

**Sewage Management Grant Program
Local Assistance Pumpout/Dump Station Equipment Grants
Division of Boating and Waterways
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Summary:

Pumpout/Dump Station equipment grants fund new or replacement sewage pumpouts and dump stations. Operation and Maintenance (O&M) grants help offset the costs for upkeep of pumpouts and dump stations. These grants are funded by both the federal Coastal and Inland Clean Vessel Act (CVA) grants.

The Division of Boating and Waterways (DBW) is the designated state entity responsible for implementing the federal CVA program in California and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is the responsible federal agency.

Application Deadline: Applications are accepted on a continuous basis.

Application Procedure: Applications are submitted through the Online Grant Application System (OLGA).

FY 2025/26 Funding Available: \$274,500 (\$238,500 for pumpout and dump stations, \$36,000 for O&M).

Typical Grant Amount: Varies from \$2,000 - \$24,000 for an O&M grant and approximately \$40,000 for a pumpout or dump station grant.

Funding Source(s): Coastal and Inland CVA grants from the federal Sport Fish Restoration and Boating Trust Fund.

Eligible Grant Recipients: Government entities and private businesses that own and operate boating facilities that are open to public recreational boaters.

Restrictions:

- a) All equipment installed with CVA funding must be open and available to public recreational boaters.
- b) Pumpout and dump station grantees are required to operate and maintain the pumpout and dump station equipment for seven years.
- c) A minimum 25% local match is required.
- d) Liveaboard and commercial vessels are currently excluded from benefiting from CVA grant-funded equipment.

Accomplishments/Planning:

DBW has completed one grant project listed below:

<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Project Type</u>	<u>Grant Award</u>	<u>Number of Units</u>
City of Pittsburg	Pittsburg Marina	Pumpout Installation	\$22,579	1