

FINANCIAL SECURITY PACKAGE

Applicant (Entity) Name:	
Project Title:	
Contact Person:	Phone: ()

1. Amount of Assistance Requested: \$

2. Term Requested: 20-Year 30-Year

3. Other Project Funding Sources

Name and Type of Funding Sources	Amount	Applied	Approved	Received
	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Current Year Median Household Income: \$

5a. Current Year Estimated Population Served:	5b. Check box if less than 50% of residences are permanently occupied <input type="checkbox"/>
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6. Active Service Connections Not Applicable

Connection Type	Number of Connections	Current Monthly Service Charge	Projected Monthly Service Charge at Project Completion	Average Monthly Billing (Last 12 months)
Residential		\$	\$	\$
Commercial		\$	\$	\$
Industrial		\$	\$	\$
Other		\$	\$	\$
TOTAL		\$	\$	\$

Rate increase effective date for projected monthly service charges:

7. Projected Annual Operations and Maintenance Costs, Including amortized replacement costs (upon completion):	\$
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8. Discussion of Material Events, Material Obligation Conditions, and Any Debt Limit

Identify any current prior material events such as bankruptcy, defaults, litigation, grand jury findings, unscheduled draws on reserve funds, substitution of insurers or their failure to perform, unscheduled draws on credit enhancements, actions taken in anticipation of filing Chapter 9, rating changes, relevant conditions in material obligations, and any local debt limit.

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CWSRF Project #	
Project Manager	
Date Received	

ATTACHMENTS (Check the box next to each item attached to your application.)

- F1 – AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (3 years) AND BUDGETS OR PROJECTIONS (2 years)**
- F2 – TAX QUESTIONNAIRE**
- F3 – REIMBURSEMENT RESOLUTION**
- F4 – AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION**
- F5 – RATE ADOPTION RESOLUTION**
- F6 – PLEDGED REVENUES AND FUND(S) RESOLUTION**
- F7 – RELATED DEBT (see Application Information & Instructions)**
- F8 – NEW SPECIAL TAX, ASSESSMENT DISTRICT, OR SERVICE CHARGE PROJECTIONS (if applicable)**
- F9 – RELEVANT SERVICE, MANAGEMENT, OPERATING, OR JOINT POWERS AGREEMENTS (if applicable)**
- F10 – FUTURE CAPITAL NEEDS (if applicable)**

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
"ENGCP" WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND PROGRAM
TAX QUESTIONNAIRE (Version April 2015)**

LEGAL NAME OF APPLICANT

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CWSRF Project No.

DATE/TIME REC'D BY
SWRCB

Instructions: Answer all and provide all information and documents requested. Begin typing in the shaded area and the space will enlarge to accommodate the information that is typed. In lieu of typing in the shaded areas for any question, a separate page may be attached to this Tax Questionnaire or an electronic file in Word format may be attached.

Certain Definitions: As used in this Tax Questionnaire, "Project" means the facilities and/or capital improvements that you described in the Financial Assistance Application submitted to the State Water Board and constitutes those costs that will be funded by the State Water Board under the Financing Agreement (a template Financing Agreement can be found on the State Water Board's website), "Governmental Entity" means a state, city, county, town, public school district, other special district or joint powers authority, and "Non-Governmental Entity" means any person, partnership, corporation or other organization that is not organized as a state, city, county, town, public school district, other special district or joint powers authority. The federal government constitutes a Non-Governmental Entity. A Section 501(c)(3) organization constitutes a Non-Governmental Entity.

1. Briefly describe the Project, its functions and its principal components.

2. Indicate by principal components your current estimates of the costs of the Project, as follows:

- a. Construction costs \$ _____
- b. Equipment costs \$ _____
- c. Land Purchase \$ _____
- d. Rehabilitation or renovation of facilities \$ _____
- e. Site preparation costs \$ _____
- f. Architectural/engineering, design and planning costs \$ _____
- g. Engineering and administrative costs during construction \$ _____
- h. Surveys \$ _____
- i. Legal fees \$ _____
- j. Financing costs \$ _____
- k. Commitment fees and deposits \$ _____
- l. Other construction costs (please specify) \$ _____
- m. Other planning/design costs (please specify) \$ _____

3. Will any portion of the financing provided under the Financing Agreement be used to refinance other debt(s) (e.g., including any bonds, notes, leases or commercial paper) relating to the Project?

