Regional Funding Opportunities

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Grants in red are no longer being provided/funded.

Information in purple was listed in CRWP 2013 list but not updated or confirmed in this list.



Agriculture							
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:
		Erosion Control				Projects must be in areas where land use is primarily agricultural.	
Agricultural, Stormwater Retrofits N	Great Lakes Sediment and	Focus on three areas: implementing the 4R Nutrient Stewardship program, reducing phosphorus run-off into the Great Lakes with long-term permanent practices, and reducing phosphorus runoff into the Great Lakes with management practices.	\$30,000 - Small scale site specific (10-12 total); \$200,000 - Watershed scale	- - 1	sh; March 31 2016 by	Project requirements: (1) have a direct and discernible reduction of sediment, particulate phosphorus and dissolved phosphorus into the Great Lakes; (2)address phosphorus and sediment problems from agricultural and rural land	http://keepingitontheland.
	Nutrient Reduction Program	All projects within Western Lake Erie Basin will be required to have participating landusers participate in 4R nutrient management and conduct a stratified soil test on participating fields before a practice is installed. All projects must explicitly				and phosphorus control; (4) share the results, through outreach and technology transfer with the public; and (5) encourages the development of partnerships and networks.	net/apply-for-funding/
		reduce sediment and particulate and/or dissolved phosphorus into the Great Lakes.				Watershed scale can be up to 3 HUCs	
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Agricultural, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Nonpoint Source	Agriculture/silviculture improvements and BMPs, wellhead protection, landfill closure, stream corridor restoration/protection, hazardous waste cleanup (brownfields)	N/A	N/A	August	Available for both private and public entities	http://epa.ohio.gov/defa/o fa.aspx#169558739-water- pollution-control-loan- fund-wpclfnonpoint-
	Water Pollution					Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and implementation steps	source-water-pollution
Water & Wastewater	OWDA Water	Implementation of agricultural or forestry		N/A		Eligible: individuals, private agencies, or government agencies intending to control a source of nonpoint source pollution	http://www.owda.org/doc s/document_selector/uplo
	Pollution Control Loan Fund Linked Deposit Program	BMPs, on-site wastewater disposal systems, or other non-point source pollution control	N/A		Ongoing	Term: 10 yrs for private, 20 yrs for public borrowers - not to extend useful life of the control	ad/Water%20Pollution%20 Control%20Linked%20Dep osit%20Program.pdf

Education and (Outreach						
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:
Education/Outreach	ODNR Nonpoint Source Pollution Education Grants	Mini grants for educator workshops, student field days, water festivals, storm drain stenciling, landowner & developer seminars, and other watershed awareness initiatives.	\$500, can request up to \$1000	N/A	15-Oct 15-Dec 15-Mar	SWCDs must be applicant; schools and other local organizations can work through them. Contact Jeanne Russel (614-265-6682) for information	http://ohiodnr.com/gra nts
Education/Outreach	Ohio EPA Ohio Environmental	Targets environmental issues in OH with significant need for more education and awareness.	General Grant: \$50,000	10% cash or in-kind	January 15 and July	Target audiences include preschool to university students and teachers, general public, and regulated community (farmers included)	General Grant: http://www.epa.ohio.go v/Portals/42/documents /2016OEEFGeneralGran tGuidelinesFINAL.pdf
Education/Oddreach	Education Fund	Projects demonstrating/encouraging: BMPs for nutrients, innovative stormwater BMPs, reduction of air emissions, importance of habitat restoration efforts	Mini Grant: \$5,000	match (OEEF)	15 every year	General grants awarded for two-year term but encouraged to be completed in 12 months Mini grants awarded for 12 month period	Mini Grant: http://www.epa.ohio.go v/Portals/42/documents /2016MiniGrantGuidelin esFinal.pdf
Education/Outreach	Ohio Lake Erie Basin Stormwater Training Grants	Provides grants to organizations that provide needed stormwater training to professionals and local government officials to enable better informed decisions that reduce the adverse impact of stormwater on water resources.	Maximum Award \$500 for individual entity or \$1,500 for collaborating entities	N/A	N/A	Proposals must have an educational purpose that promotes more effective planning, policy-making, design, program management or resource management and show that a documented training need will be addressed. Applicants will be required to collect data through participant evaluation surveys. Contact john.mathews@dnr.state.oh.us to inquire about 2012 requests for proposals.	http://www.dnr.state.o h.us/L inkClick.aspx?fileticket= annJ2 L7AI24%3D&tabid=1531 6
Education/Outreach	Safe Routes to School	Supports creative walking and bicycling to school programs	\$1,000 mini-grants	N/A	October	Mini-grant activities should occur between January 1 and the end of the spring semester.	http://www.saferoutesi nfo.or g/funding- portal/mini-grants
Education and	US EPA Urban Waters Grant	nartherships that produce multiple		minimum	November	Project activities must be entirely in one of Eligible Geographic Areas One-two year project period Meet four objectives: (1) address local water quality issues related to urban	
Education and Outreach, Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration			\$40,000-\$60,000	non- federal	Last deadline: November 20, 2015	runoff pollution; (2) provide additional community benefits; (3) actively engage underserved communities; and (4) foster partnership. Projects must be one of two types: (1) Community Greening and Green Infrastructure or (2) Communities and Water Quality Data	https://www.epa.gov/u rbanwaters/urban- waters-small-grants

Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Research, Education/Outreach	US EPA Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI)	Strategically target the biggest threats to Great Lakes ecosystems and accelerate progress toward long term goals Toxic substances and areas of concern, invasive species, nonpoint source pollution impacts on nearshore health, habitats and species, and foundation for future restoration actions	Varies by focus area and program, some awards are up to \$800.00	N/A	September (September 28, 2015)	2015 categories: invasive spp prevention, invasive spp control, urban watershed management implementation, Maumee River Watershed Nutrient Prevention Pilot Project	https://www.epa.gov/gr eat-lakes-funding
Open Space Acquisition, Park	ODNR	Includes development of urban trail linkages, trailhead & trailside facilities, acquisition of easements & property, development and construction of new trails, maintenance of existing trails; restoration of trail areas damaged by	Up to 80%	20%	1-Feb	Cities and villages, counties, townships, special districts, state and federal agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor-
Improvements, Education and Outreach	Recreational Trails Program	usage; improving access for people with disabilities, purchase and lease of recreational trail construction and maintenance equipment; environment and safety education programs related to trails	reimbursement		Last Deadline: April 1, 2016	Can submit the same application for this program and the Clean Ohio Trails Fund; no need to fill out 2 separate applications.	recreation-facility- grants
Education and Outreach; Stormwater Retrofits	Freshwater Future Climate Grant Program	Preparing and responding to climate change impacts in the Great Lakes region Projects addressing problems such as larger rain events and longer periods of drought and heat; preferred to bring other community benefits as well like beautification or food	N/A	N/A	15-May-15	Projects preferred: underserved communities, on-the-ground project to reduce climate impacts, climate mitigation component (solar energy), advocate for decision-making addressing climate change impacts, encourage local regulations reducing vulnerability to impacts	http://freshwaterfuture. org/grants/climate- grant-program/
Restoration, Foundaries Education and Star and Outreach W Rest	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Grants	Wildlife Foundation Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Grants Wildlife ennancement; and/or water quality monitoring and stormwater management; along with targeted community outreach, education and stewardship	\$50,000	1 to 1 minimum	February	Funding priorities include: (1) On-the-ground wetland, riparian, in-stream and/or coastal habitat restoration; (2) Meaningful education and training activities, either through community outreach, participation and/or integration with K-12 environmental curriculum; (3) Measurable ecological, educational and community benefits; (4) Partnerships: Five Star projects should engage a diverse group of community partners to achieve ecological and educational outcomes	http://www.nfwf.org/Pa ges/f ivestar/2013rfp.aspx
		Requires establishment or enhancement of diverse partnerships and an education/outreach component that will help shape and sustain behavior to achieve conservation goals	Minimum \$20,000			Different amounts of funding available depending on geographic area	
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	ODNR Coastal Management Assistance Grants	Habitat restoration, coastal land acquisition, water quality, coastal planning, public access, education/outreach, research/data collection	N/A	50% (1:1) Nonfederal	Early December	All projects must be conducted within the Designated Ohio Coastal Management Area boundary or will be able to demonstrate direct, substantial benefits to that area. Good source for restoration plans, feasibility/engineering studies.	http://coastal.ohiodnr.g ov/cmagrants

Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Section 319 Grants	Nonpoint source pollution, stream/wetland restoration, agricultural BMPs, acid mine drainage, riparian restoration, riparian & wetland protection (conservation easements), other nonpoint source implementation projects	Up to 60% of project costs	40%	August	Projects must be identified in completed TMDLs or Watershed Action Plans. All projects must include a project-specific public education component. Up to 3 year grant period Only one application per HUC-8 watershed	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/index.aspx#1 20843254-319-grants
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Surface Water Improvement	demonstration (public property only),	\$150,000	N/A	April	Created in 2008. Several RFPs based on project location. Cuyahoga SWIF has been augmented with GLRI funding. Awarded for a two-year period, but projects that can be completed within 12 months score better	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/swif.aspx
	, ,					Currently on hiatus since 2014 Must include project-specific education and outreach activities	_
Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District (NEORSD) Green Infrastructure Grants (GIG)	Green infrastructure implementation and long-term maintenance	\$250,000	N/A but encouraged	Early November	Must be located in Sewer District's combined sewer area Must be in compliance with Title IV requirements without using GIG funding to meet those requirements	http://www.neorsd.org/ greenfunding.php
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach	State Energy Program (SEP)	Address energy priorities such as adopting emerging renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies	Depends on funding allocated to state	20% non- federal for all funding allocated to the state	Deadline per bid - check website	Advance energy solutions through regional networks, strategic energy planning, executive orders, legislation and local ordinances, management of local retrofits, and land-use plans	https://development.oh io.gov/bs/bs_seprogram .htm
Clean Energy, Education and	Ohio EPA Diesel Emissions Reduction Grant	Reduce air emissions from diesel fleets	Reimburse up to 80% of project costs	20% non- federal	Mid-October	Eligible: fleets operating at least 65% of the time in Ohio non-attainment counties for fine particulates or ozone (all counties in Tinker's Creek Watershed)	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/oeef/EnvironmentalE ducation.aspx#1313642
Outreach	Program		\$50,000-\$1,000,000	rederai		Funded by Federal Highway Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ) Private sector fleets must apply through a public sector partner	51-clean-school-bus- grants
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Alternative Fuel Vehicle Grants	Reimburse business owners of large diesel or gasoline vehicles weighing 26,000 lbs or more for a portion of the cost of replacing/converting the vehicle to run on compressed natural gas, liquefied natural gas, or propane	Per vehicle: Lesser of: (1) 50% of adjusted purchase price of new vehicle (fuel components); (2) 50% of cost of conversion parts; or (3) \$25,000	Remaining costs	Spring 2017	At least half of the miles driven by a vehicle must be in Ohio	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/oeef/EnvironmentalE ducation.aspx#1313650 76-alternative-fuel- vehicle-grants
		autogas	\$400,000 overall			Expected to begin applications in spring 2017	
Education and Outreach	ODNR Aquatic Education Rod and Reel Grant	To assist Passport to Fishing instructors working with an organization to promote fishing and aquatic education	\$2,500	N/A	Not listed	Must be certified instructor	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/aquatic- education#tabr2

Education and Outreach, Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Urban Bird Treaty Grant	Engage urban citizens in bird conservation and foster a sense of stewardship Enhancing urban habitats for birds, engaging citizens in bird conservation, and connecting diverse and youth audiences to birds and bird conservation	N/A	1:1 match	February	Address three of more of the Urban Bird Treaty goals 2016 applicants encouraged to hold an event to celebrate the centennial of the Convention between the US and Great Britain for the Protection of Migratory Birds Restricted to urban areas working with partners listed on website	https://www.fws.gov/bi rds/grants/urban-bird- treaty.php
Education and Outreach	US Fish & Wildlife Service Aquatic Resource Education Program	Angler education, developing outdoor ethics, stewardship and conservation to increase public understanding of the nation's water resources and associated aquatic life	75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	Part of the Sport Fish Restoration Program Contact Julie Morin (612-713-5156) for application information	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/AquaticEd/AE.h tm
Education and Outreach	US Fish & Wildlife Service Hunter Education Program	Firearm operations and safety, wildlife management, nature conservation, ethics, game laws, outdoor survival and wilderness first aid	75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	Part of the Wildlife Restoration Program Contact Julie Morin (612-713-5156) for application information	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/HunterEd/HE.ht m
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	US Fish & Wildlife Service Wildlife Restoration (WR) Program	Restore, conserve, manage, and enhance wild birds and mammals and their habitats Providing public use and access to wildlife resources	75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	User pay, user benefit program funded through the purchase of firearms, ammunitions, and archery equipment	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/WR/WR.htm
Education and Outreach	ODNR Aquatic Education Step Outside Grant	Small educational events promoting conservation, hunting, shooting, or fishing	\$500	N/A	Ongoing - at least 60 days before event	Eligible costs: insurance, picnic supplies/refreshments, ammunition, shooting supplies, targets, and clay targets, live bait and terminal fishing tackle, advertisement flyers and brochures for the scheduled event, special population supplies, and services (interpreters, adaptive equipment) Apply for up to two grants per year	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/aquatic- education#tabr2
Education and Outreach	ODNR Aquatic Education Grant	Increase aquatic stewardship and sportfishing participation Projects must include opportunity for participants to engage in aquatic education learning experience and hands-on fishing	\$10,000	25%	September- December	Eligible costs: insurance, picnic supplies/refreshments, live bait and terminal fishing tackle, advertisement flyers and brochures for the scheduled event, special population supplies, and services (interpreters, adaptive equipment)	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/aquatic- education#tabr2
Education and Outreach	ODNR WILD School Sites Small Grant Program	Start up grants for WILD School Sites or outdoor classroom projects	\$500	N/A	September 1st - May 31st	Eligible entities: local schools, government agencies, non-profit organizations, and other school-oriented facilities Materials, equipment, or activities unaffordable to the organization but not a permanent source of money The grant project coordinator(s) must have attended a Project WILD, Aquatic WILD, Growing Up WILD, or Science and Civics workshop to be eligible for funding	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/conservation- education-project- wild#tabr4

Education and Outreach	ODNR Conservation Club Competitive Partnership Grant	Encourage participation in wildlife- related recreational activities like fishing, hunting, trapping, and shooting sports education on a local level	\$15,000 per club - can be divided into 10 projects	N/A	January 1 - March 15, 2017	Eligible entities: local conservation clubs and non-profit organizations	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/grant- opportunities
Education and Outreach	US EPA Environmental Education (EE) Grants	Environmental education projects that promote environmental awareness and stewardship and provide people with the skills to take responsible actions to protect the environment	\$91,000	25% nonfederal	April	Design, demonstrate, or disseminate environmental education practices, methods, or techniques Address at least one of the following environmental priorities: climate change and improving air quality; taking actions on toxics and chemical safety; making a visible difference in communities; protecting water; new era of state, local, and tribal partnerships	https://www.epa.gov/education/environmentaleeducation-ee-grants
Planning, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	US EPA Pollution Prevention Grant Program	Implementing pollution prevention technical assistance services and/or training for businesses and supporting projects that utilize pollution prevention techniques to reduce and/or eliminate pollution from air, water and/or land	\$40,000-\$360,000	50%	May	Eligible entities: state governments, colleges and universities (recognized as instrumentalities of the state), federally-recognized tribes and intertribal consortia 40 grants annually	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach, Research, Water & Waste Infrastructure	US EPA Source Reduction Assistant (SRA) Grant Program	Pollution prevention through source reduction and resource conservation work	\$20,000-\$260,000	5%	June	One or more of the following methods: surveys, studies, research, investigation, experimentation, education, training and/or demonstrations Two year grant period 20 grants annually	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention
Education & Outreach; Solid Waste/Litter	US EPA Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training (EWDJT) Grants	Solid waste and hazardous waste remediation, environmental health and safety, integrated pest management, and wastewater-related training	\$200,000 total; split per category	N/A	January	Recruit, train, and place local, unemployed, and under-employed residents with the skills needed for full-time employment in the environmental field Residents in communities with economic disinvestment, health disparities, and environmental contamination, including low-income, minority, and tribal communities Target dislocated workers, or those laid off as a result of recent manufacturing plant closures, severely under-employed individuals, or unemployed individuals, including low income and minority residents of waste-impacted communities, veterans, and those with little to no advanced education Posted on Office of Land and Emergency Management Grants website when open	https://www.epa.gov/gr ants/office-land-and- emergency- management-grants- and-funding

Restoration										
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:			
Restoration	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation Sustain Our	Improving quality and connectivity of streams, riparian zones, and coastal wetlands through on-the-ground habitat work	\$1,500,000	N/A but 1:1 match	Pre-proposal - February (February 17)	Projects that improve quality and connectivity of stream and riparian habitat to improve populations of spp of concern via restoring aquatic connectivity, naturalizing stream channel configuration, improving instream habitat, or improving riparian habitat	http://www.nfwf.org/gr eatlakes/Pages/2016RF			
	Great Lakes Community Grants	2 categories for funding (2016): (1) stream and riparian habitat and (2) coastal wetlands	Minimum: \$50,000	encouraged	Full proposal - April (April 21)	Projects improving coastal wetlands via restoring aquatic connectivity, improving hydrology or habitat structure Must describe project activities and outcomes in standardized metrics and monitoring	<u>P.aspx</u>			
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Research, Education/Outreach	US EPA Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI)	Strategically target the biggest threats to Great Lakes ecosystems and accelerate progress toward long term goals Toxic substances and areas of concern, invasive species, nonpoint source pollution impacts on nearshore health, habitats and species, and foundation for future restoration actions	Varies by focus area and program, some awards are up to \$800.00	N/A	September (September 28, 2015)	2015 categories: invasive spp prevention, invasive spp control, urban watershed management implementation, Maumee River Watershed Nutrient Prevention Pilot Project	https://www.epa.gov/gr eat-lakes-funding			
Education/Outreach , Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration	US EPA Urban Waters Grant	Restore urban waters and address urban runoff pollution through diverse partnerships that produce multiple community benefits, emphasis on underserved communities	\$40,000-\$60,000	minimum non- federal match of \$4,000 is required	November Last deadline: November 20, 2015	Project activities must be entirely in one of Eligible Geographic Areas One-two year project period Meet four objectives: (1) address local water quality issues related to urban runoff pollution; (2) provide additional community benefits; (3) actively engage underserved communities; and (4) foster partnership. Projects must be one of two types: (1) Community Greening and Green Infrastructure or (2) Communities and Water Quality Data	https://www.epa.gov/u rbanwaters/urban- waters-small-grants			
Restoration	Fish America Foundation Conservation Grants	Enhance fish populations, restore fishery habitats, improve water quality and advance fishery research to improve sportfishing opportunities and help ensure recreational fishing's future	N/A	N/A	April	Applications require 9-12 months for review.	http://www.fishamerica .org/ grants.html			

