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## **Drinking Water Section**

## **DWS Circular Letter #2017-17**

TO: Community and Non-Profit Non-Community Public Water Systems

FROM: Lori Mathieu, Public Health Section Chief, Drinking Water Section

DATE: December 20, 2017

RE: Drinking Water State Revolving Fund - Finalized Intended Use Plan for State Fiscal Year

2018

The Drinking Water Section (DWS) held a 30 day public comment period followed by a public hearing on October 25, 2017 to allow for public comments on the Draft State Fiscal Year 2018 Intended Use Plan (IUP) associated with the Department's annual federal capitalization grant from the United States Environmental Protection Agency. The IUP details the Department's intended utilization of these federal funds and includes drinking water infrastructure projects expected to receive loans or subsidized loans from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF). The Department carefully considered the public comments that were received and oral testimony that were provided at the public hearing and has finalized the IUP with some revisions. A Hearing Report has been prepared that includes copies of all written comments that were received during the public comment period and a transcript of the oral testimony provided during the public hearing. The Hearing Report also provides details of the revisions that have been made to the IUP from the earlier draft version. The Hearing Report and Final IUP will be posted on the Department's DWSRF website soon. The Department thanks all of those public water systems that provided comment and also thanks those that took the time to attend our public hearing.

The Final IUP includes a Carryover Project List (Attachment E) and a Fundable Project Priority List (Attachment F). The Carryover Project List details the drinking water infrastructure projects from older IUPs that are expected to receive DWSRF funding during SFY 2018. The Fundable Project Priority List contains new projects that applied for SFY 2018 funding and are also expected to receive funding. The DWS has sent letters notifying all public water systems with projects appearing on the Fundable Project Priority List that funding is available for their projects and details the next steps required to process their DWSRF loan.

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