- Yes No Not Applicable

4. If you answered "yes" to Question #3, please state the amount of financing provided under the Financing Agreement that is expected to be used for refinancing purposes.

\$ _____

5. If you answered "yes" to Question #3, please specify the date(s) on which the financing provided under the Financing Agreement will be used to redeem other debt(s) relating to the Project.

6. If you answered "yes" to Question #3, please provide the following information:

- a. Name of the existing indebtedness to be refinanced: _____
- b. Issue date of the existing indebtedness: _____
- c. Par amount of the existing indebtedness: _____
- d. Purpose(s) of the existing indebtedness: _____
- e. Whether the existing indebtedness is immediately prepayable: _____
- f. Whether the interest on the existing indebtedness is federally taxable or tax-exempt: _____

7. If you answered "yes" to Question #3, are any proceeds of the other debt(s) relating to the Project still unspent?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the amounts and the funds or accounts in which such proceeds are on deposit.

8. If you answered "yes" to Question #3, was the other debt(s) to be refinanced with the financing provided under the Financing Agreement used to refinance other prior debt(s) relating to the Project?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please provide the name of the original indebtedness, the issue date of the original indebtedness, the par amount of the original indebtedness, the purpose(s) of the original indebtedness, and whether the interest on the original indebtedness was federally taxable or tax-exempt.

9. Will any portion of the financing provided under the Financing Agreement be used for new financing of the Project?

- Yes No Not Applicable

10. If you answered "yes" to Question #9, please provide the dates of expected commencement and completion of construction of the Project.

Expected Commencement Date of Project:....._____

Expected Completion Date of Project:....._____

11. If you answered "yes" to Question #9, please state the amount of the financing provided under the Financing Agreement that is expected to be used for new financing purposes. If you answered "no" to Question #9, skip to Question #18 below.

\$ _____

12. If you answered "yes" to Question #9, please state the amount of Project costs to be newly financed under the Financing Agreement that are expected to be paid within the following periods of time:

Please respond to this question using the expected initiation date of construction.

Project costs to be spent within 6 months..... \$ _____

Project costs to be spent within 12 months (cumulative) \$ _____

Project costs to be spent within 18 months (cumulative) \$ _____

Project costs to be spent within 24 months (cumulative) \$ _____

Project costs to be spent within 30 months (cumulative) \$ _____

Project costs to be spent within 36 months (cumulative) \$ _____

Project costs to be spent *beyond* 36 months (cumulative)..... \$ _____

13. If you answered "yes" to Question #9, have you paid any costs of the Project prior to the date hereof?

- Yes No Not Applicable

For each Project cost that has been previously paid, please provide an itemization of the following:

- a. Amount of the payment..... _____
- b. Purpose of the payment..... _____
- c. Date of the Payment..... _____
- d. Source of payment of such cost (e.g., revenue, federal or state grants, other financing, internal loan)..... _____

14. If you answered "yes" to Question #13, have you at any time adopted a resolution or other official action (e.g., a so-called "reimbursement resolution") relating to your intent to finance the Project with financial assistance from the State Water Board or other indebtedness?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the date of such resolution or other document and attach a copy.

15. If you answered "yes" to Question #9, will any portion of the financing provided under the Financing Agreement be used to pay administrative or engineering expenses directly relating to the construction of the Project?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please state the amount expected to be so used and provide details as to its calculation (e.g., based on actual costs or a percentage of construction).

16. If you answered "yes" to Question #15, will any portion of the administrative or engineering expenses directly relating to the construction of the Project be incurred by the staff of the Applicant?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please state the amount expected to be so used and provide details as to its calculation (e.g., based on actual costs or a percentage of construction).

