



GRANT INSIGHTS

The **Technical Assistance Grant Fund**—totaling \$5 million annually for five years—provides funding for planning, engineering, managing, and other technical assistance to develop water infrastructure projects and process grant and loan applications for such projects. Program funds are authorized through Senate Substitute for HB 2302, a bipartisan bill increasing funding for the State Water Plan Fund.

Federal Agency Name	Kansas Water Office (KWO)
Funding Opportunity	Technical Assistance Grant Funds
NOFO Release Date	11/01/2023
Application Due Date	12/29/2023 via KWO's Website at HB 2302 Grant Programs (ks.gov)
Total Funding Available	\$25M
Award Minimum	N/A
Award Maximum	\$1,000,000
Recipient Cost-Share/ Match Requirements:	No matching funds are required to be eligible for a Technical Assistance Grant Fund award.
Summary	Eligible Projects and Activities for Technical Assistance Grant Fund: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Planning, engineering, managing, and other technical assistance that may be necessary in the development of plans for water infrastructure projects or · Processing grant and loan applications for such water infrastructure projects
Eligible Applicants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Municipalities · Special districts related to water organized under the Laws of Kansas
Special Considerations	<p><u>Population:</u> Municipalities with fewer than 2,000 residents will be prioritized</p> <p><u>Conservation Plan:</u> Projects incorporating a conservation and/or climate change resiliency plan will be prioritized</p> <p><u>Timeline:</u> Projects with earlier start dates will be prioritized</p> <p><u>Community Factors:</u> Criteria under consideration for municipalities may also include (but will not necessarily be limited to) public health, socioeconomic factors, and the ability of a municipality to repay any loans without grant assistance</p>



Notes

The grant application must be submitted through the form posted on the KWO website: [HB 2302 Grant Programs \(ks.gov\)](#)

The KWO will issue payments upon the Applicant providing invoices after all necessary Federal, state, and local permits have been acquired, up to 90% of the grant amount approved, and the remaining balance will be paid after the project/work is completed.

