Consumptive Use Mitigation Grant

Program Overview



November 20, 2025





Webinar Logistics

- Webinar is being recorded.
- Please mute all lines.
- Presentations will run approximately 40 minutes.
- Time for questions & answers after presentations.
- Please use chat function to ask questions.
- Send follow-up questions to:
 - Email: cugrant@srbc.gov
 - Phone: 717-238-0423, Ext. 1017







Welcome & Opening Remarks

Andrew Dehoff Executive Director







<u>Purpose</u>

• Attract & fund projects that help mitigate consumptive use or otherwise improve drought resilience in the Susquehanna River Basin.





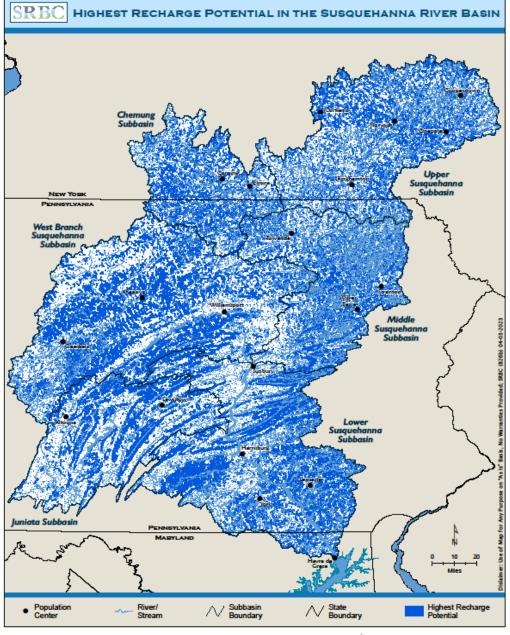


What's New

- 1. Applications are limited to one per organization.
- 2. A primary water quantity benefit must be submitted.
- 3. The Groundwater Replenishment
 Alternatives (GRAs) project type has
 replaced the Environmental and Water
 Quality Alternatives (EWQAs) category.







Eligible Applicants

- Project Sponsors
- Local, State, and Federal Government Entities
- Tax-Exempt Non-Profit
 Organizations
- Institutions of Higher Education









Eligible Projects

- Water Supply Alternatives.
 - Impoundments, quarries, mine pools, interconnections.
- Project Operation Alternatives.
 - Conservation releases, aquifer storage & recovery,
 conjunctive use management, drought response actions.
- Demand Modification Alternatives.
 - Water conservation, water reuse, or recycling.
- Groundwater Replenishment Alternatives.
 - Groundwater recharge, critical aquifer recharge areas preservation, stormwater management (infiltration).









Example Project: Water Supply

- Billmeyer Quarry, Lancaster County, PA.
- Inactive flooded limestone quarry.
- 425 Mgal of water supply storage for low flow management.
- Public-private partnership.







Example Project: Project Operations

- Public or private reservoir.
- Operations revised to implement low flow augmentation and/or acceptable conservation release.
- More natural flow regime restored in downstream reach.







Example Project: Demand Modification

- Industrial water user with cooling towers.
- Implement water conservation technology to reduce evaporative losses.
- Improved water savings and plume abatement.







Example Project: Groundwater Replenishment

- 100-acre property acquisition.
- 30-acre wetland and riparian buffer restoration.
- Property to be dedicated as state land.
- Multi-agency/conservation group partnership.







Funding

- Total grant funding: \$4M \$6M.
- Individual project funding: \$100k or more.
- Minimum cash match: 20%.
- Grant period of performance: 3 years.



