

Notice of Funding Availability for Interim Emergency Drinking Water

INTRODUCTION

On March 1, 2014, Governor Brown approved a \$687.4-million emergency drought relief package to take effect immediately. As a result of the Governor's action, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) approved \$4 million in funding from the Cleanup and Abatement Account (CAA) to provide interim replacement drinking water for economically disadvantaged communities with contaminated water supplies.

In an effort to distribute funds as quickly and efficiently as possible, the State Water Board will coordinate with the Regional Water Quality Control Boards, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) district offices, the Office of Emergency Services, and other stakeholders (e.g., environmental justice groups, community assistance groups, etc.) to identify those disadvantaged communities that are most at-risk and would benefit from financial assistance.

If you are interested in applying for this funding or need additional information, please email DFA-CAA-DW-DroughtFund@waterboards.ca.gov or visit our website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/caa/dw_droughtfund/.

ELIGIBLE ENTITIES

- ◆ Public Agencies
- ◆ Not-for-Profit Water Districts
- ◆ Not-for-Profit Organizations
- ◆ Tribal Governments

ELIGIBLE PROJECTS (include, but not limited to)

- ◆ Bottled Water
- ◆ Vending Machines
- ◆ Point of Use Devices (for example, Filtration)
- ◆ Hauled Water
- ◆ Wellhead Treatment
- ◆ Planning

HOW TO APPLY

Complete and submit a funding application, which is available online at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/caa/dw_droughtfund/. The application is also available by sending a request to the email address below. Applications may be submitted by email, fax, CD or hardcopy to:

*State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
Cleanup and Abatement
1001 I Street, 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814*

Email: DFA-CAA-DW-DroughtFund@waterboards.ca.gov

Fax number: (916) 341-5707

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