

Water Quality Program

Workshops for State Fiscal Year 2018 Water Quality Financial Assistance

The Washington State Department of Ecology is holding workshops to provide information about the state’s combined water quality grant and loan funding cycle and to review the State Fiscal Year 2018 application for the following funding sources:

- Clean Water Act State Revolving Fund Loan Program
- Centennial Clean Water Grant Program
- Clean Water Act Section 319 Nonpoint Source Grant Program
- Stormwater Financial Assistance Grant Program

If you attend, you will get the most up-to-date information on the funding cycle and how to apply, including how to use Ecology’s web-based grant and loan management system, Ecology Administration of Grants and Loans (EAGL). You can also speak with Ecology staff and get answers to your questions about the application process.

Workshop schedule

9:00 a.m.–9:45 a.m.	Program overview and information on what’s new for this funding cycle.
10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Breakout sessions for wastewater facility projects, nonpoint activity projects, and stormwater facility and activity projects. Includes application details, scoring criteria, and information about hardship for facilities projects.
Note: Light refreshments will be provided but not lunch.	

Who can apply for funding?

Public entities, including counties, cities, and towns; water and sewer districts; port districts; conservation districts; irrigation districts; school districts; federally recognized tribes; and Washington State institutions of higher education if the project is not included in the institution’s statutory responsibilities. Nonprofit organizations can apply for Section 319 funds.

What are eligible project types?

Projects to improve and protect Washington’s water quality, including wastewater facilities, stormwater facilities and activities, nonpoint source pollution control activities, onsite sewage system repair and replacement programs.

LOCATIONS, DATES, INFORMATION

SPOKANE

August 17, 2016
Spokane Convention Center
334 West Spokane Falls Blvd.

ELLENSBURG

August 18, 2016
Central Washington University
Student Union & Recreation Center
400 East University Way

LACEY

August 24, 2016
Saint Martin’s University
Norman Worthington Conference Center
5000 Abbey Way SE

EVERETT

August 25, 2016
Edward D. Hansen Conference Center
at Xfinity Arena
2000 Hewitt Avenue, Suite 200

COST

There is no cost to attend.

REGISTRATION

Registration is not required to attend.

REQUEST FOR NOTICE

While not required, in order to help us better plan for the number of attendees, we’d appreciate an email notice if you plan to attend. Please send an email to wqfms@ecy.wa.gov by August 7, 2016, and specify which location you plan to attend.

QUESTIONS/MORE INFORMATION

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