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## Funding Projects via the STATE REVOLVING FUND (SRF)



April Matsumura Wastewater Branch



## Program Overview



#### State Revolving Fund

**Provision:** Clean Water Act, 1987 Safe Drinking Water Act, 1996

Purpose: Support wastewater & water infrastructure projects through low interest loans

Eligible Customers: Available to the four county governments: Honolulu, Maui, Kauai, & Hawaii.



#### Two SRF Programs:

CWSRF funds
 wastewater projects
 under the Wastewater
 Branch.



 DWSRF funds water projects under the Safe Drinking Water Branch.





## SRF Project Selection County proposes project. Project ranked using criteria such as whether the project:

Is ready to proceed



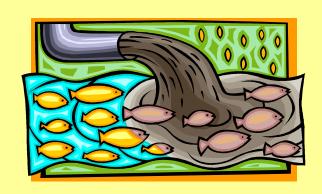
Remedies an enforcement action



Eliminates a health hazard









# Projects funded by CWSRF & DWSRF



#### Kuliouou Sewer Rehabilitation East Oahu







#### Lihue WWTP Digester Repair, Kauai





**Lahaina Pump Station 1 on Maui** 





#### **DWSRF Projects:**







New granular activated carbon facility in Ewa.



# 2010 SRF Funding & Requirement Updates

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#### 2010 Funding Update

EPA provides an annual capitalization grant to the SRF programs which requires a 20% state match.

	CWSRF	DWSRF
EPA cap grant	~ \$15.8 mil	~\$13.6 mil
Required 20%	~ \$3 mil	~ \$2.7 mil
State match		
Total if state	~ \$18.8 mil	~ 16.3 mil
match provided		



#### 2010 SRF Requirements

Davis Bacon

Payment of prevailing wage rate.

Green Project Reserve (GPR)

At least 20% of funds must go toward "green projects."



#### Davis Bacon (DB) Requirements

- Payment of federal prevailing wage rate.
- DB language must be in county contract.
- County shall reference applicable wage determination general decision number.
- Worker interviews to determine compliance.



#### Green Project Reserve (GPR)

20% of funds must go to GPR projects.

• <u>Water efficiency</u> – eg: reuse, water meter installation for system leak detection.

• Energy efficiency – eg: incorporation of solar, wind power for use in plants or stations, use of energy-saving equipment, and energy audits.



### SRF Projects meeting **GPR Criteria**



#### Waimea WWTP Expansion Kauai County



- Increase capacity from 0.3 to 0.7 mgd
- Upgrade to produce R-1 quality water
- Incorporate solar panels producing ~ 160 kW



### Countywide PS Renovations Maui County





Renovate 7 pump stations, replace 15 old pumps with those guaranteed to <u>reduce</u> <u>energy consumption by 20%</u>.



#### Summary

- SRF Programs provide loans to counties to upgrade infrastructure.
- 20% of EPA capitalization grant funds must be allocated to the Green Project Reserve (GPR).



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## Questions, Comments?