17. If you answered "yes" to Question #16, will the administrative or engineering expenses directly relating to the construction of the Project be tracked by an accounting system, such as a cost accounting system, that will allow them to be differentiated from other charges for other work done by the applicant's staff?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please specify how charges will be tracked.

18. Does any Non-Governmental Entity own, or do you anticipate any Non-Governmental Entity owning, any portion of the Project at any time during the term of the financing?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, identify the Non-Governmental Entity and provide all available details with respect to its ownership interest.

19. Does any Non-Governmental Entity lease, or do you anticipate any Non-Governmental Entity leasing, any portion of the Project at any time during the term of the financing?

- Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, identify the Non-Governmental Entity and provide all available details with respect to its lease interest.

20. Have you entered, or do you anticipate entering, into any inter-municipal contract or agreement(s) with any Governmental Entity with respect to the Project (or any portion of the Project) during the term of the financing?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please describe the purpose of each such agreement, and attach a copy of any existing or contemplated agreement.

21. Have you entered, or do you anticipate entering, into any contract or agreement any Non-Governmental Entity contracting to operate, manage or provide any exclusive services with respect to the Project (or any portion of the Project) during the term of the financing?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the Non-Governmental Entity and explain the arrangement. If an operations, management or exclusive services contract currently exists, please attach a copy. Contracts that relate solely to services that are merely incidental to the primary use of the Project need not be listed. Examples of incidental services are contracts for janitorial services, office equipment repairs or billing services. If you are uncertain as to whether the contract is incidental or not, please describe the contract and the services provided thereunder.

22. Does the Project provide, or do you anticipate the Project providing, water or wastewater services to any Non-Governmental Entity other than on the basis of standard rates and charges which are generally applicable and uniformly applied and are adjusted from time to time by the Applicant?

Yes No Not Applicable

If there are or will be any non-standard rates and charges, describe the rate structure, focusing on any special rate agreements or charges for specific entities. An example of a non-standard rate is an industrial user paying a flat fee in a system where the other users pay a rate based on usage.

23. Does any Non-Governmental Entity have, or do you anticipate any Non-Governmental Entity having, special priority rights or other preferential rights to use the Project or the services of the Project pursuant to any contractual or other arrangement?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the Non-Governmental Entity, and describe the special priority or preferential right(s).

24. Are the functions and services of the entire Project available, and do you expect the functions and services of the entire Project will be available, for use by the general public on a first-come, first-served basis?

Yes No Not Applicable

If no, please explain and describe the portion of the Project that is not, or will not, be available for use by the general public. For example, municipal water and wastewater systems used for residential, commercial, governmental and business purposes are available for use by the general public; a specialized pollution control facility immediately adjacent to a private business that is the sole user of the facility is not available for use by the general public.

25. Have you entered, or do you anticipate entering, into a "take" or "take-or-pay" contract with any Non-Governmental Entity for use of any portion of the Project or the services of the Project?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the Non-Governmental Entity, and describe the arrangement therewith. If a take or a take-or-pay contract currently exists, please attach a copy.

26. Will any Non-Governmental Entity guarantee or otherwise be directly obligated to repay the financial assistance provided under the Financing Agreement?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please identify the Non-Governmental Entity, and describe the guarantee arrangement therewith.

27. Have you received, or do you expect to receive, any grant or other form of assistance for financing of any portion of the Project from the State of California, the federal government or any other entity or person?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please explain.

28. Will any portion of the financing projected under the Financing Agreement be used as a substitute for other funds which were otherwise to be used as a source of financing and which have been used or will be used to acquire, directly or indirectly, other investment property?

Yes No Not Applicable

If yes, please explain.

APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND SIGNATURE

I hereby certify that I am an authorized representative of the Applicant, and that I am authorized by the Applicant to execute this Tax Questionnaire. I am charged with the responsibility to perform such acts as are necessary and proper for the financing, construction, acquisition and/or improvement of the Project, and am acting for and on behalf of the Applicant in executing this Tax Questionnaire. I certify that I am familiar with the Project and that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am not aware of any facts or circumstances that would cause me to question the accuracy or reasonableness of any information contained in these responses or attached documentation. I understand that the foregoing information and attached documentation will be relied upon by the State Water Board and their counsel, in providing financing with respect to the Project.

**AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
SIGNATURE**

PRINT NAME AND TITLE

DATE

AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE

RESOLUTION NO: _____

WHEREAS _____ RESOLVED BY THE _____
(insert appropriate findings) *(insert name of Governing Board of the Entity)*
OF THE _____ (the "Entity"), AS FOLLOWS:
(insert Entity name)

The _____ (the "Authorized Representative") or designee is
(insert Title of Authorized Representative)
hereby authorized and directed to sign and file, for and on behalf of the Entity, a Financial Assistance
Application for a financing agreement from the State Water Resources Control Board for the planning, design,
and construction of _____ (the "Project").
(insert Project Name)

This Authorized Representative, or his/her designee, is designated to provide the assurances, certifications,
and commitments required for the financial assistance application, including executing a financial assistance
agreement from the State Water Resources Control Board and any amendments or changes thereto.

The Authorized Representative, or his/her designee, is designated to represent the Entity in carrying out the
Entity's responsibilities under the financing agreement, including certifying disbursement requests on behalf of
the Entity and compliance with applicable state and federal laws.

CERTIFICATION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted
at a meeting of the _____ held
(insert name of Governing Board of the Entity)
on _____
(Date)

(Name, Signature, and Seal of the Clerk or Authorized Record Keeper of the Governing Board of the Agency)

PLEGGED REVENUES AND FUND(S) RESOLUTION

WHEREAS _____
(insert appropriate findings regarding intent, authority, and procedure)
_____;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the _____ (the "Entity") hereby
(insert Entity name)
dedicates and pledges _____
(insert exact name of revenue stream and designated fund containing those revenues)

to payment of any and all Clean Water State Revolving Fund and/or Water Recycling Funding Program
financing for _____ (the "Project"). The
(insert Project name and 4-digit CWSRF Project number)

Entity commits to collecting such revenues and maintaining such fund(s) throughout the term of such
financing and until the Entity has satisfied its repayment obligation thereunder unless modification or
change is approved in writing by the State Water Resources Control Board. So long as the financing
agreement(s) are outstanding, the Entity's pledge hereunder shall constitute a lien in favor of the State
Water Resources Control Board on the foregoing fund(s) and revenue(s) without any further action
necessary. So long as the financing agreement(s) are outstanding, the Entity commits to maintaining the
fund(s) and revenue(s) at levels sufficient to meet its obligations under the financing agreement(s).

CERTIFICATION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted
at a meeting of the _____ held
(insert name of Governing Board of the Entity)
on _____
(Date)

(Name, Signature, and Seal of the Clerk or Authorized Record Keeper of the Governing Board of the Agency)

RELATED DEBT

The following related debts are senior to the proposed CWSRF financing:

Name of Lender and Title of Debt or Loan Number	Debt Security or Source of Revenue	Debt Service Coverage Requirement	Rating	Original Debt Amount	Current Balance	Payment Amount	Interest Rate	Debt Term & Maturity Date
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/

The following related debts are on parity to the proposed Financing Agreement:

Name of Lender and Title of Debt or Loan Number	Debt Security or Source of Revenue	Debt Service Coverage Requirement	Rating	Original Debt Amount	Current Balance	Payment Amount	Interest Rate	Debt Term & Maturity Date
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/

The following related debts are subordinate to the proposed Financing Agreement:

Name of Lender and Title of Debt or Loan Number	Debt Security or Source of Revenue	Debt Service Coverage Requirement	Rating	Original Debt Amount	Current Balance	Payment Amount	Interest Rate	Debt Term & Maturity Date
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/
				\$	\$	\$		/

Attach copies of the debt documents associated with the above debts.