

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT MARINE SEWAGE PUMPOUT STATION GRANT PROGRAM

### **APPLICATION**

Grantee Name:	Phone ( )
Contact Person:	Title:
Email: Marina	Website:
Federal Tax ID Number:	_ *SAMNumber:
Grantee fiscal year dates: Circle one: Jan 1-Dec 31	July 1-June 30, Oct 1 – Sept 30 other:
Address:	
(address is where all correspondent	ce concerning the grant will be sent)
City/State/Zip:	
County:	
(Complete if different than grantee)	
Name of Marina :	Phone ( )
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Name of waterbody the facility is located on or nex	t to:
(Include copy of navigation chart or topograph	ic map showing exact location of marina)
PROJECT DESCRIPTION	
Portable Pumpout Station	Fixed Pumpout Station
Combination Pumpout	Slip-side Pumpout
and Dump Station	Portable Toilet Dump Station
Expansion/Improvement/Renovation	n of Existing Service

Explain fully, including Brand or Manufacturer (attach additional sheets if necessary including any engineering):

Pumpout/Dump Station waste will discharge to:

\_\_\_\_\_ City Sewer (Submit evidence, **in writing**, of consent from owner of the system.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Septic System (Submit evidence, **in writing**, of approval of from local health officials, stating that sufficient sewage disposal capacity is available.)

Unit will be emptied by licensed septic hauler for disposal by a treatment facility. (Submit evidence, **in writing**, of a contract with a licensed septic hauler as well as approval from local health officials.)

\_\_ Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Pumpout/Dump Station (attach map indicating location):

\_\_\_\_on bulkhead \_\_\_\_fuel dock \_\_\_\_mobile \_\_\_other dock \_\_\_\_all slips

#### **PUMPOUT/DUMP STATION OPERATION**

 Who will operate the facility:
 \_\_\_\_\_\_ boater self serve
 \_\_\_\_\_\_ marina staff

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ other (describe):
 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Availability of Service

Months (circle)	Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr. May Jun. Jul. Aug. Sep. Oct. Nov. Dec.
Days (circle)	Daily (or only) Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. Sun.
Hours	24 Hours or Betweena.m. andp.m.
Fee Charged	Free or \$/ use (Maximum of \$5.00)

Expected Date To Begin New Pumpout/Dump Station Service:

Please note that no work or purchases on the project can begin until a contract with the NC Department of Environmental Quality has been executed.

Grantees who need a DUNS can go to http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform/ to apply.

#### **GRANT REQUEST**

Please provide detailed information for each item below, and attach price quotes or cost breakdowns if available.

### Who needs a SAM number?

A SAM registration is required for **any entity to bid on and get paid for federal contracts or to** <u>receive federal funds</u>. These include for-profit businesses, nonprofits, government contractors, government subcontractors, state governments, and local municipalities.

## Unique Entity Identifier (UEI)

A number or other identifier used to uniquely identify a specific entity. The UEI is used within SAM.gov and IAE as a primary key to identify a unique entity.

Starting Monday, April 4, 2022, you can no longer see or use the DUNS Number anywhere in SAM.gov. The new <u>Unique Entity ID</u> will be the official governmentwide identifier used for federal awards.

## How does the UEI (SAM) get assigned?

If your entity is not registered, but you still need a Unique Entity ID (SAM) (e.g., for subcontractors or sub-awardees), go to SAM.gov and select Get Started.

If you wish to register your entity, you can get a Unique Entity ID (SAM) as part of your registration. You should also go to SAM.gov and select Get Started.

## What information will I need to provide to get a UEI (SAM)?

The data fields required to obtain a UEI (SAM) are not changing from what you need to provide to get a UEI (DUNS). The data fields required are legal business name and address. Some entities may be asked to provide additional business documents to establish their identity.

# Will UEI (SAM) numbers be unique, like UEI (DUNS) numbers are?

Yes, UEI (SAM) numbers will be unique, like UEI (DUNS) numbers are. Entity Validation Service is a service that independently verifies the uniqueness of an entity. <u>SAM.gov</u> verifies that there is no existing registration for the legal business name and address as part of this validation process, which ensures that UEI (SAM) numbers are unique. The definition of what makes an entity unique is not changing. Entities may be asked to provide additional business documents to establish their identity. **SAM** is a huge database that includes every entity that is registered to do business with the federal government. The SAM number actually is known as a **Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) Code** 

