



Kansas Water Plan Partnership Initiative

The Kansas Water Office (KWO) is making Kansas Water Plan Partnership Initiative (KWPPPI) funding available to promote progress on priority actions noted within Guiding Principle sections of the 2022 Kansas Water Plan and associated Regional Goal Action Plans.

The Kansas Water Office will select applications for projects and activities that have the best opportunity to support implementation progress of the Kansas Water Plan (KWP).

Important details required during the application process:

- **The grants require a minimum of 50% match**
- **A succinct project proposal** that addresses the chosen problem statement
- **A proposed budget (one page)**, the budget should note if your match is cash or in-kind and the source of the match
- **A timetable/project schedule**

Questions about this initiative should be directed to Matt Unruh at matt.unruh@kwo.ks.gov

For technical assistance needed with this form, please contact Katie Goff at katie.goff@kwo.ks.gov

Proposals must be submitted by 11:59 PM Friday, December 29, 2023 to be fully considered for initial round of funding.

Proposals submitted after December 29, 2023 will be evaluated for funding consideration after those which were submitted on or before noted date.

APPLICATION DETAILS

Applicant Details

Who is completing this application?

- Agricultural Commodity/Advocacy Organization
- College/University
- Conservation Organization
- Private Sector Partner
- Public Governmental Entity
- Water-Related District

Name: _____

Contact email: _____

Contact phone: _____

Organization/Entity: _____

KANSAS WATER PLAN CONNECTION

Which KWP Guiding Principle(s) most align with your proposed activities?

Applicants may align with more than one category, so please select all that may apply.

- Conserve & Extend the High Plains Aquifer
- Improve Our State's Water Quality
- Reduce Our Vulnerability to Extreme Events
- Increase Awareness of Kansas Water Resources

Which Regional Planning Area (RPA) Goal(s) most closely align with your proposed activities?

Applicants may select as many RPA priority goals as applicable.

A full list of the RPA goals and action plans are listed in the KWP Appendix A.

Cimarron Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Cimarron RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4

Equus-Walnut Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Equus-Walnut RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Great Bend Prairie Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Great Bend Prairie RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Kansas Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Kansas RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Marais des Cygnes Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Marais des Cygnes RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3

Missouri Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Missouri RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Neosho Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Neosho RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4

Red Hills Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Red Hills RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3

Smoky Hill-Saline Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Smoky Hill-Saline RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4

Solomon-Republican Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Solomon-Republican RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Upper Arkansas Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goal

Select as many as may apply. Upper Arkansas RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1

Upper Republican Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Upper Republican RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4
- Priority Goal #5

Upper Smoky Hill Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Upper Smoky Hill RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1
- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3

Verdigris Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Goals

Select as many as may apply. Verdigris RAC Goals & Action Plans listed [HERE](#).

- Priority Goal #1

- Priority Goal #2
- Priority Goal #3
- Priority Goal #4

Application Details

Project Title: _____

Total Project Cost: _____

KWPPI Requested Amount: _____

Does this project have a minimum of 50% funding match?:

- Yes
- No

Has any other federal, state, or local funding already been secured?

- Yes
- No

If Yes, indicate below the source(s) and amount(s) of funding currently planned.

Example:

Source: USDA Amount: \$5,000

Additional Application Submittals

Files that must be submitted.

- **Project Proposal Narrative:**
A succinct project proposal that addresses the chosen problem statement and states specifically what will be delivered to address the problem statement.

- **Statement(s) of Support:**
A statement of support from an appropriate Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) which includes information about how the project aligns with the applicable Kansas Water Plan and/or Regional Goal Action Plans is welcomed but not required.

- **Budget Upload:**
A proposed budget (one page), the budget should note if your match is cash or in-kind and the source of the match.

Is this proposal planned to be completed in phases?

Yes

No

If Yes, indicate below what portion(s) of the proposal (e.g. planning, design, etc.) is being submitted for funding consideration at this time.

Opportunity to submit explanation of the full project in the next question.

- **Project Timetable/Schedule**

Outline the anticipated scope of work for the project. Each step in the scope of work should be listed in chronological order, with a target completion date (month and year, example May 2023) identified for each step.

Submission

Date of Submission: _____