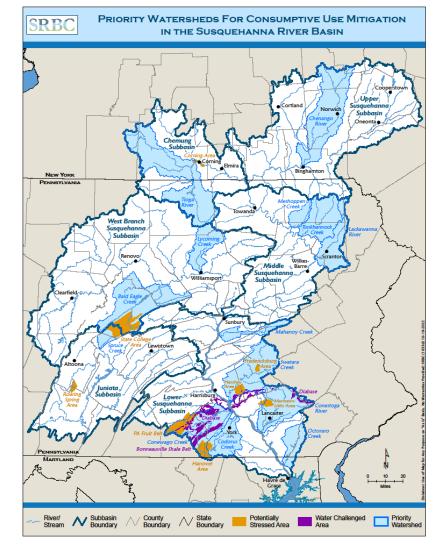






Application Reviews

- Determine eligibility & ensure program requirements met.
- Eligible applications reviewed by committee of 8 staff.
- Applications reviewed & scored based on criteria in Guidelines.
 - Purpose & benefits
 - Scope of work
 - Access, permits, and O&M
 - Budget
 - Experience, partners
 - Priority watershed







Schedule

Grant Application Opens: November 3, 2025

Grant Application Closes: January 30, 2026

Grant Application Review: February - March 2026

Grant Awards Announced: April 2026

Grant Agreements Executed: July 2026





Grant Application Software

Previously AmpliFund: Now Rebranded to Euna Grants – Powered by AmpliFund

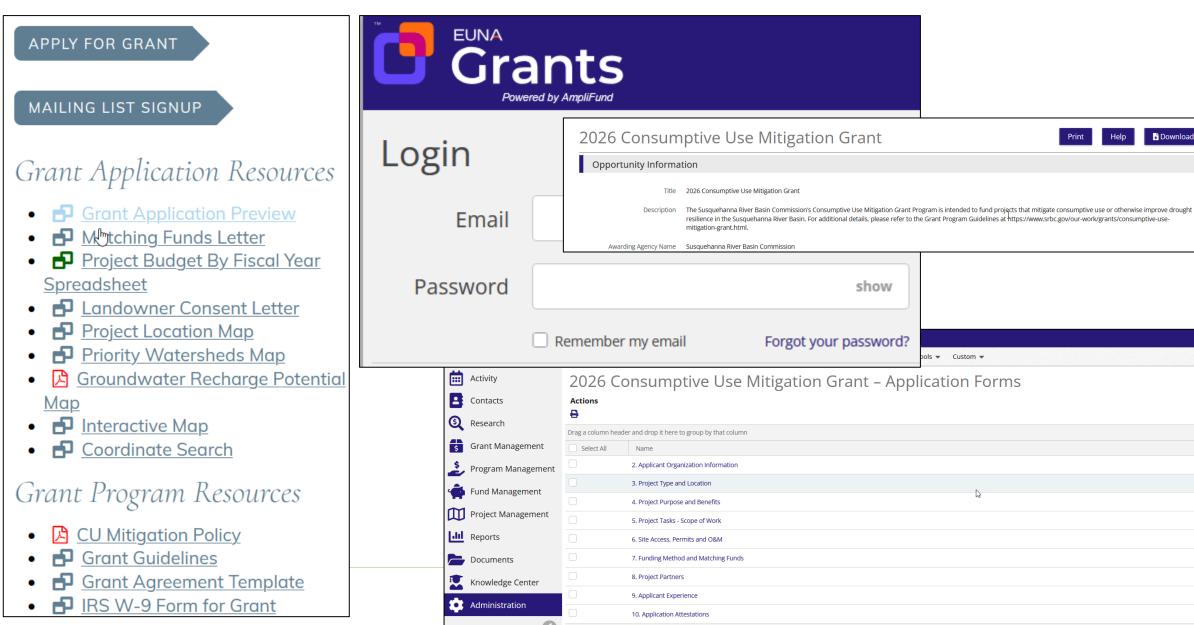
- Euna Solutions acquired AmpliFund last year
- No change to website functionality or layout
- Change from Green to Purple theme
- SRBC will be updating Grantee support documents in the coming months
- Existing Grantee resources still apply changes are cosmetic