Open Space Acquisition, Restoration	Clean Ohio Green Space Conservation Fund	Riparian corridor or watershed protection and enhancement: protection of streams, rivers, lakes, and other bodies of water Land & easement acquisition: acquisition of land or rights in land for parks, forests, wetlands, natural areas that protect an endangered plant or animal population, other natural areas, and connecting corridors for natural areas	75% of estimated project costs	25% local match	No deadline listed	Application goes to NRAC: funds divided by District and allocated according to Census data. Portage County and Geauga County – District 7; Summit County – District 8; Cuyahoga County – District 1 Funds are available for open space acquisition, including easements (on unprotected property), and related development necessary to make the open space accessible and useable by the general public	https://development.oh io.gov/cleanohio/greens paceconservation/
		Part of the Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF)				Water Resource Restoration Sponsor Program (WRRSP) counters the loss of ecological function and biological diversity that jeopardizes the health of Ohio's water resources. This program	
05	Ohio EPA Water Resource Restoration Sponsor Program (WRRSP)	Address limited and under-assisted categories of water resource needs in OH through direct WPCLF loans	\$1,000,000 but no limit	N/A		uses interest monies from WPCLF "sponsor" projects to fund both preservation and restoration of aquatic habitat to accomplish this goal.	http://epa.ohio.gov/Por tals/29/documents/WR RSPAppendixMPY2015. pdf
Open Space Acquisition, Restoration		Counter loss of ecological function and biological diversity that jeopardize the health of OH's water resources			Between August and September	Two year program: Year one complete Environmental Covenant(s) and other documents with Ohio EPA to have a group of projects reviewed and approved; If the project has not advanced to the point of receiving all	
		Stream and wetland restoration and preservation focusing on water quality and biological habitat issues				of its approvals by the end of the first year, it will be removed from funding consideration. In Year Two, Ohio EPA will actually award the WRRSP project funding along with the WRRSP project sponsor's loan.	
Restoration	Eastern Brook Trout Joint Venture	healthy and productive populations of	\$50,000	N/A	September	Federal funding available under the National Fish Habitat Action Plan will be used to fund projects. All projects must be developed with collaboration of the nearest US Fish & Wildlife Service Sponsoring Office.	http://easternbrooktrou t.org/funding- opportunities/2017- ebtjv-fws-nfhp-project-
	venture	currently or historically sustained brook trout populations			Last Deadline: September 16, 2016	On-the-ground habitat conservation projects and related design and modifying activities only, not acquisition or easement	funding-opportunity
Restoration	Great Lakes Basin Fish Habitat Partnership	Restoration, protection, enhancement of fish habitat in the Great Lakes basin.	\$10,000-\$100,000; larger project requests will be considered on case- by-case basis	Not required	October	Priority given to projects that are part of a watershed restoration effort, leverage resources from partners, ensure they will not spread invasive species, incorporate climate change	http://greatlakes.fishha bitat. org/
Nestolation		No new grants since 2013		but encouraged	October	adaptation, can be completed within 2 years of funding, and evaluate their actions on target habitats, ecosystem processes, and fish populations over time.	

Restoration, Education and Outreach	National Fish & Wildlife Foundation Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Grants	Address water quality issues in priority watershed via wetland, riparian, forest and coastal habitat restoration; wildlife conservation; community tree canopy enhancement; and/or water quality monitoring and stormwater management; along with targeted community outreach, education and stewardship	\$50,000	1 to 1 minimum	February	Funding priorities include: (1) On-the-ground wetland, riparian, in-stream and/or coastal habitat restoration; (2) Meaningful education and training activities, either through community outreach, participation and/or integration with K-12 environmental curriculum; (3) Measurable ecological, educational and community benefits; (4) Partnerships: Five Star projects should engage a diverse group of community partners to achieve ecological and educational outcomes	http://www.nfwf.org/P ages/f ivestar/2013rfp.aspx
		Requires establishment or enhancement of diverse partnerships and an education/outreach component that will help shape and sustain behavior to achieve conservation goals	Minimum \$20,000			Different amounts of funding available depending on geographic area	
Restoration	ODNR Wetland Restoration Assistance	Assist individuals & organizations with costs associated with wetland restoration projects on private land in Ohio	50% cost-share for wetland restoration or a maximum of \$500/acre if 10- year agreement; 20-year agreements can pay up to 100%	N/A	N/A	Eligible only in specified focus counties identified through the Division of Wildlife Wetland Tactical Plan Projects include title cuts and/or construction of small, low-level dikes to restore or enhance hydrology	http://wildlife.ohiodnr.g ov/education-and- outdoor- discovery/grant- opportunities
			of the cost not to exceed \$1000/acre			Call 1-800-WILDLIFE for more information	<u>opportunities</u>
	Ohio Lake Erie Commission Lake	n Lake ction algal bloom research. Lake Frie	\$15,000 for small		Quarter 1: August 19, 2016	Funded from tax-deductible PayPal donations, checks, or through purchase of Lake Erie license plates	http://lakeerie.ohio.gov
Restoration	Erie Protection Fund		grants	25%	Quarter 2: October 21, 2016	All applicants must list an eligible agency advisor	/LakeErieProtectionFun d.aspx
Restoration	US Fish & Wildlife Service Great Lakes Fish & Wildlife Restoration Act (GLFWRA) Grants	Protect, restore, and enhance Great Lakes fish and wildlife habitat under the GLFWRA	\$2,300-\$2,000,000	25% nonfederal	December Last deadline: December 14, 2015	Local government and nonprofit applicants must be sponsored by States, Federally Recognized Indian Tribal Governments, and Native American Treaty Organizations within the Great Lakes Basin.	https://www.fws.gov/m idwest/fisheries/glfwra- grants.html
	, ,	6 goals of GLFWRA	(average \$120,529)			5-8 grants	
Restoration	US Fish & Wildlife Service North American Wetlands	Increase bird populations and wetland habitat, while supporting local economies and American traditions such as hunting, fishing, birdwatching, family farming, and cattle ranching	\$100,000 for small grants	50% match (1:1) nonfederal	February & July for standard grants	Benefits such as flood control, reducing coastal erosion, improving water and air quality, and recharging ground water	https://www.fws.gov/bi rds/grants/north- american-wetland-
	Conservation Act (NAWCA) Grants		No limit for standard grants	Homewerd	November for small grants	Emphasis on long-term benefits for bird habitats and migratory birds	conservation-act.php
Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration	OWDA County Coastal Erosion Control Program	Provide financing to property owners via the county for construction of erosion control structures in coastal erosion areas	No limit	N/A	15th of each month	Eligible counties: Ashtabula, Lake, Cuyahoga, Loraine, Erie, Sandusky, Ottawa, and Lucas	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document_selector /upload/County%20Coa stal%20Erosion%20Cont rol%20Loan%20Progra m.pdf

Restoration	US Fish & Wildlife Service Region 3 Fish Passage Program	National/state threatened or endangered species. Small dam removals, perched culvert renovations, low water crossing improvements, rock ramp installations, stream grade control structure modifications, barrier inventories, and evaluation monitoring activities are eligible for funding.	approximately \$100,000	50% match (1:1)	Early October Last deadline: October 4, 2013	Applications can only be submitted by USFWS staff Must be part of a regional/local plan, and must address state or federal threatened or endangered species.	https://www.fws.gov/m idwest/fisheries/fish- passage-program.html
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	ODNR Coastal Management Assistance Grants	Habitat restoration, coastal land acquisition, water quality, coastal planning, public access, education/outreach, research/data collection	N/A	50% (1:1) Nonfederal	Early December	All projects must be conducted within the Designated Ohio Coastal Management Area boundary or will be able to demonstrate direct, substantial benefits to that area. Good source for restoration plans, feasibility/engineering studies.	http://coastal.ohiodnr.g ov/cmagrants
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Section 319 Grants	Nonpoint source pollution, stream/wetland restoration, agricultural BMPs, acid mine drainage, riparian restoration, riparian & wetland protection (conservation easements), other nonpoint source implementation projects	Up to 60% of project costs	40%	August	Projects must be identified in completed TMDLs or Watershed Action Plans. All projects must include a project-specific public education component. Up to 3 year grant period Only one application per HUC-8 watershed	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/index.aspx#1 20843254-319-grants
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Surface Water Improvement Fund (SWIF)	Stream restoration and restoration of natural flow, riparian restoration and protection, wetland restoration and protection, innovative stormwater demonstration (public property only), lake restoration and protection, invasive species removal Targeted towards areas where nonpoint source pollution is a major cause of aquatic life use impairments	\$150,000	N/A	April	Created in 2008. Several RFPs based on project location. Cuyahoga SWIF has been augmented with GLRI funding. Awarded for a two-year period, but projects that can be completed within 12 months score better Currently on hiatus since 2014 Must include project-specific education and outreach activities	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/swif.aspx
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Agricultural, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Nonpoint Source Water Pollution	Agriculture/silviculture improvements and BMPs, wellhead protection, landfill closure, stream corridor restoration/protection, hazardous waste cleanup (brownfields)	N/A	N/A	August	Available for both private and public entities Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and implementation steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558739- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclf nonpoint-source-water- pollution
Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration	OWDA County Coastal Erosion Control Program	Provide financing to property owners via the county for construction of erosion control structures in coastal erosion areas	No limit	N/A	15th of each month	Eligible counties: Ashtabula, Lake, Cuyahoga, Loraine, Erie, Sandusky, Ottawa, and Lucas	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/County%20Coa stal%20Erosion%20Cont rol%20Loan%20Progra m.pdf
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service National Coastal Wetland Grant	Restoring and protecting fish and wildlife habitat on publicly and privately owned lands Acquisition, restoration, enhancement, management, and preservation of coastal wetlands	\$1,000,000	25%-50% depending on project costs	Not listed	State must be identified as eligible Ohio not eligible for 2016 award year	https://www.fws.gov/c oastal/CoastalGrants/in dex.html

Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Endangered Species Conservation Grants	Implementation of conservation projects to protect federally listed threatened or endangered species	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation Contact Lisa Mandell at 612-713-5343 or permitsR3ES@fws.gov for more information	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Open Space Acquisition, Restoration, Planning	US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation Planning Assistance	Support development of Habitat Conservation Plans (HCPs) for federally listed threatened or endangered species, proposed and candidate species, and unlisted species proposed to be covered by the HCP	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation A species covered by the HCP is any species (listed or unlisted) that is included in the section 10(a)(1)(B) permit, thus receiving incidental take authorization	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Education and Outreach, Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Urban Bird Treaty Grant	Engage urban citizens in bird conservation and foster a sense of stewardship Enhancing urban habitats for birds, engaging citizens in bird conservation, and connecting diverse and youth audiences to birds and bird conservation	N/A	1:1 match	February	Restricted to urban areas working with partners listed on website 2016 applicants encouraged to hold an event to celebrate the centennial of the Convention between the US and Great Britain for the Protection of Migratory Birds Address three of more of the Urban Bird Treaty goals	https://www.fws.gov/bi rds/grants/urban-bird- treaty.php
Education and Outreach, Research, Restoration	US Fish & Wildlife Service Multistate Conservation Grant Program	Biological research/training, species population status, outreach, data collection of hunter/angler participation, hunter/aquatic education, economic value of fishing/hunting, and regional or multistate habitat needs assessments	N/A	N/A	Not listed	Funding for projects identified as priority projects by the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies (AFWA)	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/MultiState/MS. htm
Restoration	US Fish & Wildlife Service Sport Fish Restoration (SFR) Program	Restore and better manage American fisheries	75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	User pay, user benefit program funded through the purchase of fishing equipment, motorboat, and small engine fuels and import duties	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/SFR/SFR.htm
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Research	US Fish & Wildlife Service State Wildlife Grant Program	Develop and implement programs benefitting wildlife and their habitats, including species not hunted or fished	65% for implementation grants	35%	Not listed	Must align with conservation needs specified in State Comprehensive Wildlife Conservation Plan/Strategy (link below) http://teaming.com/wildlife-action-	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/SWG/SWG.htm
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	US Fish & Wildlife Service Wildlife Restoration (WR) Program	Research, surveys, species and habitat management, monitoring Restore, conserve, manage, and enhance wild birds and mammals and their habitats Providing public use and access to wildlife resources	75% for planning grants 75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	User pay, user benefit program funded through the purchase of firearms, ammunitions, and archery equipment	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/WR/WR.htm

Restoration	NOAA Coastal Ecosystem Resiliency Grants Program	Implement projects that use a proactive approach to improve or restore coastal habitat to: 1) strengthen the resilience of U.S. marine and coastal ecosystems and decrease the vulnerability of communities to extreme weather and 2) support sustainable fisheries and contribute to the recovery of protected resources	\$100,000 - \$2,000,000	50% nonfederal	Tuesday, August 16, 2016	One or more projects to be completed within 1-3 years	http://www.habitat.noa a.gov/funding/coastalre siliency.html
Restoration	NOAA Great Lakes Habitat Restoration Regional Partnership Grants	Focused on Great Lakes Area of Concern (AOC) Wide-range of individual habitat restoration projects within the Great Lakes through Partnerships	\$1,000,000- \$40,000,000	Not required but 1:1 match encouraged	February	Three year partnerships - no individual applications Remove beneficial use impairments (BUIs)	http://www.grants.gov/ view- opportunity.html?oppId =280339

Open Space Acc	uisition						
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:
Open Space Acquisition,	Clean Ohio Green Space	Land & easement acquisition: acquisition of land or rights in land for parks, forests, wetlands, natural areas that protect an endangered plant or animal population, other natural areas, and connecting corridors for natural areas	75% of estimated project costs	25% local match	No deadline listed	Funds are available for open space acquisition, including easements (on unprotected property), and related development necessary to make the open space accessible and useable by the general public	https://development.oh io.gov/cleanohio/greens
Restoration	Conservation Fund	Riparian corridor or watershed protection and enhancement: protection of streams, rivers, lakes, and other bodies of water		match		Application goes to NRAC: funds divided by District and allocated according to Census data. Portage County and Geauga County – District 7; Summit County – District 8; Cuyahoga County – District 1	paceconservation/
Open Space Acquisition	ODNR Coastal and Estuarine Land Conservation (CELR)	Purchase of significant coastal and estuarine lands within Ohio's Lake Erie Watershed, or conservation easements on such lands from willing land sellers	\$1.5 million	50% (1:1) Nonfederal	January (January 15)	Land being purchased must have conservation, recreation, ecological, historical or aesthetic values, or be threatened by conversion from its natural or recreational state to other uses	http://coastal.ohiodnr.g ov/celcpgrants
		Advancing GLRI goals of delisting Areas of Concern and protecting and restoring Great Lakes habitats				Local governments and state agencies eligible	
	ODNR Land and	Acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas	- Up to 50%		Usually May	Local subdivisions of government and school boards eligible	http://realestate.ohiodi
Open Space Acquisition, Park Improvements	Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)	All projects must align with Ohio's 2013 SCORP priorities	reimbursement for outdoor recreation projects	50%	2017 deadline: November 15, 2016	Federal money is administered by the state in cooperation with the National Park Service. The applicant must own the property; leased property is ineligible.	r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants
					February	All divisions of local government eligible	
Open Space Acquisition, Park Improvements	ODNR Natureworks Grants	Acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas	Up to 75% reimbursement; funds vary by county	25%	Last Deadline: June 1, 2016	The agency must have proper control (title or at least a 15- year non-revocable lease) to be eligible for a development or rehabilitation grant. Project scope must be either development or acquisition but not both.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service National Coastal Wetland Grant	Restoring and protecting fish and wildlife habitat on publicly and privately owned lands Acquisition, restoration, enhancement, management, and preservation of coastal wetlands	\$1,000,000	25%-50% depending on project costs	Not listed	State must be identified as eligible Ohio not eligible for 2016 award year	https://www.fws.gov/c oastal/CoastalGrants/in dex.html

Open Space Acquisition, Park Improvements, Education and Outreach	ODNR Recreational Trails Program	Includes development of urban trail linkages, trailhead & trailside facilities, acquisition of easements & property, development and construction of new trails, maintenance of existing trails; restoration of trail areas damaged by usage; improving access for people with disabilities, purchase and lease of recreational trail construction and maintenance equipment; environment and safety education programs related to trails	Up to 80% reimbursement	20%	1-Feb Last Deadline: April 1, 2016	Cities and villages, counties, townships, special districts, state and federal agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible. Can submit the same application for this program and the Clean Ohio Trails Fund; no need to fill out 2 separate applications.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants
		Part of the Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Address limited and under-assisted categories of water resource needs in OH through direct WPCLF loans				Water Resource Restoration Sponsor Program (WRRSP) counters the loss of ecological function and biological diversity that jeopardizes the health of Ohio's water resources. This program uses interest monies from WPCLF "sponsor" projects to fund both preservation and restoration of aquatic	
Open Space Acquisition, Restoration	Ohio EPA Water Resource Restoration Sponsor Program (WRRSP)	Counter loss of ecological function and biological diversity that jeopardize the health of OH's water resources	\$1,000,000 but no limit	N/A	Between August and September	habitat to accomplish this goal. Two year program: Year one complete Environmental Covenant(s) and other documents with Ohio EPA to have a group of projects reviewed and approved; If the project has not advanced to the point of receiving all	http://epa.ohio.gov/Por tals/29/documents/WR RSPAppendixMPY2015. pdf
		Stream and wetland restoration and preservation focusing on water quality and biological habitat issues				of its approvals by the end of the first year, it will be removed from funding consideration. In Year Two, Ohio EPA will actually award the WRRSP project funding along with the WRRSP project sponsor's loan.	
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Endangered Species Conservation Grants	Implementation of conservation projects to protect federally listed threatened or endangered species	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation Contact Lisa Mandell at 612-713-5343 or permitsR3ES@fws.gov for more information	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Recovery Land Acquisition	Acquisition of habitat in support of approved recovery goals or objectives for federally listed threatened or endangered species	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html

Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	ODNR Coastal Management Assistance Grants	Habitat restoration, coastal land acquisition, water quality, coastal planning, public access, education/outreach, research/data collection	N/A	50% (1:1) Nonfederal	Early December	All projects must be conducted within the Designated Ohio Coastal Management Area boundary or will be able to demonstrate direct, substantial benefits to that area. Good source for restoration plans, feasibility/engineering studies.	http://coastal.ohiodnr.g ov/cmagrants
Open Space Acquisition, Restoration, Planning	US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation Planning Assistance	Support development of Habitat Conservation Plans (HCPs) for federally listed threatened or endangered species, proposed and candidate species, and unlisted species proposed to be covered by the HCP	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation A species covered by the HCP is any species (listed or unlisted) that is included in the section 10(a)(1)(B) permit, thus receiving incidental take authorization	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) Land Acquisition	Acquisition of land associated with approved HCPs for federally listed threatened or endangered species, unlisted (including State-listed species), proposed and candidate species covered by the HCP	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when two or more states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation A species covered by the HCP is any species (listed or unlisted) that is included in the section 10(a)(1)(B) permit, thus receiving incidental take authorization	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Education and Outreach, Restoration, Open Space Acquisition	US Fish & Wildlife Service Urban Bird Treaty Grant	Engage urban citizens in bird conservation and foster a sense of stewardship Enhancing urban habitats for birds, engaging citizens in bird conservation, and connecting diverse and youth audiences to birds and bird conservation	N/A	1:1 match	February	Address three of more of the Urban Bird Treaty goals 2016 applicants encouraged to hold an event to celebrate the centennial of the Convention between the US and Great Britain for the Protection of Migratory Birds Restricted to urban areas working with partners listed on website	https://www.fws.gov/bi rds/grants/urban-bird- treaty.php
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition,	US Fish & Wildlife Service State Wildlife	Develop and implement programs benefitting wildlife and their habitats, including species not hunted or fished	75% for planning grants	25%	Not listed	Must align with conservation needs specified in State Comprehensive Wildlife Conservation Plan/Strategy (link below)	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/SWG/SWG.htm
Research	Grant Program	Research, surveys, species and habitat management, monitoring	65% for implementation grants	35%		http://teaming.com/wildlife-action- plan/ohio	
Restoration, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	US Fish & Wildlife Service Wildlife Restoration (WR) Program	Restore, conserve, manage, and enhance wild birds and mammals and their habitats Providing public use and access to wildlife resources	75% of project costs	25%	Not listed	User pay, user benefit program funded through the purchase of firearms, ammunitions, and archery equipment	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/WR/WR.htm

