.S. To see if the applicant is eligible as “economically distressed” visit the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity’s website at: [www.floridajobs.org/business-growth-and-partnerships/rural-and-economic-development-initiative/rural-definition/rural-communities](http://www.floridajobs.org/business-growth-and-partnerships/rural-and-economic-development-initiative/rural-definition/rural-communities) or call (850) 717-8520.

**9. Project Funding**

A. In 150 words or less describe the financial need that exists for the project to be fully implemented. Indicate the capability of local revenue sources for capital improvements and for operation and maintenance. Also note any anticipated economic benefits of the project.

B. Prepare a project budget table as follows:

Budget by Task	Requested Grant Amount (whole \$)	Match Funding Amount (whole \$) <sup>1</sup>	Identify Match Funding Source <sup>2</sup>
1)			
2)			
3)			
4)			
5)			
6)			
<b>Totals</b>			
<b>Total Project Cost</b>			

<sup>1</sup> Additional funding contributions listed represent estimated amounts for each category of spending. Except as may be otherwise approved for communities in the Northwest Florida Rural Area of Opportunity, a 50% match of the overall cost to complete the project is expected.

<sup>2</sup> Name sources of matching or additional funds; describe if in-kind.

C. Has the applicant applied to the following sources for funding this project?	Year and/or Status (including all years and funding amounts)
<p>DEP Clean Water SRF</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
<p>DEP Drinking Water SRF</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
<p>USDA Rural Development Water Program</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
<p>DEO Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
<p>Florida Legislature Water Projects</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
<p>Other (name)_____</p> <p>Eligible?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Applied?      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p> <p>Received?     <input type="checkbox"/> Yes   <input type="checkbox"/> No   <input type="checkbox"/> NA</p>	
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**10. Submitting a Proposal**

Complete and submit this form with any supporting information, such as a project map, cost estimate, photos, etc. to: [grants@nfwwater.com](mailto:grants@nfwwater.com) with the subject line “Water Project Priorities Database”. Visit [www.nfwwater.com](http://www.nfwwater.com) for more information.