

Clean Water Fund Program



Heart of the Valley's Sludge Storage

The Clean Water Fund Program also provides:

* Interest Rate Subsidy for wastewater projects financed through State Trust Funds with total project costs less than \$1,000,000.

*Hardship Financial Assistance for municipalities with low income and high user charges.

* Low interest loans for Urban Runoff Projects.

The above are described in separate brochures.

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Financing for Wastewater Projects



Roxbury Sanitary District #1's
Recirculating Sand Filter

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Environmental Improvement Fund

Clean Water Fund Program (CWFP)



Program Description

The CWFP provides financial assistance to municipalities for the planning, design and construction of surface water and groundwater pollution abatement facilities; primarily for municipal wastewater treatment.

Eligible Applicants

- City, town, village, county
- Town Sanitary District
- Public Inland Lake Protection and Rehab District
- Metropolitan Sewerage District
- American Indian Tribe or Band

Eligible Project Types

- Compliance Maintenance – to prevent violation of effluent limits.
- New or Changed Limits – to achieve compliance with new effluent limits.
- Unsewered – to provide treatment facilities and sewers for unsewered areas.

Eligible Project Costs

Reasonable and necessary costs directly related to the planning, design, and construction of an eligible project.



Constructing the Village of Melvina's collection system

Interest Rates

- Compliance Maintenance – 55% of Market (Governor's budget raises rate to 70%)
- New or Changed Limits – 55% of Market
- Unsewered – 70% of Market

Deadlines

- Notice of Intent to Apply (ITA) – December 31
- Priority Evaluation and Ranking Form (PERF) – December 31
- Financial Assistance Application – Continuous funding cycle
- Loan Closing – 8 months following application acceptance

Loan Disbursements

- Submit request by 1st of the month – payment wired on the 2nd Wednesday
- Submit request by 15th of the month – payment wired on the 4th Wednesday

Loan Repayments

- May 1st - Principal and interest
- November 1st – Interest only