

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL FLOOD CONTROL GRANT APPLICATION AVAILABILITY

ELIGIBLE PARTIES: Cities, villages, towns, tribal governments, and metropolitan sewerage districts in the State of Wisconsin. Counties can work with one of the eligible applicants but Counties are not eligible.

PURPOSE: To help eligible parties minimize flooding and flood-related damages by acquiring property and removing structures to create permanent open space, flood-proofing structures, creating open-space flood storage areas, constructing flood control structures, and restoring the flood-carrying capacity and natural and beneficial functions of watercourses.

ELIGIBLE PROJECTS:

(Rank 1 high to 8 low)
floodplain.

1. Property acquisition and removal of structures, which due to zoning restrictions, cannot be rebuilt.
2. Property acquisition and removal of structures in the 100-year floodplain.
3. Property acquisition and removal of repetitive loss or substantially damaged structure.
4. Property acquisition and removal of flood damaged structures.
5. Floodproofing and flood elevation project in the 100 year floodplain that will remain in the 100-year flood plain.
6. Riparian Restoration project on a watercourse:
 - (a) dam or artificial obstruction removal
 - (b) fish & native plant habitat restoration
 - (c) erosion control and streambank restoration.
7. Acquisition of vacant land for flood water control/storage or flood water flowage easement
8. Flood control detention pond

PROJECT PERIOD: **October 1, 2012 – September 30, 2014**

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Postmarked by **March 15, 2012**

AVAILABLE FUNDS: Maximum of \$625,000 for one applicant (applicant defined as one city or town, etc.) State share is 70% of project eligible cost with total funding of \$3.12M. This is strictly a reimbursement program.

APPLICATION MATERIALS: Download from the following web site or email the DNR Grant Program Manager listed below for a hard copy: (See “Project Selection Help” document on this web site under the application group) <http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/caer/cfa/Ef/flood/grants.html>

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