

SAN MATEO COUNTY HARBOR DISTRICT (SMCHD)

BOARD MEETING PRESENTATION

November 16, 2022

SINCE 2004, CALIFORNIA CONSULTING has established a reputation for hard work and bringing success to its clients in the areas of competitive grant writing. California Consulting's federal, state, and private foundation grant applications have secured over \$1.5 billion for the municipalities, school districts, universities, and nonprofit organizations we regularly collaborate with.

SEVERAL EXAMPLES OF THE TYPES OF SERVICES WE'RE ABLE TO PROVIDE:

- Researching and developing proposals that are specifically designed to champion partnering entities like the San Mateo County Harbor District.
- Analyzing existing unfunded projects to best determine which grant writing strategies/practices are conducive to success, taking the most appropriate scalable course of action that's not only informed by the current funding landscape, but ultimately place a greater emphasis on advancing capacity building and community engagement.
- Functioning as lead liaison between the San Mateo County Harbor District and state/federal agencies, with outgoing documentation or related reports undergoing California Consulting's extensive content review and editing process prior to being distributed to any external audience, even in draft form.



GRANTS AWARDED IN 2021 & 2022

1

California Coastal Conservancy

Date Awarded: December 2021

Amount Awarded: \$212,812

2

Metropolitan Transportation
Commission

Date Awarded: May 2022

Amount Awarded: \$298,000

3

Peninsula Clean Energy
(CALeVIP EV Program)

Date Awarded: October 2022

Amount Awarded: \$15,000



GRANTS APPLIED FOR IN 2022

1. SPILL PREVENTION & ENVIRONMENTAL ENHANCEMENT FUND: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE (CDFW)

- Amount Requested: \$500,000
- Submission Date: October 18, 2022
- Grant Description: Funding support from CDFW's Environmental Enhancement Grant Program will enable the Surfers Beach Restoration Project in achieving its measurable objectives for continued, multiple outcomes such as: Restoring sandy beach habitat and dune resiliency; Managing eelgrass mitigation work; and Addressing significantly accelerated coastal erosion rates.

2. BOATING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT (BIG): CALIFORNIA DIVISION OF BOATING & WATERWAYS

- Amount Requested: \$1,500,000
- Submission Date: August 1, 2022
- Grant Description: BIG funding can help to ensure that all facilities provided at Johnson Pier are able to accommodate larger vessels up to 65 ft. in length as this is what will not only propel a higher volume of vessels to visit, but ultimately provide a safe harbor in the event of inclement weather. The District intends to submit the same funding request in 2023 to benefit its Oyster Point Marina location.

3. PROPOSITION 68 GRANT PROGRAM: CALIFORNIA OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL

- Amount Requested: \$794,862
- Submission Date: June 13, 2022
- Grant Description: Funding provided by California Ocean Protection Council's Proposition 68 Grant will assist the District with addressing extreme levels of coastal erosion due to sea level rise coinciding with large waves during the severe winter storms exacerbated by climate change. This involves dredging of up to 100,000 cubic yards of clean sand accumulated along the inside of Pillar Point Harbor's East Breakwater and utilizing that sand to restore a severely eroded section of Surfer's Beach.



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4. EMERGENCY COASTAL RESILIENCE FUND: NATIONAL FISH AND WILDLIFE FOUNDATION

- Amount Requested: \$2,000,000
- Submission Date: March 3, 2022
- Grant Description: Funding from the Emergency Coastal Resilience Fund supports projects that build resilience for coastal communities impacted by natural disasters. Specifically, it will provide aid for the District's Surfers Beach Restoration Project, for the purposes of rebuilding from massive devastation caused by coastal erosion, better protecting community assets, and restoring critical wildlife habitats.

5. BOAT LAUNCHING FACILITIES GRANT: CALIFORNIA DIVISION OF BOATING & WATERWAYS

- Amount Requested: \$1,000,000
- Submission Date: February 15, 2022
- Grant Description: Support from the Boat Launching Facilities Grant Program will assist the District with making improvements to Pillar Point Harbor's launch ramp, while also helping to fund both public restroom replacement and new construction for a boat rise station.

