

NOTICE

TO: Rural Economic Action Plan (REAP) Grant Interested Persons

FROM: Joe Freeman, Chief
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Oklahoma Water Resources Board (“OWRB”)

DATE: June 13, 2022

RE: **OWRB REAP Grant Application Deadline**

The application period for all parties interested in applying for an OWRB REAP Grant (Grant) for FY2023 will open on July 1, 2022. To apply for a Grant the following information is required:

1. Resolution authorizing the application and authorizing the appropriate board member to sign the application (a link to a sample is located on the email containing this Notice);
2. **Completed online OWRB REAP Grant application** with a verification page signed by the authorized person and the applicant’s attorney, notarized and containing notary seal (a link to the verification form is located on the email containing this Notice). The online application is found in the REAP Grant section of our website, and will direct you to upload the required documentation. ***A grant application will not be processed and ranked until all of the required documentation is presented.***

If you were on the previous year OWRB REAP Grant Priority List and wish to be placed on the FY2023 list, you must also complete a new OWRB REAP Grant application. ***Paper applications will not be accepted.*** Please make sure to keep us apprised throughout the year of any changes to your chairman and clerk as information is provided to them from time to time and their name appears on any legal documents.

Your online application must be time/date stamped by 5 p.m. the first business day of September 2022 to be considered for funding during Fiscal Year 2023.

We will not be hosting an online grants workshop for FY2023 but there is a recording of the presentation we did for FY2022 titled REAP Grant Application Presentation on our website at: <https://www.owrb.ok.gov/financing/grant/reapgrants.php>. None of the information is changing so this presentation should be helpful in helping you navigate the application process. If you have any questions or need additional information please contact Jerri Hargis at (405) 664-5763.

Thank you.