



Solid Waste Cleanup Grants and Loans Program Local Government Matching Grants

Public entities bear a financial responsibility for maintaining public landfill sites in compliance with State regulations and standards. The program provides financial assistance in the form of reimbursement grants up to \$750,000 in matching funds for eligible costs to assist public entities requiring financial assistance, and committed to accelerating the pace of cleanup, restoring sites, and protecting public health and safety and the environment.

Application Package

Grant Cycles for Fiscal Year 2008/09 UPDATED

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1	September 15, 2008	November 18, 2008
2	December 15, 2008	February 24, 2009
3	March 15, 2009	May 19, 2009

- UPDATED Application (Revised Sept. 17, 2008): [Adobe PDF](#), 84 KB | [MS Word](#), 130 KB
- Attachment A-Application Cover Sheet (CIWMB 233): [Adobe PDF](#), 31 KB | [MS Word](#), 52 KB
- Attachment B-Sample Resolution (CIWMB 234): [Adobe PDF](#), 21 KB | [MS Word](#), 47 KB
- Attachment C-General Checklist of Business Permits, Licenses and Filings Form (CIWMB 669): [Adobe PDF](#), 35 KB | [MS Word](#), 219 KB
- Attachment D-Environmental Justice Certification (CIWMB 235): [Adobe PDF](#), 16 KB | [MS Word](#), 31 KB
- Attachment E-Recycled-Content Product Purchasing and Sustainable Practices Evaluation Form (CIWMB 236): [Adobe PDF](#), 50 KB | [MS Word](#), 76 KB
- Attachment F-Site Characterization Form (CIWMB 237): [Adobe PDF](#), 117 KB | [MS Word](#), 223 KB
- [Program Definitions](#)

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Solid Waste Cleanup Grants and Loans

Grants to Public Entities to Abate Illegal Disposal Sites

Widespread illegal dumping of solid waste adversely impacts Californians in many ways. Properties on which illegal dumping occurs lose economic value; create public health and safety and environmental problems; and degrade the enjoyment and pride in the affected communities. Abandoned, idled, or underutilized properties due to unauthorized dumping impact what were once the sources of economic benefits to a community. Many such properties have been abandoned or have owners who are unable or unwilling to pay the costs of cleanup. This program provides financial assistance in the form of reimbursement grants up to \$500,000 to help public entities accelerate the pace of cleanup, restore sites, and turn today's problems into tomorrow's opportunities.

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Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) Grants and Loans

Notice of Funding Availability--2008/2009 Cycle, Landfill Closure Loan Program

The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) is authorized to award low or interest-free loans to operators of unlined, older-technology landfills who desire to close early to avoid or mitigate potential environmental problems caused or threatened by continued operation of the site. Landfill Closure Loan Program (LCLP) loans are awarded on a competitive basis. Applicants must complete and submit an application to CIWMB.

Funding

CIWMB is offering approximately \$640,000 in competitive, interest-free loans under this Notice of Funding Availability. LCLP anticipates awarding loans by March 1, 2009. Loans shall be repayable over a period not to exceed ten (10) years. Maximum loan amounts may not exceed \$500,000 per landfill project.

Eligibility

Eligible applicants are limited to operators of unlined, older-technology landfills who desire to close early to avoid or mitigate potential environmental problems caused or threatened by continued operation of the site. Landfills must have a current solid waste facilities permit, and must be using a trust fund(s) or enterprise fund(s) as financial assurance mechanism(s) to fund landfill closure. The mechanisms must be in compliance with the current required level of funding and meet all other requirements provided in Title 27, California Code of Regulations, Section 22200 et seq. The operator must be able to repay the loan in a timely manner, promptly and properly close the site, and adequately maintain the site once it is closed.

Priority

The highest funding priority will be given to those landfills that demonstrate the highest degree of risk to public health and safety, are small, located in a rural area, have approved closure and postclosure maintenance plans and propose complete closure of the site.

Eligible Projects

Loan proceeds may be used for any and all purposes related to the closure of an eligible landfill as approved by CIWMB, including, without limitation, construction costs consistent with the landfill's approved final closure plan, planning and design costs necessary to prepare the final closure and postclosure maintenance plans, costs of preparing environmental documents associated with the final closure and postclosure maintenance plans or closure, and governmental fees associated with the final closure and postclosure maintenance plans or closure.

