



**SIERRA VALLEY GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN
IMPLEMENTATION FUNDING AND
GRANT APPLICATION SUMMARY TABLE**

FUNDER AND GRANT TITLE	SCOPE	AMOUNT REQUESTED	STATUS AS OF MAY 11, 2023
California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW): Drought, Climate and Nature-based Solutions	The focus is on the Badenaugh-Smithneck recharge proposal. There is a discussion on the benefits to shallow groundwater and streamflow and wetlands. There may also be benefits for shallow and domestic wells.	\$1,342,577	Conceptual proposal submitted on March 16, 2023. An initial round of questions was received March 21 and responded to March 23, with additional questions April 19 requesting more detail and responded to on May 2.
Plumas Watershed Forum: Watershed Forum Concept Proposal	The focus is on agricultural irrigation efficiency and a pilot recharge project.	\$1,547,000	Concept proposal submitted on March 24, 2023. Recommendations on requests for full applications scheduled to be released in June 2023.
California Department of Food and Agriculture (CFDA): Water Efficiency Technical Assistance Program	Funding available for on-farm irrigation water and energy use efficiency standards, evaluation, and implementation of efficient practices. Proposals due June 6, 2023.	TBD	Resource conservation districts (RCDs), University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE), universities, and non-profit organizations are eligible to apply. Eligible entities are encouraged to partner with a Groundwater Sustainable Agency (GSA). The Planning Committee is speaking with the Sierra Valley RCD and UCCE Plumas-Sierra to determine the level of interest in applying for this technical assistance.
California Department of Water Resources (DWR): Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) Implementation Round 2	Funding request to assist with all aspects of Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) implementation including data collection and data management, annual reports, five-year updates to the GSP, projects and management actions, and grant administration.	\$5,450,000	Draft awards anticipated to be announced in May 2023, final award announcements expected in October 2023, with agreements signed by January 2024.
CDFA: Multi-benefit Land Repurposing Program	<i>Awaiting determinations on 2023 grant applications to assess fit with creating multiple benefits while keeping land in production.</i>		