Renewable Resource Grants to Private Entities

Purpose:

To promote the conservation, development, and beneficial use of Montana's water resources to secure maximum economic and social prosperity for its citizens.
Eligibility

The renewable resource grants to private entities are available for any water-related project that meets the purpose of the Renewable Resource Grant and Loan Program. Eligible applicants include individuals, associations, corporations and nonprofits.

Criteria

- Project is economically feasible
- Project benefits or develops a water resource
- Project will provide public benefit
- Project is recommended by a government entity

Project Examples

- Projects that promote water conservation, water quality or beneficial use
- Dam inspections and repair
- Irrigation system improvements
- Septic tank replacement
- Emergency water system improvements
- Watershed improvements

Guidelines

- Grants available up to $5,000 or 25% of project cost, whichever is least.
- Reimbursement based on actual provided receipts.
- Reimbursement on a one-time only basis.
- Match funding may include in-kind labor, materials and other grants.

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