LOCAL LEVEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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Grant Programs

- Early Implementation Program (Props 1E & 84)
- Flood Control Subventions Program (Prop 1E & 84)
- Floodway Corridor Program (Prop 1E & 84)
- Local Levee Assistance Program (Prop 84)
- Yuba Feather Flood Protection Program (Prop 13)
Prop 84 - approved by California voters in 2006
Prop 84 provides funds to perform flood control improvements
LLAP funds levee evaluations & design & construction for critical levee repairs
2008 Project Solicitation Proposal

Awarded $8.6 million to 12 projects including –

- Alameda County – 3 projects
- City of Bakersfield
- City of Fairfield
- City of Oroville
- Contra Costa Co.
- Del Notre County
- Humboldt County
- Marin County
- Orange County
- San Bernardino County
LLAP Eligibility

- Applicant must be a Local Public Agency or Joint Powers Authority.
- The Local Public Agency must be responsible for a local levee system.
- The Local Public Agency must be qualified to contract with the State.
LLAP Eligibility (cont.)

LLAP funds projects Statewide but not if the project is -

- Part of the State Plan of Flood Control,
- Located within the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, and
- An urban non-project levee in the Central Valley eligible for evaluation under Section 5096.955(a)(2) of the Public Resources Code
2011 Project Solicitation Proposal

➤ $49.7 million available

➤ Revised LLAP Guidelines
  • Public Comment Period Ends March 18th
  • Public Workshops scheduled –
    • Redding – March 8th
    • Oakland – March 9th
    • Riverside – March 11th
    • WebEx – March 15th
LLAP Draft Guidelines

“Guidelines for Providing Funding to Local Agencies Under Proposition 84 of 2006”

To obtain a copy go to the California FloodSAFE website at:

http://www.water.ca.gov/floodsafe
Proposed Revisions

- Makes LLAP more accessible, broader in scope & more dynamic
- Increases Local Levee Evaluation (LOLE) project State cost-share to $2M
- Expands LOLE to include surveying & hydrology & hydraulic studies
- Adds ‘pre-project’ Local Levee Critical Repair (LLCR) credit allowance
Proposed Revisions (cont.)

- Change Cost-Sharing Formulas to –
  - 50% base State cost-share
  - Up to 20% increase for habitat, open-space, recreation, and State facilities objective enhancements
  - Up to 40% increase for disadvantaged area objective enhancement
  - Minimum local cost-share of 10%
2 LLAP strategies – LOLE & LLCR

Project eligibility contains 3 NOTs

New 2011 Project Solicitation Proposal

Proposed LLAP Draft Guidelines include proposed changes, project enhancements

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Workshops scheduled week of March 14th
Questions?

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