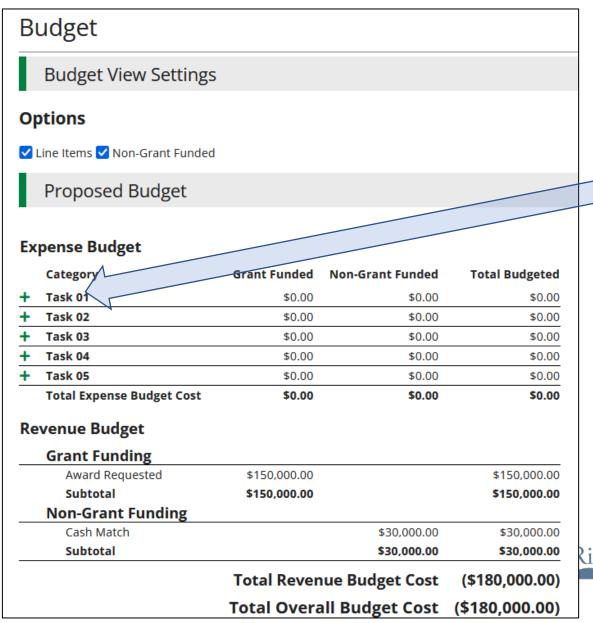


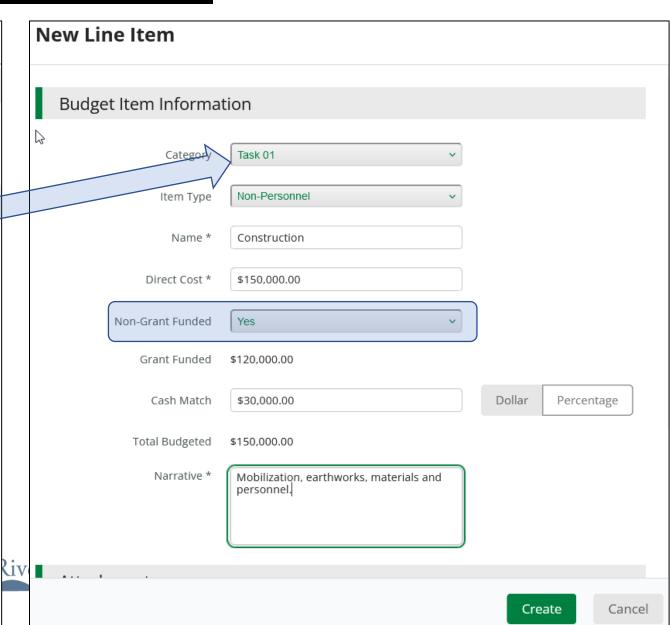
Grant Application Software – Euna Grants

https://www.srbc.gov/our-work/grants/consumptive-use-mitigation-grant.html



Euna Budgets





Proposed Budget

expense budget			
	Category	Grant Funded	Non-Grant Fun
+	Task 01	\$120,000.00	\$30,00
	Construction	¢120,000,00	#30.00

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	Construction / im	\$120,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$150,000.00
+	Task 02	\$30,000.00	\$0.00	\$30,000.00
	Design and Permits	\$30,000.00	\$0.00	\$30,000.00
+	Task 03	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
+	Task 04	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
+	Task 05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total Expense Budget Cost	\$150,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$180,000.00

Revenue Budget

Grant Funding			
Award Requested	\$150,000.00		\$150,000.00
Subtotal \$150,000.00		\$150,000.00	
Non-Grant Funding			
Cash Match		\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
Subtotal		\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00

Total Revenue Budget Cost (\$180,000.00)

Total Budgeted

Total Overall Budget Cost \$0.00

- Grant funded amounts need to match your requested amounts. (Blue)
- Grant funding must match the **Expense** and **Revenue** side for the budget to balance.
- Non-grant funding (Green) must be equal in the Expense and Revenue side of the budget to balance.
- Total budgeted must match requested grant funding and pledged cash match and zero out. (Peach)

Multi-Year Budget Upload



SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BASIN COMMISSION CONSUMPTIVE USE MITIGATION GRANT PROJECT BUDGET BY FISCAL YEAR SPREADSHEET

<u>Instructions</u>: Please enter Project Name and the total dollar amounts for Years 1, 2, and 3 in the table below. Upload file where indicated on Form 7 (Funding Method and Matching Funds) in the grant application.

Project Name:

	Grant Funded	Match	Total	
Year 1			\$0.00	
Year 2			\$0.00	
Year 3			\$0.00	

Please note that the SRBC Grant Year is from July 1st to June 30th.







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