Application Deadline

Complete applications, including all necessary attachments but excluding approved resolutions or letters of authorization, if applicable, must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the CIWMB's Sacramento office at 1001 I Street, Sacramento, California, no later than **4:00 p.m. Thursday, January 15, 2009**, to be considered for the initial evaluation of applications. Applications postmarked or received after Thursday, January 15, 2009 may be considered on a first-come, first-served basis if there are remaining loan funds available after CIWMB awards the initial loans. Only mailed or hand-delivered applications will be accepted. Faxed or emailed applications will not be considered.

Please mail applications to:

California Integrated Waste Management Board
Landfill Closure Loan Program
Cleanup, Closure and Financial Assurance Division
Attn: JoAnne Byrne

P.O. Box 4025, M.S. 10A-18
Sacramento, CA 95812-4025

or

1001 I Street, M.S. 10A-18
Sacramento, CA 95814

For More Information or to Obtain an Application Package

- Visit the [LCLP home page](#) to download the application and instructions.
- Contact [JoAnne Byrne](#) for more information on the LCLP or to receive an application by mail.

Landfill Closure Loan Program Home

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Notice of Funds Available: Tire-Derived Product Grants (FY 2008/09)

The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) offers the Tire-Derived Product (TDP) Grant Program to promote markets for recycled content products derived from waste tires generated in California and to decrease the adverse environmental impacts created by the unlawful disposal and stockpiling of waste tires.

Eligibility

Applicants

- **Public entities:** California cities, counties, public colleges, public universities, school districts, qualifying California Indian tribes, park districts, special districts, and public recreational facilities, fire departments, police departments, and State agencies.
- **Private schools:** low-income (defined as qualified for the National School Lunch Program), non-profit private schools listed on the California Department of Education Private School Affidavit List; includes kindergarten through twelfth grade (K-12).
- **Community Housing Development Organizations (CHDO):** low-income housing organizations, certified as CHDOs by the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD).

Projects

- Products must be made from 100 percent recycled California waste tires.
- Truck tire buffings may be used in the project, but will not be reimbursed by CIWMB under this grant program.
- Project(s) must divert a minimum of 2,500 California waste tires. Multiple products/projects may be combined to achieve a combined minimum of 2,500 California waste tires diverted.
- Project(s) must be "new," that is, it has never received CIWMB grant funds (i.e., the same TDP type (mats or mulch) at the same project site).

Funding

- \$2,000,000 available for fiscal year (FY) 2008/09.
- \$150,000 per grant award for all entities except large school districts.
- \$250,000 per grant award for large school districts only. For purposes of this grant, large school districts are those districts with at least 43,000 students.

Grant Term

The anticipated term of this grant is approximately two years depending on the month in which the grant is awarded. The official start date for incurring grant costs will commence upon grantee's receipt of a formal notification entitled "Notice to Proceed" (NTP) from the CIWMB. Thus, the grant term for FY 2008/09 TDP grants is from the NTP date through March 31, 2011.

Grantees will have approximately two years to complete their projects and all costs must be incurred and goods and/or services received during the grant term.

Application Deadline

Applications must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the Cal/EPA Headquarters Building no later than 3:00 p.m. on November 21, 2008.

Question-and-Answer Process

Question deadline: **October 24, 2008**

Program-specific questions regarding the application must be submitted in writing. Questions and answers (Q&A) will be posted periodically during the Q&A period on this site.

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Tire Recycling, Cleanup, and Enforcement Grants Rubberized Asphalt Concrete (RAC) Grants

→ General Information

→ Eligibility

→ Funding

→ Cycle-Specific Information

→ Questions

General Information

The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) provides the Rubberized Asphalt Concrete (RAC) Grant Programs to promote markets for recycled-content surfacing products derived from waste tires generated in California and decrease the adverse environmental impacts created by unlawful disposal and stockpiling of waste tires.

Beginning with fiscal year 2008/09, the CIWMB approved a single, consolidated application for use with the following RAC grant programs:

→ Targeted RAC Incentive (TRI).

→ RAC Use.

→ RAC Chip Seal.

Eligibility

Applicant

Eligible applicants include cities, counties, and qualifying Indian tribes that fund public works projects located in California.

Project

One hundred percent (100%) California waste tires must be used in the rubber portion of the project(s).

Targeted RAC Incentive Grant Program (Categories 1-3)

→ RAC material must meet American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) D 6114-97(2002) "Standard Specification for Asphalt-Rubber Binder."

→ Project(s) must use a minimum of 3,500 tons of RAC.