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Engineering Costs	\$	
Other Costs (If applicable)	\$	
TOTAL PROJECT COSTS	\$	
<b>Amount of Assistance Requested</b> 75% of Total Project Cost (\$20,000 Maximum)	\$	
<b>Required Match</b> Matching Funds* (See Grant Guidelines. Must prov	vide a minimu	m of 25% match).
Cash	\$	-
* Inkind Services	\$	-
TOTAL MATCH*	\$	% of total project cost
*(If Inkind services are provided, a breakdown of costs n etc.)	ust be included	l ie: 10 manhours @ \$12.00/hour for plumbing labor,

Additional Details:

Return Application To: NC Department of Environmental Quality NC Clean Marina Program Attn. Pat Durrett 400 Commerce Ave Morehead City, NC 28557 TERMS AND CONDITIONS

IN SUBMITTING THIS PROJECT PROPOSAL, THE APPLICANT BODY HEREBY ACCEPTS THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH AS FOLLOWS:

A. Plans and specifications, including all contract documents and any subsequent changes, must be submitted to the Department of Environmental Quality for review and approval prior to construction startup. Materials and installation shall not occur until a signed original contract between the Department of Environmental Quality and the marina owner/operator is received.

B. Sewage disposal agreements with local waste water treatment plants, local sanitary commissions, and or public works departments if applicable, shall be submitted to the local Health Department prior to construction of the marine pumpout/dump station.

# C. The recipient shall meet on-site with a representative of the Division of Coastal Management to ensure that the required pumpout facility installed, easily accessible and operable, prior to receiving grant reimbursement.

D. Plans and specifications for the pumpout/dump facilities shall be submitted and approved by the local Health Department prior to construction of the marine sewage pumpout/dump station.

E. The marine pumpout/dump station shall be used for the collection of boat <u>sewage</u> only. No bilge or oily waste shall be collected in the marine pumpout/dump station.

F. No construction of additional slips or additional on-shore facilities is authorized by this grant.

G. The design of the project shall be provided by the marina owner or the agent of the marina. All necessary permits must be secured by said marina owner/agent and submitted with the application.

H. If the marina owner or agent is not the prime contractor, then the marina owner/agent shall solicit competitive bids for the installation of the project. Bids will be received and compiled by the marina owner/agent. The Department reserves the right to have a representative present at the bid opening.

I. The marina owner or agent is responsible for compliance with all permit requirements, state and local codes and the inspection of the project to insure compliance of materials, products, and workmanship with the approved plans and specifications. Periodic inspections and a final inspection shall be made by the Department to insure funds are properly spent and that the pumpout is installed, easily accessible and operable. These inspections will not include design/engineering adequacy nor State and Local code compliance as these items are the responsibility of the installer.

J. Any payment to contractors in excess of the approved bid must be approved by the Department prior to payment to be eligible for reimbursement.

# The following documents must be supplied to the Department before the application for a grant can be processed for payment.

- 1. A signed original contract between the Department of Environmental Quality and the marina owner/operator.
- 2. An invoice on the marina letterhead listing the amount spent on each contractor or subcontractor. A total of the amount spent and a statement certifying that the invoice is just and correct and that payment has not been received.
- 3. Copies of local Health Department permit/authorization.
- 4. Copies of local inspection certificates, health, electrical and plumbing.
- 5. Copies of all paid invoices and cancelled checks.

K. The Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Coastal Management, will supply two standardized Pumpout/Dump Station signs that credit the US Fish & Wildlife Service and the Department that must be posted at the marina. The signs should be posted so that they are visible from shore and the water.

L. A maximum of a \$5.00 fee may be charged for the use of pumpout and dump stations constructed with grant

funds. The maximum fee shall be evaluated for inflation, etc., each year.

M. The applicant agrees to maintain the proposed project in good working order, inclusive of necessary supervision, for the expected life of the project (minimum of five years and ten years for pumpout boats).

N. If the marina owner or agent ceases to maintain this location as a pumpout/dump facility, or changes the use integrity of the facility, all moneys paid by the Department of Environmental Quality must be reimbursed to the Department of Environmental Quality by the marina owner or agent.

O. The marina owner or agent will:

1. Provide to the State of North Carolina certification of an approved method for final disposition of sewage;

2. Hold the State of North Carolina free from damages that may result from the construction of the project and use of the facility;

3. Accomplish, without liability to the State of North Carolina, alterations and relocations as required in sewer, and water supply drainage, and other utility facilities.

P. All recreational vessels must have easy access to pumpout and dump stations funded under this grant program. Pumpout facilities shall continue to be easily accessible and operable for the full period of their useful life (minimum of five years, ten years for pumpout boats).

The following forms are required for recipients of grants from the NC Department of Environmental Quality. Please sign the forms and return them with your grant application.

Please take care to put information in the requested areas (they are highlighted or within brackets []). Be sure to date and place on entity's letterhead paper.