6. VESSEL PUMP-OUT STATION GRANT: CALIFORNIA DIVISION OF BOATING & WATERWAYS

- Amount Requested: \$40,000
- Submission Date: January 28, 2022
- Grant Description: This Boating & Waterways Grant Program will install and implement vessel pump-out stations, in accordance with California's law that prohibits dumping raw sewage into state waters as raw sewage spreads disease and contaminates shellfish beds.

7. URBAN AND MULTI-BENEFIT DROUGHT RELIEF GRANT: DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

- Amount Requested: \$9,500,000
- Submission Date: January 3, 2022
- Grant Description: The Urban and Multi-Benefit Grant will address drought impacts on human health and safety, as well as help to protect fish and wildlife resources plus other public benefits, such as ecosystem improvements.



GRANTS CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS

1. **ZERO-EMISSION TRUCKING FUNDING FOR SMALL FLEETS – BAY AREA QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

- Amount to be Requested: \$240,000
- Anticipated Submission Date: November 15, 2022
- Grant Description: The District possesses six 4-wheel drive F250 gasoline trucks, which are used to travel short distances for the purposes of Harbor Patrol and towing rescue boats. We're attempting to use this funding opportunity as a chance to replace two of them with suitable EV trucks—one located at each facility harbor.

2. **PUBLIC WORKS & ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE GRANT – U.S. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION (EDA)**

- Amount to be Requested: \$3,000,000
- Anticipated Submission Date: December 15, 2022
- Grant Description: The District will request at minimum \$1,200,000 from EDA to provide the capital needed to support replacing/improving the pier at Pillar Point Harbor with a modern facility that's capable of competently handling vehicles and features enhanced electrical lines with larger amperages. As a result of the rebuilt facility, an estimated 600 jobs will be created (including commercial fishers) and many other saved in order to retain our status as a capital of the Pacific fishery.

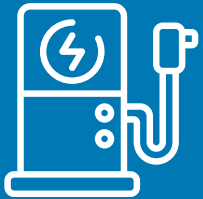
3. **CHARGE! UP DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAM – BAY AREA QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

- Amount to be Requested: \$3,000,000
- Anticipated Submission Date: December 30, 2022
- Grant Description: Charge Up! is a discretionary grant program that helps offset the cost of purchasing and installing new publicly available charging stations that provide electricity to plug-in electric vehicles, hence its vast potential to reduce both petroleum use and air pollution.



UPCOMING GRANT DEADLINES

Partial List for 2023 (Based on Level of Priority)



Zero-Emission Freight & Marine Program: California Air Resources Board

- Preparing an application for this grant opportunity will make it possible implement a stormwater reclamation program, specifically for the District's C-lot. This involves scrapping and repowering projects that replace vehicle engines with zero-emission all-+ technologies, with the new stormwater capture holding/filtration area located underground with parking on top and lower areas being pumped through it.
- **DEADLINE: FIRST-COME BASIS; FUNDING ASK AMOUNT: \$2,500,000**



Clean State Revolving Fund: Storm Water Resources Control Board

- The Clean Water State Revolving Fund program offers low-cost financing for a wide variety of water quality projects. The District will utilize this funding opportunity to assist with the development and implementation of a stormwater treatment facility that helps to facilitate water reclamation and distribution.
- **DEADLINE: ROLLING; FUNDING ASK AMOUNT: \$1,000,000 to \$100,000,000**



Habitat Enhancement Grant Program: California Wildlife Conservation

- The Habitat Enhancement Grant Program supports a diverse spectrum of projects centered around coastal restoration, expanding access to wildlife corridors, and improvements made to fisheries (e.g., fish ladders, barrier removal).
- **DEADLINE DUE: JANUARY 31, 2023; AWARD AMOUNT: \$495,000**

Other Funding Opportunities in 2023

- U.S. Department of Transportation's Port Infrastructure Development Grant Program – Funds are awarded to projects working to improve the safety, efficiency or reliability of the movement of goods into, out of, around, and within a port.
- Jackie Speier Fund – Congresswoman Jackie Speier's Appropriations Committee for Community Enhancement Fund improves to the lives of families in our District by advancing infrastructure, creating jobs, and supporting the economy.



Questions or Comments?

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