



The Coastal & Heartland National Estuary Partnership (CHNEP) is part of the US EPA National Estuary Program and is comprised of local, state and federal governmental entities, non-profits, private sector entities and the public. Its mission is to unite Central and Southwest Florida to protect water and wildlife. The CHNEP is non-regulatory, science-based, and citizen-supported, and its work is supported by a professional team who works to pair funding opportunities and resources with the communities and partners in the CHNEP's 10-county service area.

Funding Opportunities

Offers a variety of fellowship and grant opportunities to enhance oil system safety and the protection of human health and the environment in the Gulf of Mexico and U.S. outer continental shelf regions.

Funding projects to assess, remove, and dispose of marine debris in and around coastal communities impacted by hurricanes and other episodic storm events.

<https://www.nfwf.org/programs/hurricane-response-marine-debris-removal-fund/hurricane-response-marine-debris-removal>

Funding to bolster existing efforts to protect and restore Florida's water resources through several grant opportunities, including Water Quality Implementation Grants, Alternative Water Supply Grants, Springs Restoration Grants, Wetlands Restoration and Protection Grants, Innovative Technology for Harmful Algal Bloom Grants, Local Government Water Supply Pilot Grants, Nonpoint Source Management Grants, and Florida's Coral Reef Restoration and Recovery Initiative Grants.

<https://protectingfloridatogether.gov/state-action/grants-submissions>

Funding to increase resilience through landscape-scale habitat restoration in coastal ecosystems nationwide and promote coastal resilience in underserved communities.

Funding projects up to \$6 Million

<https://grants.gov/search-results-detail/355006?showPackages=1>

Letters of Intent due August 2, 2024

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