



# Grant and Legislative Update

Board of Directors

March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022



# Overview

- Status of Grant Applications
- Legislative Update and Consideration of Board Support

# Recent Grant Awards and Applications

Project	Funder	Amount	Status
California Water and Wastewater Arrearages Payment Program	State Water Board	\$2.14M	<b>Funded (Dec. 2021)</b>
Lagunitas Creek Coho Habitat Enhancement Final Design Plan	CDFW	\$869K	<b>Awarded (Feb. 2022)</b>
Conservation Corps Wildfire Resilience Youth Workforce	CalVolunteers	\$1.45M	Applied (Feb. 2022)
Forest Health and Resiliency Project	State Coastal Conservancy	\$1.057M	Applied (Jan. 2022)
Forest Health Fuels Reduction Phase II	CalFIRE	\$3.2M	Applied (Mar. 2022)
Azalea Hill Trail Project Phase 1	Land and Water Conservation Fund	\$667K	Applied (Jan. 2022)

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San Geronimo Treatment Plant Emergency Generator Project	Member Request-- Levine	\$1.00M	Requested (Feb. 2022)
USACE Water Resources Development Act (WRDA) Request	Member Request-- Huffman	\$28M	Requested (Feb. 2022)
WIFIA Tank Replacement Loan	US EPA	\$10M	Application Pending
WaterSMART Drought Resiliency Project (Intertie)	USBR	\$2M	Denied
Intertie Drought Funding	Department of Water Resources	\$27M	Requested (Dec. 2021)

# Legislative Update



## AB 2142—(Gabriel; A.D. 45): Income Tax Exclusion

- Reinstates the California personal income tax exemption for turf replacement rebates to help incentivize participation in water efficiency programs.
- Supported and co-sponsored by ACWA.
- Board position of support requested.

# Summary

- Successfully securing funding for COVID-related expenses
- Prioritizing wildfire prevention for new applications
- Continuing to track key legislation and funding opportunities