

# WHAT'S NEW FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2022/2023 SOLID WASTE GRANTS PROGRAM APPLICATION

**Completing the Solid Waste Grant Application Webinar:**  
**Tuesday, May 24, 2022**  
**9:00 AM to 11:00 AM**  
[Register Here](#)

The workshop will provide time for applicants to ask questions regarding their applications and proposed projects, and will include:

- Overview of the Solid Waste Grant Program
- How to Complete the Online Application
- Important Deadlines and Future Requirements
- Question / Answer Session

Applicants requiring further assistance will need to schedule an individual assistance appointment. First time applicants **are strongly encouraged to attend the May 24<sup>th</sup> workshop.**

Grants are awarded on a competitive basis. A project or service funded under this program must be consistent with the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan and must be intended to implement the goals, objectives, and priorities established in the [Regional Solid Waste Management Plan](#).

## NEW FOR FY23 REQUEST FOR PROJECT APPLICATION

### GRANT CATEGORIES

Local Solid Waste Management Plans and Technical Studies projects will not be permitted during this round of funding due to a shortened length of time for implementation.

### ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

Personnel and Fringe Benefits will not be eligible for grant funds.

### PROJECT FEASIBILITY

As part of the Project Feasibility question in the application, you must complete and attach your expected timeline for implementation of your project if selected for funding.

### ECONOMIC VIABILITY

The Economic Viability question in the application is changing its name to Return on Investment. The intent of the question is staying the same. It's just the name that is changing.

### GRANT SCORING

The points for two question on the application are changing. Need for Project was previously worth 20 points and Project Feasibility was worth 10 points. Both are now worth 15 points.

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