Park Improvem	Park Improvements										
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:				
	ODNR Land and	Acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas	- Up to 50%		Usually May	Local subdivisions of government and school boards eligible	http://realestate.ohiodn				
Open Space Acquisition, Park Improvements	Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)	All projects must align with Ohio's 2013 SCORP priorities	reimbursement for outdoor recreation projects	50%	2017 deadline: November 15, 2016	Federal money is administered by the state in cooperation with the National Park Service. The applicant must own the property; leased property is ineligible.	r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants				
					February	All divisions of local government eligible					
Open Space Acquisition, Park Improvements	ODNR Natureworks Grants	Acquisition, development, and rehabilitation of recreational areas	Up to 75% reimbursement; funds vary by county	25%	Last Deadline: June 1, 2016	The agency must have proper control (title or at least a 15- year non-revocable lease) to be eligible for a development or rehabilitation grant. Project scope must be either development or acquisition but not both.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants				
Open Space		Includes development of urban trail linkages, trailhead & trailside facilities, acquisition of easements & property, development and construction of new			1-Feb	Cities and villages, counties, townships, special districts, state and federal agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible.					
Acquisition, Park Improvements, Education and Outreach	ODNR Recreational Trails Program	trails, maintenance of existing trails; restoration of trail areas damaged by usage; improving access for people with disabilities, purchase and lease of recreational trail construction and maintenance equipment; environment and safety education programs related to trails	Up to 80% reimbursement	20%	Last Deadline: April 1, 2016	Can submit the same application for this program and the Clean Ohio Trails Fund; no need to fill out 2 separate applications.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility- grants				
Park Improvements	Clean Ohio Trails Fund	Improve outdoor recreational opportunities by funding trails for outdoor pursuits	Up to 75% reimbursement	25%	1-Feb	Local governments, park and joint recreation districts, conservancy districts, soil and water conservation districts, and non-profit organizations are eligible.	http://realestate.ohiodn r.gov/outdoor- recreation-facility-				
		Land acquisition for a trail, trail development, trailhead facilities, engineering and design				All projects must be completed within 15 months from the date that they are signed into contract.	<u>grants</u>				
Park Improvements, Stormwater Retrofits	NOACA Transportation For Livable Communities Initiative (TLCI)	More travel options, reinvestment in underutilized or vacant/abandoned properties, economic development, ensuring benefits of growth and change available to all community members, enhancing regional cohesion, providing safe and reliable transportation	NOACA sets maximum per- project award of 12% of available funds, usually about \$600,000	Not required but recommend ed	January (January 29, 2016)	Two components: planning grant and implementation grant. Planning grant is for studies, implementation for development	http://www.noaca.org/i ndex.aspx?page=132				
		Integrated transportation and land use planning and projects strengthening community livability	Minimum recommended request \$100,000			Focus on smaller scale projects					

Stormwater Retrofits										
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:			
			3.7		November	Project activities must be entirely in one of Eligible Geographic Areas One-two year project period				
Education/Outreach , Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration	US EPA Urban Waters Grant	Restore urban waters and address urban runoff pollution through diverse partnerships that produce multiple community benefits, emphasis on underserved communities	\$40,000-\$60,000	minimum non- federal match of \$4,000 is required	Last deadline: November 20, 2015	Meet four objectives: (1) address local water quality issues related to urban runoff pollution; (2) provide additional community benefits; (3) actively engage underserved communities; and (4) foster partnership.	https://www.epa.gov/u rbanwaters/urban- waters-small-grants			
					·	Projects must be one of two types: (1) Community Greening and Green Infrastructure or (2) Communities and Water Quality Data				
Restoration,	US EPA Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI)	Strategically target the biggest threats to Great Lakes ecosystems and accelerate progress toward long term goals	Varies by focus area and program, some awards are up to \$800.00	N/A	September	2015 categories: invasive spp prevention, invasive spp control, urban				
Stormwater Retrofits, Research, Education/Outreach		Toxic substances and areas of concern, invasive species, nonpoint source pollution impacts on nearshore health, habitats and species, and foundation for future restoration actions			(September 28, 2015)	watershed management implementation, Maumee River Watershed Nutrient Prevention Pilot Project	https://www.epa.gov/gr eat-lakes-funding			
		Integrated transportation and land use planning and projects that strengthen community livability	Minimum recommended request \$100,000			Two components: planning grant and implementation grant. Planning grant is for studies, implementation for development				
Park Improvements, Stormwater Retrofits	NOACA Transportation For Livable Communities Initiative (TLCI)	Providing more travel options, reinvestment in underutilized or vacant/abandoned properties, supporting economic development, ensuring benefits of growth and change are available to all community members, enhancing regional cohesion, providing safe and reliable transportation	NOACA sets maximum per- project award of 12% of available funds, usually about \$600,000	Not required but recommend ed	January (January 29, 2016)	Focus on smaller scale projects	http://www.noaca.org/i ndex.aspx?page=132			
Education and Outreach; Stormwater Retrofits	Freshwater Future Climate Grant Program	Preparing and responding to climate change impacts in the Great Lakes region Projects addressing problems such as larger rain events and longer periods of drought and heat; preferred to bring other community benefits as well like beautification or food	N/A	N/A	15-May-15	Projects preferred: underserved communities, on-the-ground project to reduce climate impacts, climate mitigation component (solar energy), advocate for decision-making addressing climate change impacts, encourage local regulations reducing vulnerability to impacts	http://freshwaterfuture .org/grants/climate- grant-program/			

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Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Section 319 Grants	Nonpoint source pollution, stream/wetland restoration, agricultural BMPs, acid mine drainage, riparian restoration, riparian & wetland protection (conservation easements), other nonpoint source implementation projects	Up to 60% of project costs	40%	August	Projects must be identified in completed TMDLs or Watershed Action Plans. All projects must include a project-specific public education component. Up to 3 year grant period Only one application per HUC-8 watershed	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/index.aspx#1 20843254-319-grants
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Surface Water Improvement Fund (SWIF)	Stream restoration and restoration of natural flow, riparian restoration and protection, wetland restoration and protection, innovative stormwater demonstration (public property only), lake restoration and protection, invasive species removal Targeted towards areas where nonpoint source pollution is a major cause of aquatic life use impairments	\$150,000	N/A	April	Created in 2008. Several RFPs based on project location. Cuyahoga SWIF has been augmented with GLRI funding. Currently on hiatus since 2014 Awarded for a two-year period, but projects that can be completed within 12 months score better Must include project-specific education and outreach activities	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/dsw/nps/swif.aspx
Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District (NEORSD) Green Infrastructure Grants (GIG)	Green infrastructure implementation and long-term maintenance	\$250,000	N/A but encouraged	Early November	Must be located in Sewer District's combined sewer area Must be in compliance with Title IV requirements without using GIG funding to meet those requirements	http://www.neorsd.org/ greenfunding.php
Agricultural, Stormwater Retrofits	Great Lakes Sediment and Nutrient Reduction Program	Erosion Control Focus on three areas: implementing the 4R Nutrient Stewardship program, reducing phosphorus run-off into the Great Lakes with long-term permanent practices, and reducing phosphorus runoff into the Great Lakes with management practices. All projects within Western Lake Erie Basin will be required to have participating landusers participate in 4R nutrient management and conduct a stratified soil test on participating fields before a practice is installed. All projects must explicitly reduce sediment and particulate and/or dissolved phosphorus into the Great Lakes.	\$30,000 - Small scale site specific (10-12 total); \$200,000 - Watershed scale	Required 25% in-kind or cash; non- federal funds	March - Last deadline: March 31, 2016 by 6:00 PM	Projects must be in areas where land use is primarily agricultural. Project requirements: (1) have a direct and discernible reduction of sediment, particulate phosphorus and dissolved phosphorus into the Great Lakes; (2)address phosphorus and sediment problems from agricultural and rural land uses; (3) consider new, innovative or nontraditional approaches to sediment and phosphorus control; (4) share the results, through outreach and technology transfer with the public; and (5) encourages the development of partnerships and networks. Watershed scale can be up to 3 HUCs	http://keepingitonthela nd.net/apply-for- funding/
Stormwater Retrofits, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	Alternative Stormwater Infrastructure Loan Program	Design and construction of green infrastructure as part of economic development projects	\$5,000,000	N/A	Ongoing	Design, demolition, construction, materials, and administrative costs covered by loan Properties must be in current or previously developed areas Must be repaid within maximum of 10 years	https://development.oh io.gov/cs/cs_altstormw ater.htm