RAC Use Grant Program (Category 4)

→ Projects must use a minimum of 20 pounds of crumb rubber per ton of hot mix.

→ Project(s) must use at least 1,250 tons of RAC hot mix.

RAC Chip Seal Grant Program (Categories 5-6)

→ RAC chip seal material must contain a minimum of 300 pounds (equivalent to 15 percent by weight) of tire-derived crumb rubber per ton of rubberized binder.

→ Project(s) must use a minimum area of 35,000 square yards of RAC chip seal material.

Funding

→ The maximum grant award per jurisdiction is \$250,000 per program, but not more than a total of \$500,000 per

fiscal year.

- One or more projects can be combined into a single grant.
- The funding of project(s) is based on the amount of RAC material used and eligible testing costs.
- The award amount is based on a particular reimbursement rate depending on the grant program and category.

Cycle-Specific Information

Current Cycle

The application deadlines for RAC Grant Programs, fiscal year (FY) 2008/09 are: October 31, 2008 and January 30, 2009.

Past Cycles

Targeted RAC Incentive Grant Program

- FY 2007/08
- FYs 2005/06 and 2006/07

RAC Use Grant Program

- RAC10, 11, 12, and 13 (FY 2007/08)
- RAC7, 8, and 9 (FY 2006/07)
- RAC5 and 6 (FY 2005/06)
- RAC3 and 4 (FY 2004/05)
- RAC1 and 2 (FY 2003/04)

RAC Chip Seal Grant Program

- TCS 1, 2, and 3 (FY2007/08)

Questions?

If you have questions that are program-specific, please contact Pamela Kelley, Victoria Rocha, or Nate Gauff.

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Tire Grants

Waste Tire Enforcement (TEA) Grants

→ General Information

→ Eligibility

→ Funding

→ Cycle-Specific Information

→ Questions

General Information

The CIWMB offers TEA grants to solid waste local enforcement agencies and city and county agencies in California to investigate illegal tire disposal activities, perform waste tire facilities inspections, and survey tire dealers, auto dismantlers, tire haulers, and other points of waste tire generation to ensure compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, including the manifest system.

Eligibility

Applicants

An applicant must have 50 or more waste tire sites in their jurisdictions, and must be one of the following:

- A local enforcement agency (LEA);
- An environmental health agency;
- A code enforcement agency; or,
- An existing waste tire enforcement grantee that was determined to be eligible under the eligibility requirements of previous grant cycles, received grant funding, and has demonstrated satisfactory performance as determined by CIWMB staff.

Existing Joint Applicants

Applying city and county agencies that are under the jurisdiction of an existing waste tire enforcement grantee or an LEA applying simultaneously for this grant are not eligible unless the city/county agency:

1. Meets the eligibility requirements of this grant;
2. Notifies the existing grantee and the CIWMB of their intent to apply;
3. Meets with the existing grantee and the CIWMB; and,
4. Demonstrates complementary services are needed in their jurisdictions. Based on the information provided by the applying agency, the CIWMB will determine whether the applicant will qualify as an eligible grant recipient.

Joint Applicants

Cities or counties may submit a regional application with authorization from other cities and/or counties participating in the regional application. A regional lead jurisdiction may be designated for regional programs to act in behalf of all participating jurisdictions. Each jurisdiction may submit only one grant application. Therefore, if a jurisdiction submits an application as part of a regional program, it cannot apply individually or as part of another regional program.

Activities

- Investigating illegal tire disposal activities;
- Performing inspections of waste tire facilities; and,
- Surveying tire dealers, auto dismantlers, tire haulers, and other points of waste tire generation to ensure

compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, including the new manifest system. Inspections are to be followed up with appropriate compliance actions to ensure that operators are complying with all tire facility regulations, including, but not limited to, storage standards, use of registered tire haulers, and manifest requirements.

Funding

Funding for this grant is based upon Board determination and populations as shown below:

- Jurisdictions with populations equal to or less than 900,000 would be eligible to receive up to \$300,000;
- Jurisdictions with populations between 900,001 and 1,999,999 would be eligible to receive up to \$450,000; and,
- Jurisdictions with populations in excess of 2,000,000 would be eligible to receive up to \$600,000.

Cycle-Specific Information

Current Cycle

The application deadline for the Waste Tire Enforcement (TEA) Grants, 16th cycle (TEA16), fiscal year (FY) 2008/09 is **October 31, 2008**.

