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To provide affordable financial assistance to communities within Wisconsin for water infrastructure projects that protect and improve public health and water quality for current and future generations.



Webinar Sept. 19 | Securing Our Future: Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Funding Opportunities

Please feel free to share this invitation with any communities you think may be interested in funding for a drinking water and/or wastewater infrastructure project.

No-Cost Webinar

Securing Our Future: Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Funding Opportunities

Date: Tuesday, September 19, 2023

Time: 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Central Time

Description

Join us for an exclusive webinar where Focus on Energy and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Environmental Loans Section dive deep into the realm of energy efficiency and unravel funding opportunities tailor-made for water and wastewater infrastructure projects.

Presenters

Joe Kottwitz, Energy Advisor and Water and Wastewater Subject Matter Expert, Focus on Energy

Heather Feigum, Program Manager, Schools and Government Solution, Focus on Energy

Lisa Creegan, Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) Wastewater Specialist, Wisconsin DNR

Kay Christensen, Environmental Loans Outreach Coordinator, Wisconsin DNR

Who Should Attend

- Managers, owners, and operators of water and wastewater systems
- Decision makers for water and wastewater utilities, including mayors, finance officers, utility managers,

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public works directors, city councilors, board members, tribal council members, and clerks

• Consultants and technical assistance providers serving water and wastewater systems

About the Funding Programs

FOCUS ON ENERGY[®] — Wisconsin utilities' statewide program for energy efficiency and renewable energy helps eligible residents and businesses save energy and money while protecting the environment. Focus on Energy information, resources, and financial incentives help to implement energy efficiency and renewable energy projects that otherwise would not be completed.

The purpose of the <u>DNR Environmental Loans Section</u> is to administer affordable financial assistance to communities within Wisconsin for water infrastructure projects that protect and improve public health and water quality for current and future generations:

- Clean Water Fund Program (CWFP) for wastewater and water-quality-related storm water infrastructure projects
- Safe Drinking Water Loan Program (SDWLP) for drinking water infrastructure projects

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