

SYNOPSIS

Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP) Synopsis

Through the California Bay-Delta Authority, the CALFED Science Program is seeking to invest grant funding in projects that will fundamentally advance the understanding of the complex environments/systems within the CALFED jurisdiction to aid policy-makers and resource managers. The geographic area of interest is the CALFED Bay-Delta System which includes California's Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds and the San Francisco Estuary with a focus on the Delta (Figures 1a and 1b).

Specifically, the Science Program is soliciting research proposals focused on the following four topics:

1. Environmental Water
2. Aquatic Invasive (Exotic) Species
3. Trends and Patterns of Populations and System Response to a Changing Environment
4. Habitat Availability and Response to Change

Award Information

- Anticipated Type of Award: Grant
- Estimated Number of Awards: 5 - 10
- Anticipated Total Funding: Approximately \$6 million
- Potential Funding per Grant: Less than \$6 million
- Length of Funding: Up to 3 years

Eligibility Information

Any public agency or nonprofit organization capable of entering into a grant agreement with the State or Federal government may apply. This includes, but is not limited to: (1) local agencies; (2) private nonprofit organizations (3) tribes; (4) universities; (5) State agencies; and (6) Federal agencies.

Deadline

Proposals will be accepted from June 30 – August 31, 2006.

Contacts

Proposal Submittal Process Helpline: (877) 408-9310 or via email:
help@solicitation.calwater.ca.gov