



St. Johns River Water Management District

Cooperative Funding — FY 2014–2015

The St. Johns River Water Management District is accepting applications from Feb. 3 to March 31, 2014, for cost-share funding for projects that will provide any of the following:

- **Nutrient-loading reduction** in springsheds and other water bodies with established nutrient total maximum daily loads (within two-year capture zones of springs and the Indian River lagoon, nutrient reduction projects can include elimination of domestic wastewater from onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems)
- **Water conservation** that reduces water demands by:
 - Increasing irrigation efficiency (both crop and landscape), or
 - Automating the tracking of individual customer water use, to be used by water utilities to implement more effective conservation measures and make customers aware of their water use
- **Water resource development** that increases the source of water available, such as by providing storage of wet weather flows for potential use during dry periods
- **Alternative water supply development** that replaces existing or planned groundwater use with other sources such as reclaimed water, surface water and seawater

The benefits of funded projects must be directed to one or more of the following District strategic initiatives:

- Springs Protection
- North Florida Water Supply
- Central Florida Water Initiative
- Minimum Flows and Levels Prevention and Recovery
- Indian River Lagoon Protection
- Middle and Lower St. Johns Water Quality Improvement
- Northern Coastal Basin



Wekiwa Springs



Lady Lake water plant construction



Reuse pipes in Port Orange



Reverse osmosis plant in St. Augustine



Silver Glen Springs



Taylor Creek Reservoir

Funding Available

- The District anticipates making at least \$13 million available for cooperative funding in Fiscal Year 2014–2015 that begins Oct. 1, 2014.
- It is anticipated that project funding would be for project construction that would begin by September 30, 2015.
- The District plans to fund up to one-third of costs for selected projects.

Application Instructions and Guidelines

- Visit floridaswater.com/funding for:
 - Application form
 - Evaluation criteria
 - Cooperative funding contract template

Application Deadline

- Complete applications using the application form available at floridaswater.com/funding must be emailed between Feb. 3, 2014, and 5 p.m. on March 31, 2014, to funding@sjrwmd.com.
- Incomplete applications or applications received after the deadline will not be considered for funding.

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Disclaimers

- Funding is contingent upon the District Governing Board's final budget approval Sept. 23, 2014.
- The District will select projects that it determines, in its sole judgment and discretion, serve the District's interests.