#### State Grant Certification - No Overdue Tax Debts

Instructions: Grantee/Contractor should complete this certification for all state funds received. Entity should enter appropriate data in the yellow highlighted areas. The completed and signed form should be provided to the state agency funding the grant to be attached to the contract for the grant funds. A copy of this form, along with the completed contract, should be kept by the funding agency and available for review by the Office of State Budget and Management.

Note: If you have a contract that extends more than one state fiscal year, you will need to obtain an updated certification for each year of the contract.

#### Entity's Letterhead

#### [Date of Certification (mmddyyyy)]

To: State Agency Head and Chief Fiscal Officer

#### **Certification:**

We certify that the *[insert organization's name]* does not have any overdue tax debts, as defined by N.C.G.S. 105-243.1, at the federal, State, or local level. We further understand that any person who makes a false statement in violation of N.C.G.S. 143C-6-23(c) is guilty of a criminal offense punishable as provided by N.C.G.S. 143C-10-1(b).

#### Sworn Statement:

[Name of Board Chair] and [Name of Second Authorizing Official] being duly sworn, say that we are the Board Chair and [Title of the Second Authorizing Official], respectively, of [insert name of organization] of [City] in the State of [Name of State]; and that the foregoing certification is true, accurate and complete to the best of our knowledge and was made and subscribed by us. We also acknowledge and understand that any misuse of State funds will be reported to the appropriate authorities for further action.

Board Chair

[Title of Second Authorizing Official]

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the day of the date of said certification.

My Commission Expires:

(Notary Signature and Seal)

If there are any questions, please contact the state agency that provided your grant. If needed, you may contact the North Carolina Office of State Budget and Management: NCGrants@osbm.nc.gov-(919)807-4795

<sup>1</sup>G.S. 105-243.1 defines: Overdue tax debt. -Any part of a tax debt that remains unpaid 90 days or more after the notice of final assessment was mailed to the taxpayer. The term does not include a tax debt, however, if the taxpayer entered into an installment agreement for the tax debt under G.S. 105-237 within 90 days after the notice of final assessment was mailed and has not failed to make any payments due under the installment agreement."

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#### Updated March 2022 CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING; DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS; AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should also review the instructions for certification included in the regulations before completing this form. Signature of this form provides for compliance with certification requirements under 34 CFR Part 82, "New Restrictions on Lobbying," and 35 CFR Part 85, "Government-wide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Government-wide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants)." The certifications shall be treated as a material representation of fact upon which reliance will be placed when the determination is made to award the covered transaction, grant, or cooperative agreement.

#### 1. LOBBYING

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

(1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

(2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

(3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

#### 2. DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS

(1) The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:

(a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;

(b) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or

commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

(c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and

(d) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.

(2) Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

#### **3. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE**

This certification is required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Pub.L. 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D) and is implemented through additions to the Debarment and Suspension regulations, published in the Federal Register on January 31, 1989, and May 25, 1990.

#### ALTERNATE I (GRANTEES OTHER THAN INDIVIDUALS)

(1) The grantee certifies that it will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

(a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

(b) Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- (1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- (2) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- (3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and

(4) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;

(c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);

(d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will:

(1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and

(2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statue occurring in the workplace not later than five calendar days after such conviction;

(e) Notifying the agency, in writing, within ten calendar days after receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to every grant officer

or other designee on whose grant activity the convicted employee was working, unless the Federal agency has designated a central point for the receipt of such notices. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant;

(f) Taking one of the following actions, within 30 calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:

(1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

(2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

(g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug- free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e), and (f).

(2) The grantee may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific grant (include street address, city, county, state, and zip code):

#### ALTERNATE II (GRANTEES WHO ARE INDIVIDUALS)

(1) The grantee certifies that, as a condition of the grant, he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the grant.

(2) If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any grant activity, he or she will report the conviction, in writing, within 10 calendar days of the conviction, to every grant officer or other designee, unless the Federal agency designates a central point for the receipt of such notices. When notice is made to such a central point, it shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant.

As the duly authorized representative of	, I hereby
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certify that \_\_\_\_\_\_ will comply with the above certifications.

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Signature of Authorized Representative and Date

#### This Policy is to be placed on your organization's letterhead before resubmitting to DEQ.

**Instructions:** This policy should address situations in which any of grantee's members or employees may directly or indirectly benefit from the grantee's disbursing of State funds, and should include actions to be taken by the grantee or the individual, or both, to avoid conflicts of interest and the appearance of impropriety.

This document is intended as an aid to assist governmental and non-State entities in establishing conflict of interest policies. It is not intended to be used verbatim, but rather to serve as a template for organizations as they craft their individual conflict of interest policy. This nongovernmental entity example includes definitions of what is considered unacceptable, and the consequences of any breaches thereof. Each organization that chooses to use this template should take care to make changes that reflect the individual organization.

