

Yuba IRWMP – YWA-23

Project Short Form¹

Please fill out the following information to the best of your ability/knowledge. Once the project has been received and a preliminary review completed, the project team will work with you to develop additional information.

Project Sponsor Contact Information

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YWA Liaison	See above

General Project Information

Project Title	Water Conservation
Project Total Budget, based on current knowledge	\$3,600,000
Project Funding Match, if any	Unknown
Total Project Funding Request	\$3,600,000
Can a detailed cost estimate be provided upon request?	Yes
Project Location (map if available)	Yuba County
City/Community	Marysville/Yuba County
Watershed/subwatershed	Yuba County
Groundwater Basin	Unknown
Project Type (highlight in gray all that apply)	Conceptual Feasibility Study Study/Assessment Planning Engineering/Design Permitting CEQA/NEPA Facility Construction Restoration Monitoring Best Management Practices Acquisition Demonstration/Pilot Project

¹ Completed Project Short Forms should be sent via email to Katie Burdick at admin@burdico.net **and** Elizabeth Herrera at Elizabeth.herrera@fishsciences.net

Project Description

Write a narrative briefly describing the project components and/or characteristics (maximum of 300 words).

In support of Yuba Water Agency's Strategic Plan Number 6, the goal of this project is to inform, educate and increase awareness regarding the importance of water to life, the need for conservation and efficient water; and to provide in-ground water conservation solutions to Yuba County residents, facilities, and public entities.

Project components include:

1. Water Conservation Community Education - multi-prong approach
 - a. School based
 - b. Community – public outreach
 - c. Public agencies and Commercial entities
2. In the ground water conservation efforts that benefit the private sector, public agencies including schools, and commercial entities.
 - a. School based - Marysville Joint Unified School District has expressed the need to replace fixtures, automated timers and proper irrigation at school facilities in order to conserve water and money.
 - b. Incentive programs to invest in water conservation measures for residents, commercial businesses, and public agencies

Project Rationale/Issues State

Briefly describe the need for the project and the desired outcomes/deliverables (maximum of 200 words).

Promoting water conservation and efficiency is a key element in Yuba Water Agency's strategic Plan and imperative for the long-term health of our communities, County and State. It is an elemental goal and objective of the IRWM Plan.

This project would support the Groundwater Sustainability Plan by educating public agencies, the public and businesses on how to protect our water resources, watershed and water supply and would facilitate both short-term and long-term economic health through cost saving water conservation and efficiency. In addition, it would help develop the Yuba County economy and improve the overall well-being of Yuba County residents by assisting other public agencies to maximize public funds.