Past Cycles

- FYs 2007/08 | 2006/07 | 2005/06 | 2004/05 | 2003/04 | 2002/03 | 2001/02 | 1999/20

Questions?

If you have questions that are program specific, please contact Sophia Mercado.

Enforcement grantees, please visit the Waste Tire Enforcement Grantee Toolbox for information to help you with your enforcement responsibilities.

Tire Grants Home

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Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant Program

What Is the Farm and Ranch Grant Program?

The Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant Program provides funding from the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) for the cleanup of illegal solid waste sites on farm or ranch property.

Grants are limited to \$50,000 per cleanup or abatement project, with a limit of \$200,000 per year for each eligible applicant.

What Is Farm or Ranch Property?

Farm or ranch property is property that is used for rangeland or agricultural activities such as, but not limited to, commercial livestock and crop production, horticulture, aquaculture, silviculture, floriculture, vermiculture, and viticulture. Farm or ranch property can be publicly or privately owned and need not have active sales or production, but must be appropriately zoned or otherwise authorized for agricultural activities.



Illegal disposal site in Stanislaus County.

Who Is Eligible to Apply for the Grant?

Only cities, counties, resource conservation districts, and federally recognized Native American tribes may apply. Property owners who desire grant funding to clean up their property must work with one of the entities listed above. See the "Need more information?" section for contact information.

What Sites Are Eligible for Grants?

Sites may be eligible for grant funding if the property meets all of the following criteria:

- Unauthorized solid waste disposal has occurred on a farm or ranch parcel(s).
- Property is in need of cleanup to abate a nuisance or public health and safety threat and/or a threat to the environment.
- Property is zoned or otherwise authorized for agricultural activities.

What Sites Are Not Eligible?

Illegal solid waste sites on farm or ranch property will not qualify for grant funding if the city, county, resource conservation district, or Native American tribe determines that the property owner is responsible for the illegal disposal or dumping.

What Cleanup Activities May This Grant Money Be Used for?

Eligible expenses include, but are not limited to:

- Waste removal and disposal.
- Recycling.
- Drainage control and grading improvement.
- Slope and foundation stabilization.
- Equipment rental.

- Excavation.
- Revegetation.
- Site security.
- Public education.
- Removal of chloroflorocarbons (CFC).
- Administrative costs up to 7 percent of the cleanup costs expended.

Can a Property Owner Get Reimbursed for a Previous Cleanup?

Yes. Reimbursement of costs previously incurred by a farm or ranch property owner for cleanup or abatement of an illegal solid waste site is allowed. However, verification and documentation must be provided to clearly show that:

- Eligibility criteria have been met (see "What sites are eligible for grants?").
- Costs incurred were used specifically for the cleanup or abatement work.

Whenever possible, property owners should coordinate with one of the eligible grant recipients prior to cleanup.

What Are the Filing Dates for Grant Applications?

There are no specific filing dates; grant applications are accepted continuously and reviewed on a quarterly basis.

Need More Information?

To locate a resource conservation district office that may be able to apply for a grant on your behalf, contact:

California Association of Resource
Conservation Districts
Phone: (916) 457-7904, Ext.10
Fax: (916) 457-7934
www.carcd.org

To locate a city or county office that may be able to apply for a grant on your behalf, or for more information about the Farm and Ranch Grant Program, contact the CIWMB's Remediation, Closure, and Technical Assistance Branch.

Carla Repucci
Farm and Ranch Grant Program Manager
Phone: (916) 341-6316
E-Mail: crepucci@ciwmb.ca.gov

General information and an application package are also available on our website at www.ciwmb.ca.gov/LEACentral/GrantsLoans/FarmRanch/.

Other CIWMB Grants for Illegal Dumping

Solid Waste Disposal Site Cleanup Grants

These are competitive grants available to public entities. These grants can finance remediation projects at solid waste disposal sites where there is a threat to public health and safety or the environment, and where the responsible party is unable or unwilling to perform the timely remediation or is unidentified.

Local Government Waste Tire Cleanup Grants

These are grants available to local government entities (including local enforcement agencies [LEA], county and city departments, fire districts, and code enforcement agencies) and California Native American organizations. Grants will be awarded on a competitive basis for the removal, transportation, recycling, and disposal of waste tires from illegal tire piles and areas where illegal dumping has occurred along public rights-of-way.

The CIWMB website offers more information on these and other grant programs:
www.ciwmb.ca.gov/Grants/.