Governmental entities may utilize this as an example, but will need to modify the document to be applicable to their status as a governmental entity.

#### **CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY**

#### **Conflict of Interest Defined:**

A conflict of interest is defined as an actual or perceived interest by a (Staff Member/Board Member) in an action that results in, or has the appearance of resulting in, personal, organizational, or professional gain. A conflict of interest occurs when an Employee/Board Member has a direct or fiduciary interest in another relationship. A conflict of interest could include:

- Ownership with a member of the Board of Directors/Trustees or an Employee where one or the other has supervisory authority over the other or with a client who receives services.
- Employment of or by a member of the Board of Directors/Trustees or an Employee where one or the other has supervisory authority over the other or with a client who receives services.
- Contractual relationship with a member of the Board of Directors/Trustees or an Employee where one or the other has supervisory authority over the other or with a client who receives services.
- Creditor or debtor to a member of the Board of Directors/Trustees or an Employee where one or the other has supervisory authority over the other or with a client who receives services.
- Consultative or consumer relationship with a member of the Board of Directors/Trustees or an Employee where one or the other has supervisory authority over the other or with a client who receives services.

The definition of conflict of interest includes any bias or the appearance of bias in a decision making process that would reflect a dual role played by a member of the organization or group. An example, for instance, might involve a person who is an Employee and a Board Member, or a person who is an employee and who hires family members as consultants.

#### **Employee Responsibilities:**

It is in the interest of the organization, individual staff, and Board Members to strengthen trust and confidence in each other, to expedite resolution of problems, to mitigate the effect and to minimize organizational and individual stress that can be caused by a conflict of interest.

Employees are to avoid any conflict of interest, even the appearance of a conflict of interest. This organization serves the community as a whole rather that only serving a special interest group. The appearance of a conflict of interest can cause embarrassment to the organization and jeopardize the credibility of the organization. Any conflict of interest, potential conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest to your supervisor immediately. Employees are to maintain independence and objectivity with clients, the community, and organization. Employees are called to maintain a sense of fairness, civility, ethics, ethics and personal integrity even though law, regulation, or custom does not require them.

#### Acceptance of Gifts:

Employees, members of employee's immediate family, and members of the Board are prohibited from accepting gifts, money or gratuities from the following:

- a. Persons receiving benefits or services from the organization;
- b. Any person or organization performing or seeking to perform services under contract with the organization;
- c. Persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any employee of the organization.

Employees may, with the prior written approval of their supervisor, receive honoraria for lectures and other such activities while on personal days, compensatory time, annual leave, or leave without pay. If the employee is acting in any official capacity, honoraria received by an employee in connection with activities relating to employment with the organization are to be paid to the organization.

(THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA'S WEB-BASED PURCHASING AND PROCUREMENT SYSTEM)

## NC E-PROCUREMENT @ YOUR SERVICE

#### **To all Service Providing Entities:**

The State of North Carolina's Department of Environmental Quality (NC DENR) requires all service providing entities (inclusive of "for-profit", "non-profit", local and state governments, and state universities and colleges) desiring to conduct business with the State/NC DENR, to be registered as "<u>Vendors</u>" in the "NC E-Procurement @ Your Service" system.

If your entity is already a registered "<u>Vendor</u>", Please disregard this Notice. However, if your entity is not a registered "<u>Vendor</u>", than registration information is provided below and you are encouraged to follow the instructions therein.

Without an entity's registration, NC DENR will be unable to complete the Execution process, thereby preventing payments from being processed against the subject contract.

#### **Registration Information:**

To access the "NC E-Procurement @ Your Service" system, log onto:

#### http://eprocurement.nc.gov/

- For access to the "Vendor Registration Job Aid" (a step-by-step guide) as well as other basic program information:
  - Click the tab marked "Vendor Login"
- To perform the actual **Vendor Registration**, and/or to access areas of specific information regarding the program (i.e. Terms of Use, etc.):
  - Click the tab marked ""register Now" (at the

#### bottom of the Login page)"

If additional registration assistance is needed, the **HELP DESK** is available at:

## 1-888-211-7440 or <a href="mailto:ephelpdesk@its.nc.gov">ephelpdesk@its.nc.gov</a>

#### **Important Notice to Service Providers:**

Entities/Vendors providing services are **NOT** subject to the **1.75% Marketing Fee**, referenced in the "Terms of Use" clause. This fee only applies to suppliers of commodities.

The Marketing fee **DOES NOT APPLY** to this grant / service contract.