

Overview:
Proposition 1
Human Right to Water

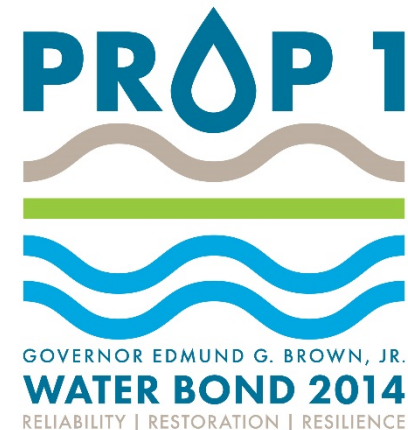
Kick-off Meeting - 1st Workshop
April 13th 2018

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Prop 1 Background

The Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014

- Legislatively referred bond act
- Approved by voters
- Provides **\$7.12 billion** in general obligation bonds dedicated to:
 - Drinking water
 - Small Community wastewater
 - Water recycling
 - Stormwater
 - Groundwater sustainability



Groundwater

Approximately \$744 million originally available

- \$160 million set aside for disadvantaged communities and economically distressed areas.

At least \$80 million for treatment/remediation activities that prevent or reduce contamination of groundwater that serves as a source of drinking water

Grant funds must be encumbered by June 30, 2018
and liquidated by June 30, 2021

Eligibility Requirements Established by State Board

To be consistent with the California Water Action Plan, the project must achieve at least one or more of the following objectives:

Prevent the
spread of
contamination

Accelerate the
cleanup of
contamination

Protect
aquifers that
serve as a
source of
drinking water

Provide clean
drinking water
to DACs or
EDAs

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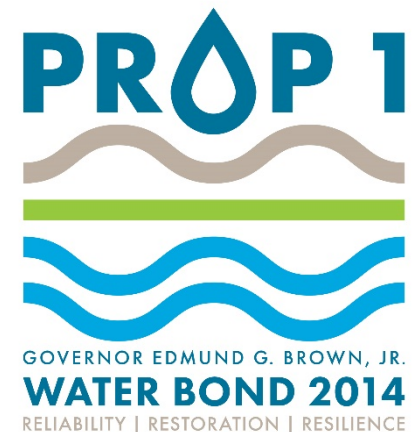
- The project must be identified as a high priority by regulatory agencies.
- Applicants must demonstrate that funds are available for match requirements and long-term operation and maintenance.
- Must have a useful life of at least 20 years

**Funds must be used for construction
or acquisition of capital assets**

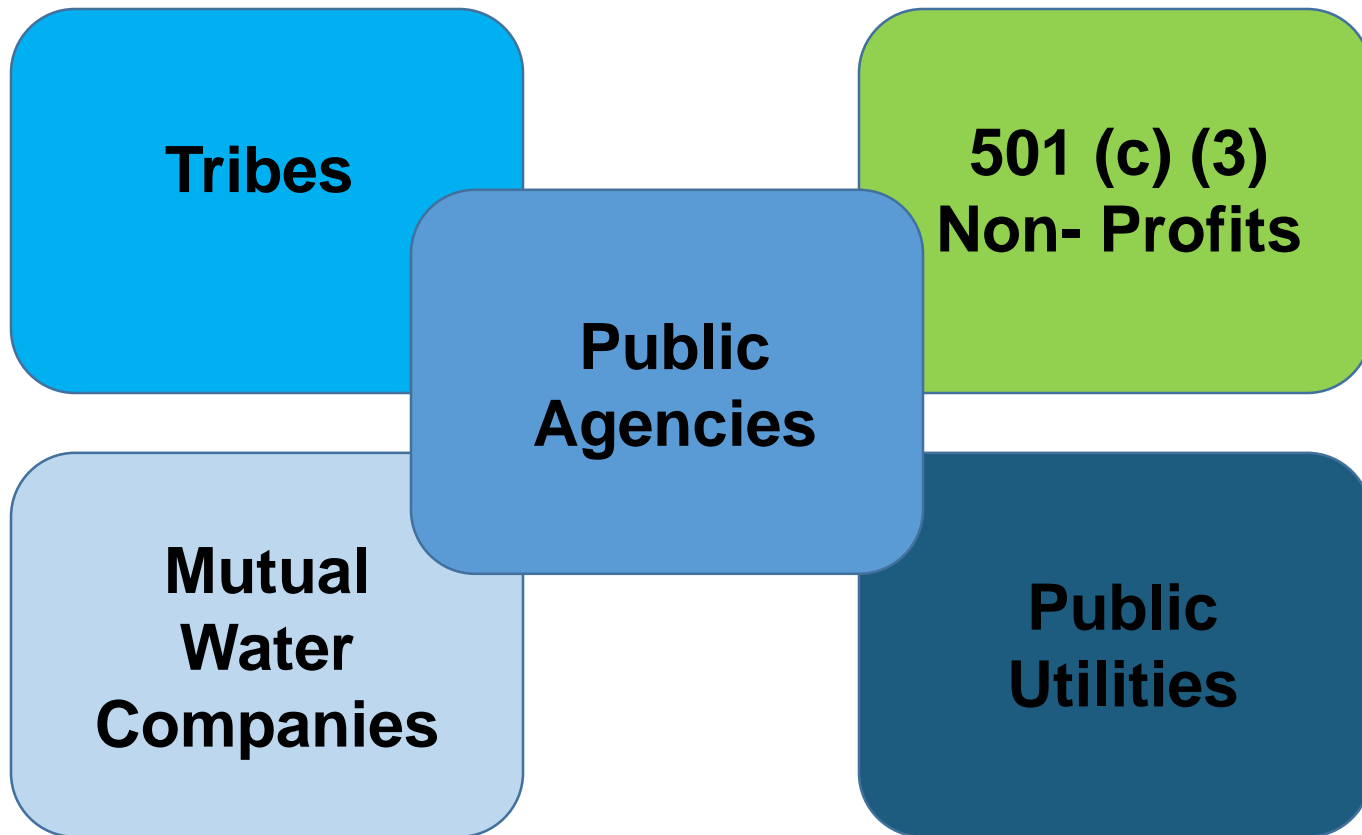
Project Preferences

Preference given to implementation projects that meet one or more of the Prop 1 prioritization criteria:

- Human Right to Water
- Community Benefit
- Contaminant Removal Efficiency
- Timeliness
- Promote Groundwater Sustainability
- Demonstrated Applicant Experience
- Regional Benefits



Eligible Grant Applicants



Eligible Project Types

Design	Construction	Pilot Studies
Initial Startup of Facilities	Wellhead Treatment	Pump and Treat
Centralized Treatment System	Groundwater Recharge to Prevent Contamination	Groundwater Injection to Prevent Seawater Intrusion



Prop 1 Drinking Water Program

- Main Components:
 - Financial assistance to PWSs (low interest financing, principal forgiveness, grants)
 - Federal set-aside for small system technical assistance, DWSRF administrative support, PWS supervision support
- Examples of eligible projects (planning, design and construction):
 - Treatment & Distribution Systems
 - Interconnections & Consolidations
 - Pipeline Extensions
 - Water Sources
 - Water Meters

Questions?

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