

Lehigh County 2021 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Funding is available to municipalities and non-profit organizations for projects benefitting Lehigh County residents living outside of the city limits of Allentown and Bethlehem with a focus on revitalization of low- and moderate-income neighborhoods through the rehabilitation of the existing housing stock and physical improvements to public facilities.

- Eligibility:** See [Eligible CDBG Activities](#)
- Award Amount:** No stated minimum or maximum
- Required Match:** 10% for construction projects
- Public Hearing:** *Two, duplicate sessions on March 23, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. and March 24, 2021, at 5:00 p.m.*
- Applications Due:** *April 15, 2021 by 11:59 p.m.*



Small Watershed Grants (SWG) Program National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF)



Funding is available for projects within the Chesapeake Bay Watershed that promote community-based efforts to protect and restore the diverse natural resources of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributary rivers and streams. NFWF will award funds through two distinct funding opportunities: SWG Implementation (SWG-I) Grants and SWG Planning and Technical Assistance (SWG-PTA) Grants.

- Eligibility:** See [Request for Proposal](#)
- Award Amount:** SWG-I Grants - \$50,000 to \$500,000
SWG-PTA Grants - up to \$50,000
- Required Match:** SWG-I Grants - One-third of grant request
SWG-PTA Grants - No match required
- Applications Due:** *April 22, 2021 by 11:59 p.m.*

Lancaster Clean Water Fund Grants Lancaster Clean Water Partners



Funding is available in three categories for projects that address clean water priorities as well as the pollution reduction goals in Lancaster's Countywide Action Plan (CAP).

Community Conservation Grant supports education, outreach, and regional engagement projects. Grants range from \$1,000 to \$15,000. Applications are due July 26, 2021, by 11:59 p.m.

Clean Water Implementation Small Grant supports implementation of collaborative, watershed-scale restoration projects. Grants range from \$5,000 to \$25,000. Applications are due July 26, 2021, by 11:59 p.m.

Clean Water Implementation Large Grant supports installation of high-impact projects in priority locations to achieve nutrient and sediment reductions for Lancaster's CAP. Grants range from \$200,000 to \$500,000. Applications open April 1, 2021, and grants will be awarded on a rolling basis until all funds are allocated.

The Lancaster Clean Water Partners will hold an **Information Session** on Tuesday, March 30, 2021, from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Click [here](#) to register.

COMMONWEALTH FINANCING AUTHORITY PROGRAMS

The Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED), through the Commonwealth Financing Authority (CFA), is accepting applications for the Multimodal Transportation Fund and programs funded through Act 13. For additional information, please see our special edition [Funding Opportunities supplement](#).

PSU STORMWATER/4 INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Penn State University's Stormwater Living Lab project is seeking interest from Pennsylvania municipalities for student interns this summer (2021). These college-level internships are designed to give PSU students first-hand exposure to municipal-level stormwater management work and assist municipalities with their stormwater-related projects. Click [here](#) for more information.

**HAVE QUESTIONS?
PLEASE CONTACT US!**

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