Stormwater Retrofits, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Stormwater Activities	Phase I and Phase II Storm Water Requirements and activities that directly address water quality problems	N/A	N/A	August	Cannot be used to address stormwater control/flooding problems Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and construction steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558738- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclfstorm- water-activities
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Agricultural, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Nonpoint Source Water Pollution	Agriculture/silviculture improvements and BMPs, wellhead protection, landfill closure, stream corridor restoration/protection, hazardous waste cleanup (brownfields)	N/A	N/A	August	Available for both private and public entities Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and implementation steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558739- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclf nonpoint-source-water- pollution
Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Alternative Stormwater Loan Program	Reducing the volume of stormwater runoff, reducing pollutant loads and protecting against streambank erosion	N/A	N/A	N/A	Local government agencies eligible Maximum of 10 years	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/Alternative%20 Stormwater%20Loan%2 OProgram.pdf
Stormwater Retrofits, Restoration	OWDA County Coastal Erosion Control Program	Provide financing to property owners via the county for construction of erosion control structures in coastal erosion areas	No limit	N/A	15th of each month	Eligible counties: Ashtabula, Lake, Cuyahoga, Loraine, Erie, Sandusky, Ottawa, and Lucas	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/County%20Coa stal%20Erosion%20Cont rol%20Loan%20Progra m.pdf
Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Community Assistance Rate	Maintain affordable water and/or sewer rates by providing reduced rate loans for drinking water or wastewater systems development or improvement Construction or expansion of water and wastewater treatment facilities, installation or improvement of water distribution and wastewater collection systems, or stormwater management facilities	\$3,000,000 per system per loan recipient	N/A	Not listed	Criteria: (1) population less than 5,000 or residential users less than 2,000; (2) cost to implement will cause economic hardship Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Fresh%20Water%20Program-%20Community%20Assistance%20Rates.pdf
Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Market Based Rates	Provide financial assistance for planning/design and/or construction of drinking water, wastewater, or stormwater projects Potable water resources, construction or expansion of wastewater treatment facilities, installation/ improvement of water distribution and collection systems, or stormwater management facilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term for construction loans; 5 year balloon loan for planning loans	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Fresh%20Water%20Program-%20Market%20Based%20Rates.pdf
Agricultural, Stormwater Retrofits, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	OWDA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund Linked Deposit Program	Implementation of agricultural or forestry BMPs, on-site wastewater disposal systems, or other non-point source pollution control	N/A	N/A	Ongoing	Eligible: individuals, private agencies, or government agencies intending to control a source of nonpoint source pollution Term: 10 yrs for private, 20 yrs for public borrowers	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/Water%20Pollu tion%20Control%20Link ed%20Deposit%20Progr am.pdf
Planning, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	US EPA Pollution Prevention Grant Program	Pollution prevention technical services and training for businesses and supporting projects using pollution prevention techniques to reduce and/or eliminate pollution	\$40,000-\$360,000	50%	Мау	Eligible entities: state governments, colleges and universities (recognized as instrumentalities of the state), federally-recognized tribes and intertribal consortia	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention

Planning							
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Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Education and Outreach	ODNR Coastal Management Assistance Grants	Habitat restoration, coastal land acquisition, water quality, coastal planning, public access, education/outreach, research/data collection	N/A	50% (1:1) Nonfederal	Early December	All projects must be conducted within the Designated Ohio Coastal Management Area boundary Good source for restoration plans, feasibility/engineering studies.	http://coastal.ohiodnr.g ov/cmagrants
Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	OWDA Un- Sewered Area Assistance Program	Construction of a publicly owned sewer system for un-sewered areas that have failing on-lot sewer systems	Up to \$1,000,000 depending on number of customers and median household income	N/A	15th of Each Month	Median household income (MHI) must be below state MHI \$49,308 in 2014 Eligible project costs: planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, legal and inspection fees	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document_selector /upload/Un- Sewered%20Area%20As sistance%20Program.pd
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Wastewater Collection and Treatment Loan	Planning, design, and construction of a wide variety of projects to protect or improve the quality of Ohio's rivers, streams, lakes and other water resource	N/A	N/A	August	Low interest Project categories: wastewater treatment plant improvements or expansion; new/replacement sewers; excess sewer infiltration/inflow correction; facilities for unsewered areas including HSTS systems; combined sewer overflow correction Funding and assistance for planning,	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558732- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclf wastewater-collection- and-treatment
Stormwater Retrofits, Planning	Ohio EPA WPCLF Stormwater Activities	Phase I and Phase II Storm Water Requirements and activities that directly address water quality problems	N/A	N/A	August	design, and construction steps Cannot be used to address stormwater control/flooding problems Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and construction steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558738- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclfstorm- water-activities
Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Agricultural, Planning	Ohio EPA WPCLF Nonpoint Source Water Pollution	Agriculture/silviculture improvements and BMPs, wellhead protection, landfill closure, stream corridor restoration/protection, hazardous waste cleanup (brownfields)	N/A	N/A	August	Available for both private and public entities Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and implementation steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558739- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclf nonpoint-source-water- pollution
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Supply Revolving Loan Account (WSRLA)	Compliance-related improvements to public water systems Technical assistance to public water systems to enhance technical, managerial, and financial capacities	N/A	N/A	March	Low interest Planning, design, and construction of improvements to community water systems and non-profit non-community public water systems	http://epa.ohio.gov/dda gw/financialassistance.a spx#113865253-water- supply-revolving-loan- account-wsrla
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA WSRLA Disadvantaged Community Loan Program (DCLP)	Drinking water systems in need of design, planning, and construction improvements	N/A	N/A	March	Communities must have documented public health issues and annual water and sewer rates (cost per household) disproportionately high compared to median household income Low interest and principal forgiveness	http://epa.ohio.gov/dda gw/financialassistance.a spx#113865254- disadvantaged- community-loan- program-dclp

Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Community Assistance Rate	Construction/expansion of water and wastewater treatment facilities, installation or improvement of water distribution and collection systems, or stormwater management facilities Affordable water and/or sewer rates by providing reduced rate loans for drinking water or wastewater systems development or improvement	\$3,000,000 per system per loan recipient	N/A	Not listed	Criteria: (1) population less than 5,000 or residential users less than 2,000; (2) cost to implement will cause economic hardship Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document_selector /upload/Fresh%20Wate r%20Program- %20Community%20Assi stance%20Rates.pdf
Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Market Based Rates	Financial assistance for planning/design and/or construction of drinking water, wastewater, or stormwater projects Potable water resources, construction or expansion of water and wastewater treatment facilities, installation or improvement of water distribution and wastewater collection systems, or stormwater management facilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term for construction loans; 5 year balloon loan for planning loans	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/Fresh%20Wate r%20Program- %20Market%20Based% 20Rates.pdf
Solid Waste/Litter, Planning	OWDA Solid Waste Program	Planning, engineering, and construction of facilities to reduce and dispose of solid waste such as: materials recovery (recycling) facilities, compost facilities, transfer stations, landfills, incinerators	No limit	N/A	15th of each month	Eligible: local government agencies and solid waste districts that have plan approval and/or permit-to-install obtained from OEPA Planning loan maximum of 5 years; construction loan 5-30 years or based on useful life of facility	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Solid%20Waste%20Loan%20Program.pdf
Open Space Acquisition, Restoration, Planning	US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation Planning Assistance	Support development of Habitat Conservation Plans (HCPs) for federally listed threatened or endangered species, proposed and candidate species, and unlisted species proposed to be covered by the HCP	N/A	25% nonfederal 10% when 2+ states or territories implement a joint project	Not listed	States or Territories that have entered into cooperative agreements with the Service for endangered and threatened species conservation A species covered by the HCP is any species (listed or unlisted) that is included in the section 10(a)(1)(B) permit, thus receiving incidental take authorization	https://www.fws.gov/e ndangered/grants/grant -programs.html
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition,	US Fish & Wildlife Service State Wildlife	Develop and implement programs benefitting wildlife and their habitats, including species not hunted or fished	65% for implementation grants	35%	Not listed	Must align with conservation needs specified in State Comprehensive Wildlife Conservation Plan/Strategy (link below)	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/SWG/SWG.htm
Research	Grant Program	Research, surveys, species and habitat management, monitoring	75% for planning grants	25%		http://teaming.com/wildlife-action- plan/ohio	
Planning	US EPA Brownfield Assessment Grants	Inventory, characterize, and conduct planning and community involvement related to Brownfield sites Sites polluted with either (1) hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants or (2) petroleum	\$200,000 Up to \$350,000 if granted a waiver Coalition of 3 or more applicants can request up to \$1,000,000	N/A	December	3 year performance period Eligible: local government, land clearance authority, government entity created by State Legislature, Regional Council, Redevelopment agency, State, Indian tribe	https://www.epa.gov/b rownfields/types- brownfields-grant- funding#tab-1
Planning, Stormwater Retrofits, Education and Outreach	US EPA Pollution Prevention Grant Program	Implementing pollution prevention technical assistance services and/or training for businesses and supporting projects that utilize pollution prevention techniques to reduce and/or eliminate pollution from air, water and/or land	\$40,000-\$360,000	50%	Мау	Eligible entities: state governments, colleges and universities (recognized as instrumentalities of the state), federally-recognized tribes and intertribal consortia 40 grants annually	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention

Research							
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Restoration, Stormwater Retrofits, Research, Education and Outreach	US EPA Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI)	Toxic substances/Areas of Concern, invasive species, nearshore health/nonpoint source pollution, habitat and wildlife protection and restoration, foundations for future restoration actions	Varies by focus area and program	N/A but encouraged for certain focus areas	Late September	Categories from 2015: invasive species prevention, invasive species control, urban watershed management implementation, agricultural watershed management implementation, Maumee River watershed nutrient prevention pilot project	https://www.epa.gov/gr eat-lakes-funding/great- lakes-restoration- initiative-glri
Research	OWDA R&D Grants	Surface water, wastewater, drinking water, solid waste, livestock, public health	N/A	No minimum but expected to have some match	Early June	Local government agencies eligible Must have statewide implications/benefits	http://www.owda.org/r d-grants
	Ohio Coal Research and Development Program: Ohio Coal Demonstration and Pilot Program	Development and implementation of technology using Ohio's coal reserves in economical, environmentally sound manners	\$100,000- \$5,000,000	No minimum but expected	Sentember	Eligible applicants include: municipal, rural, investor-owned utilities, nonprofit, and for-profit entities doing business in Ohio or an education or scientific institution located in Ohio	https://development.oh
Research		Discovery of new technologies and processes, or the demonstration or application of existing technologies, that enables the conversion or use of Ohio coal as a fuel or chemical feedstock in an environmentally acceptable manner	depending on project type/scale			Technologies that improve combustion efficiencies, remove various pollutants from emissions, develop productive uses for the by-products of combustion, and investigate new uses for coal as a feedstock	io.gov/bs/bs ohiocoald ev.htm
	Ohio Coal	Development and implementation of technology using Ohio's coal reserves in economical, environmentally sound manners	\$80,000 for one- year project			Eligible applicants: educational and scientific institutions	
Research	Research and Development Program: Ohio Coal Research Consortium	Project proposals focused on generating results that will contribute toward, accelerate, or enable demonstration or early stage development of processes or technologies that can enhance or improve the use of Ohio coal in an environmentally acceptable manner	\$160,000 for two- year project	20%	April	Develop or enhance technologies in following areas: mine productivity, coal end uses, improving power plant efficiency, greenhouse gas control, sequestration of carbon dioxide, markets for carbon dioxide, environmental issues, technoeconomic studies for emerging technologies	https://development.oh io.gov/bs/bs ohiocoald ev.htm
Restoration, Planning, Open Space Acquisition, Research	US Fish & Wildlife Service	Develop and implement programs benefitting wildlife and their habitats, including species not hunted or fished	75% for planning grants	25%	Not listed	Must align with conservation needs specified in State Comprehensive Wildlife Conservation Plan/Strategy (link below)	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr
	State Wildlife Grant Program	Research, surveys, species and habitat management, monitoring	65% for implementation grants	35%	NOT listed	http://teaming.com/wildlife-action- plan/ohio	ograms/SWG/SWG.htm

Research	US EPA Pollution Prevention Information Network Grant Program (PPIN)	Cooperative agreements for a network of P2 centers that share expertise and resource nationally and assess the needs of multiple state technical assistance programs to develop and deliver P2 tools and training to meet the needs of technical assistance providers and businesses	\$110,000-\$220,000	50%	May	Eligible entities: State governments, colleges and universities (recognized as state entities), federally-recognized tribes and intertribal consortia Two-year funding period About 8 grants issued per year	http://wsfrprograms.fw s.gov/Subpages/GrantPr ograms/SWG/SWG.htm
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach, Research, Water & Waste Infrastructure	US EPA Source Reduction Assistant (SRA) Grant Program	Pollution prevention through source reduction and resource conservation work	\$20,000-\$260,000	5%	June	One or more of the following methods: surveys, studies, research, investigation, experimentation, education, training and/or demonstrations Two year grant period 20 grants annually	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention
		Inexpensive Indoor Formaldehyde Sensor; Low-cost Sensor for Fugitive Methane Emissions; Greener Manufacturing of Plastics; Greener Plastic Materials and Products; Cleaner Manufacturing Processes for Dyes,	\$100,000 Phase 1			Check website for solicitations	
Research	US EPA Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program	Paints; Technologies to Help Consumers Understand the Chemical Composition of Products; Non-Reverse Osmosis Desalination Units for Small Communities; Non-Toxic Coatings for Water Pipes that Prevent Biofilms, Corrosion, Scaling and Leaching; Simple Lead Test for Tap Water; Water Pipes that Prevent Biofilms, Corrosion and Scaling; Non-Toxic Interior Construction Materials; Greener Exterior Construction Materials	\$300,000 Phase 2	N/A	Spring	Yearly, two phase process	https://www.epa.gov/s bir/sbir-funding- opportunities

Solid Waste and	l Litter						
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:
Solid Waste/Litter Community	Ohio EPA Community Development Grant	Materials of focus: aluminum, construction and demolition debris, deconstruction material, electronics, glass, old corrugated cardboard, organic (food waste) material, paint, paper, plastics (#1-#7), textiles	\$2,000-\$250,000 depending on category	50% cash match	February	Eligible: municipal corporations, counties, townships, villages, state colleges or universities, solid waste management districts and authorities, park districts, health districts, and statewide recycling and litter prevention trade organizations	http://epa.ohio.gov/oca pp/grants.aspx
		Support and expand community recycling and litter prevention efforts				Must demonstrate positive economic and environmental impact and potential for evolution into permanent service without future agency funding	
Ohio EPA Litter Solid Waste/Litter Management	Management	Litter and tire amnesty collection projects	\$500-\$45,000 depending on category	depending on 10% cash match	February	Eligible: municipal corporation, county, township, village, state college or university, solid waste management district or authority, health districts, KAB affiliates, boards of education, non-profit organizations	http://epa.ohio.gov/oca pp/grants.aspx#159584 672-litter-management- grant
	Grant	May support development and continuation of Keep America Beautiful (KAB) communities and their efforts to prevent litter				Must include an actual clean-up activity to take place on public land or public use waterways using volunteers	
Solid Waste/Litter	OWDA Brownfield Loan Program	Cleanup of contaminated properties Property containing asbestos or asbestos-containing material; or an abandoned, idled, or under-used property where expansion or redevelopment is complicated by known or potential releases of hazardous substances or petroleum	\$5,000,000	N/A	N/A	Local government agencies eligible Sites cannot be listed on US EPA National priority list or if a federal/state agency is planning or conducting a response or enforcement action Cannot be used for land acquisition Maximum of 5 years for assessment	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Brownfield%20Loan%20Program.pdf
Solid Waste/Litter, Planning	OWDA Solid Waste Program	Planning, engineering, and construction of facilities to reduce and dispose of solid waste such as: materials recovery (recycling) facilities, compost facilities, transfer stations, landfills, incinerators	No limit	N/A	15th of each month	loan, 15 for cleanup loan Eligible: local government agencies and solid waste districts that have plan approval and/or permit-to-install obtained from OEPA Planning loan max of 5 years; construction loan 5-30 years	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Solid%20Waste%20Loan%20Program.pdf
Solid Waste/Litter	Ohio EPA Market Development Grant	Creating infrastructure necessary for successful markets of recyclable materials and related projects Materials of focus: aluminum, construction and demolition debris, deconstruction material, electronics, glass, old corrugated cardboard, organic (food waste) material, paint, paper, plastics (#1-#7), textiles	\$250,000	100%	February	Eligible: private sector businesses or non-profits; both must have a public agency sponsor (agency of the state) 2 year grant period	http://epa.ohio.gov/oca pp/grants.aspx#159584 674-market- development-grant

Solid Waste/Litter	EPA Brownfield Cleanup Grants	Cleanup Brownfield sites contaminated by petroleum and hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants	\$200,000 per site	20%	December	Apply for up to 3 sites Must own site at the time of application	https://www.epa.gov/b rownfields/types- brownfields-grant- funding#tab-1
Education & Outreach; Solid Waste/Litter	US EPA Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training (EWDJT) Grants	Solid waste and hazardous waste remediation, environmental health and safety, integrated pest management, and wastewater-related training	\$200,000 total; split per category	N/A	January	Recruit, train, and place local, unemployed, and under-employed residents with the skills needed for full-time employment in the environmental field Residents in communities with economic disinvestment, health disparities, and environmental contamination, including low-income, minority, and tribal communities Target dislocated workers, or those laid off as a result of recent manufacturing plant closures, severely under-employed individuals, or unemployed individuals, including low income and minority residents of waste-impacted communities, veterans, and those with little to no advanced education Posted on Office of Land and Emergency Management Grants website when open	https://www.epa.gov/gr ants/office-land-and- emergency- management-grants- and-funding

Water and Was	Water and Wastewater Infrastructure						
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Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	OWDA Un- Sewered Area Assistance Program	Construction of a publicly owned sewer system for un-sewered areas that have failing on-lot sewer systems	change) Up to \$1,000,000 depending on number of customers and median household income	N/A	change) 15th of Each Month	Median household income (MHI) must be below state MHI \$49,308 in 2014 Eligible project costs: planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, legal and inspection fees	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document_selector /upload/Un- Sewered%20Area%20As sistance%20Program.pd
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	CDBG Public Infrastructure Grant Program	Funds water and wastewater infrastructure	\$500,000	At least 1:1	Accepted on continuous basis beginning in June	Projects must serve low to moderate income areas Funds for land, building, machinery, and site preparation directly Grants to local governments	https://development.oh io.gov/cs/cs_edl.htm
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	CDBG Residential Public Infrastructure Grant Program	Provision of safe and reliable drinking water and proper disposal of sanitary waste Projects providing water and/or sanitary sewer service to primarily residential users (60% or more of total users)	N/A	N/A	Not listed	On-site improvements: Service laterals, septic tanks, well abandonment - cannot be focus of project Eligible for non-entitlement counties, cities, and villages	https://development.oh io.gov/cs/cs rpi.htm
Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	OWDA Un- Sewered Area Planning Loan Program	Planning or design of a publicly owned sewer system for un-sewered areas that have failing on-lot sanitary systems	\$500,000	N/A	15th of Each Month	Eligible: local government agencies, water and sewer districts, conservancy districts, storm management districts Loan repayment due in maximum of 10 years	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document_selector /upload/Un- Sewered%20Area%20Pl anning%20Loan%20Pro gram.pdf
Stormwater Retrofits, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	Alternative Stormwater Infrastructure Loan Program	Design and construction of green infrastructure as part of economic development projects	\$5,000,000	N/A	Ongoing	Design, demolition, construction, materials, and administrative costs covered by loan Properties must be in current or previously developed areas Must be repaid within maximum of 10 years	https://development.oh io.gov/cs/cs_altstormw ater.htm
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF) Wastewater Collection and Treatment Loan	Planning, design, and construction of a wide variety of projects to protect or improve the quality of Ohio's rivers, streams, lakes and other water resource	N/A	N/A	August	Low interest Project categories: wastewater treatment plant improvements/expansion; new/replacement sewers; excess sewer infiltration/inflow correction; facilities for unsewered areas including HSTS systems; combined sewer overflow correction Provide funding and assistance for planning, design, and construction steps	http://epa.ohio.gov/def a/ofa.aspx#169558732- water-pollution-control- loan-fund-wpclf wastewater-collection- and-treatment

Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	Ohio EPA WSRLA Harmful Algal Bloom (HAB) Infrastructure Improvements Fund	Treatment systems for HAB, interconnections with other public water systems, elevated storage and development of improved source waters	N/A	N/A	March	Eligible drinking water systems: community water systems, both publically and privately owned that operate surface water treatment systems	http://epa.ohio.gov/Por tals/29/documents/ofa/ WSRLA HABinstructions Jan2016.pdf
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA Water Supply Revolving Loan Account (WSRLA)	Compliance-related improvements to public water systems Technical assistance to public water systems to enhance technical, managerial, and financial capacities	N/A	N/A	March	Planning, design, and construction of improvements to community water systems and non-profit non-community public water systems	http://epa.ohio.gov/dda gw/financialassistance.a spx#113865253-water- supply-revolving-loan- account-wsrla
Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Planning	Ohio EPA WSRLA Disadvantaged Community Loan Program (DCLP)	Drinking water systems in need of design, planning, and construction improvements	N/A	N/A	March	Communities must have documented public health issues and annual water and sewer rates (cost per household) disproportionately high compared to median household income Low interest and principal forgiveness	http://epa.ohio.gov/dda gw/financialassistance.a spx#113865254- disadvantaged- community-loan- program-dclp
Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Community Assistance Rate	Maintain affordable water and/or sewer rates by providing reduced rate loans for drinking water or wastewater systems development or improvement Construction/expansion of water and wastewater treatment facilities, installation or improvement of water distribution and wastewater collection systems, or stormwater management facilities	\$3,000,000 per system per loan recipient	N/A	Not listed	Criteria: (1) population less than 5,000 or residential users less than 2,000; (2) cost to implement will cause economic hardship Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Fresh%20Water%20Program-%20Community%20Assistance%20Rates.pdf
Planning, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure, Stormwater Retrofits	OWDA Fresh Water Loan Program: Market Based Rates	Provide financial assistance for planning/design and/or construction of drinking water, wastewater, or stormwater projects Development or acquisition of potable water resources, construction expansion of water and wastewater treatment facilities, installation or improvement of water distribution and wastewater collection systems, well-head protection planning studies, or stormwater management facilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	Planning, engineering, construction, land and easement acquisition, and legal and inspection fees 5-30 year term for construction loans; 5 year balloon loan for planning loans	http://www.owda.org/docs/document selector/upload/Fresh%20Water%20Program-%20Market%20Based%20Rates.pdf
Agricultural, Stormwater Retrofits, Water & Wastewater Infrastructure	OWDA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund Linked Deposit Program	Implementation of agricultural or forestry BMPs, on-site wastewater disposal systems, or other non-point source pollution control	N/A	N/A	Ongoing	Eligible: individuals, private agencies, or government agencies intending to control a source of nonpoint source pollution Term: 10 yrs for private, 20 yrs for public borrowers - not to extend useful life of the control	http://www.owda.org/d ocs/document selector /upload/Water%20Pollu tion%20Control%20Link ed%20Deposit%20Progr am.pdf
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach, Research, Water & Waste Infrastructure	US EPA Source Reduction Assistant (SRA) Grant Program	Pollution prevention through source reduction and resource conservation work	\$20,000-\$260,000	5%	June	One or more of the following methods: surveys, studies, research, investigation, experimentation, education, training and/or demonstrations Two year grant period 20 grants annually	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention

Clean Energy							
Category(ies):	Name:	Focus:	Typical Maximum Award: (subject to change)	Match:	Typical Application Deadline: (subject to change)	Notes:	Website Link:
		Low-interest financing to install efficiency measures that reduce energy usage by 15%				Eligible: small businesses, local governments, manufacturers, school districts, colleges and universities, nonprofit organizations	
Clean Energy	Energy Loan Fund	Eligible efficiency measures: insulation, LED lighting, energy efficiency lighting technologies, energy management control systems, HVAC upgrades, weather sealing, door and window replacements, combined heat and power systems, and cogeneration systems	\$1.25 million	N/A	Not listed	Offer assistance with energy audit	https://development.oh io.gov/bs/bs_energyloa nfund.htm
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach	State Energy Program (SEP)	Address energy priorities such as adopting emerging renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies	Depends on funding allocated to state	20% non- federal for all funding allocated to the state	Deadline per bid - check website	Advance energy solutions through regional networks, strategic energy planning, executive orders, legislation and local ordinances, management of local retrofits, and land-use plans	https://development.oh io.gov/bs/bs_seprogram .htm
Clean Energy		Reduce air emissions from diesel fleets	Reimburse up to 80% of project costs	20% non- federal	Mid-October	Eligible: fleets operating at least 65% of the time in Ohio non-attainment counties for fine particulates or ozone (all counties in Tinker's Creek Watershed)	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/oeef/EnvironmentalE ducation.aspx#1313642 51-clean-school-bus- grants
Outreach			\$50,000-\$1,000,000			Funded by Federal Highway Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ)	
						Private sector fleets must apply through a public sector partner	
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach	Ohio EPA Alternative Fuel Vehicle Grants	Reimburse business owners of large diesel or gasoline vehicles weighing 26,000 lbs or more for a portion of the cost of replacing/converting the vehicle to run on compressed natural gas, liquefied natural gas, or propane	Per vehicle: Lesser of: (1) 50% of adjusted purchase price of new vehicle (fuel components); (2) 50% of cost of conversion parts; or (3) \$25,000	Remaining costs	Spring 2017	At least half of the miles driven by a vehicle must be in Ohio	http://www.epa.ohio.go v/oeef/EnvironmentalE ducation.aspx#1313650 76-alternative-fuel- vehicle-grants
		autogas	\$400,000 overall	\$400,000 overall		Expected to begin applications in spring 2017	
Clean Energy, Education and Outreach, Research, Water & Waste	US EPA Source Reduction Assistant (SRA) Grant Program	Pollution prevention through source reduction and resource conservation work	\$20,000-\$260,000	5%	June	One or more of the following methods: surveys, studies, research, investigation, experimentation, education, training and/or demonstrations	https://www.epa.gov/p 2/grant-programs- pollution-prevention
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Partnership Grant	
ODNR Land and Water Conservation Fund	Open Space Acquisition
(LWCF)	Park Improvements
ODNR Natureworks Grants	Open Space Acquisition
	Park Improvements
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ODNR Nonpoint Source Pollution Education	Education and Outreach
Grants	
ODNR Recreational Trails Program	Open Space Acquisition
	Park Improvements
	Education and Outreach
ODNR Wetland Restoration Assistance	Restoration
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ODNR WILD School Sites Small Grant Program	Education and Outreach
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Ohio Coal Research and Development Program:	Research
Ohio Coal Demonstration and Pilot Program	research
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Ohio Coal Research Consortium	Nesearch
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Ohio EPA Alternative Fuel Vehicle Grants	Clean Energy
Office I A Afternative Fuel Vehicle Grants	Education and Outreach
Ohio EPA Community Development Grant	Solid Waste and Litter
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Ohio EPA Diesel Emissions Reduction Grant	Clean Energy
Program	Education and Outreach
Ohio EPA Litter Management Grant	Solid Waste and Litter
Office LFA Litter Wariagement Grant	Solid Waste and Litter
Ohio EPA Market Development Grant	Solid Waste and Litter
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Ohio EPA Ohio Environmental Education Fund	Education and Outreach
Office EPA Office Environmental Education Fund	Education and Outreach
Ohio EPA Section 319 Grants	Restoration
Office LFA Section 319 Grants	Stormwater Retrofits
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Ohio EPA Surface Water Improvement Fund	Restoration
(SWIF)	Stormwater Retrofits
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Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund	
(WPCLF) Nonpoint Source Water Pollution	Agricultural Restoration
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	Planning
Ohio FDA Water Pollution Control Long Fund	5
Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund	Stormwater Retrofits
(WPCLF) Stormwater Activities	Planning

Notwork Grant Program (DDINI)	
Network Grant Program (PPIN)	December 1
US EPA Small Business Innovation Research	Research
(SBIR) Program	
US EPA Source Reduction Assistant (SRA) Grant	Clean Energy
<u>Program</u>	Education and Outreach
	Research
	Water and Wastewater Infrastructure
US EPA Urban Waters Grant	Education and Outreach
	Stormwater Retrofits
	Restoration
US Fish & Wildlife Service Aquatic Resource	Education and Outreach
Education Program	
US Fish & Wildlife Service Endangered Species	Restoration
Conservation Grants	Open Space Acquisition
US Fish & Wildlife Service Great Lakes Fish &	Restoration
Wildlife Restoration Act (GLFWRA) Grants	
US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation	Open Space Acquisition
Plan (HCP) Land Acquisition	Open space Acquisition
US Fish & Wildlife Service Habitat Conservation	Open Space Acquisition
Planning Assistance	Restoration
Planning Assistance	
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US Fish & Wildlife Service Hunter Education	Education and Outreach
Program	
US Fish & Wildlife Service National Coastal	Restoration
Wetland Grant	Open Space Acquisition
US Fish & Wildlife Service North American	Restoration
Wetlands Conservation Act (NAWCA) Grants	
US Fish & Wildlife Service Recovery Land	Open Space Acquisition
<u>Acquisition</u>	
US Fish & Wildlife Service Region 3 Fish Passage	Restoration
Program	
US Fish & Wildlife Service Sport Fish Restoration	Restoration
(SFR) Program	
US Fish & Wildlife Service State Wildlife Grant	Restoration
Program	Planning
	Open Space Acquisition
	Research
US Fish & Wildlife Service Urban Bird Treaty	Education and Outreach
Grant	Restoration
Grant	
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US Fish & Wildlife Service Wildlife Restoration	Restoration
(WR) Program	Open Space Acquisition
	Education and Outreach