



Overview of the Division of Water Restoration Assistance Programs

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- **Funding Programs Include:**
 - **State Revolving Funds**
 - **Nonpoint Source**
 - **Water and Springs Restoration**
 - **Deepwater Horizon**
- **Water Project Funding in Florida:**
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State Revolving

Florida's largest financial assistance program for water infrastructure, capitalized by federal grants through EPA

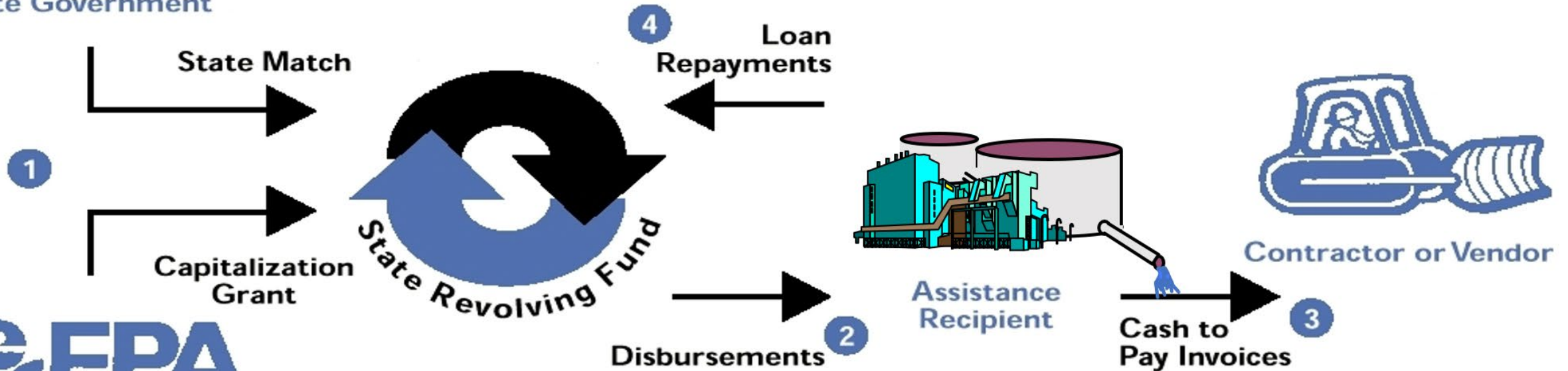
- **~ \$270 million per year total for Clean Water and Drinking Water**
- **Interest rates on loans are below market rates and vary based on the economic status of community**



SRF Basics



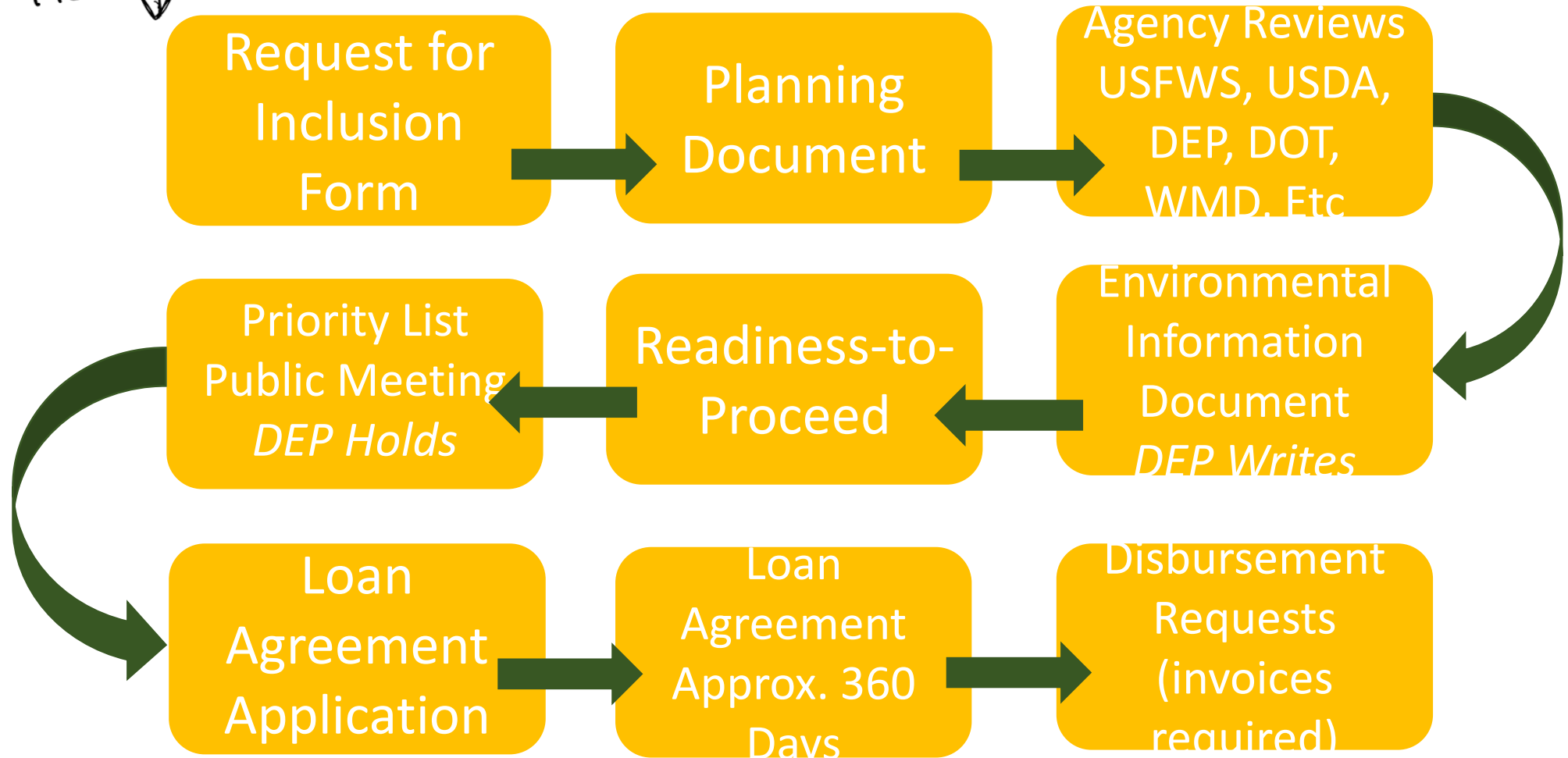
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SRF Construction Loan Process

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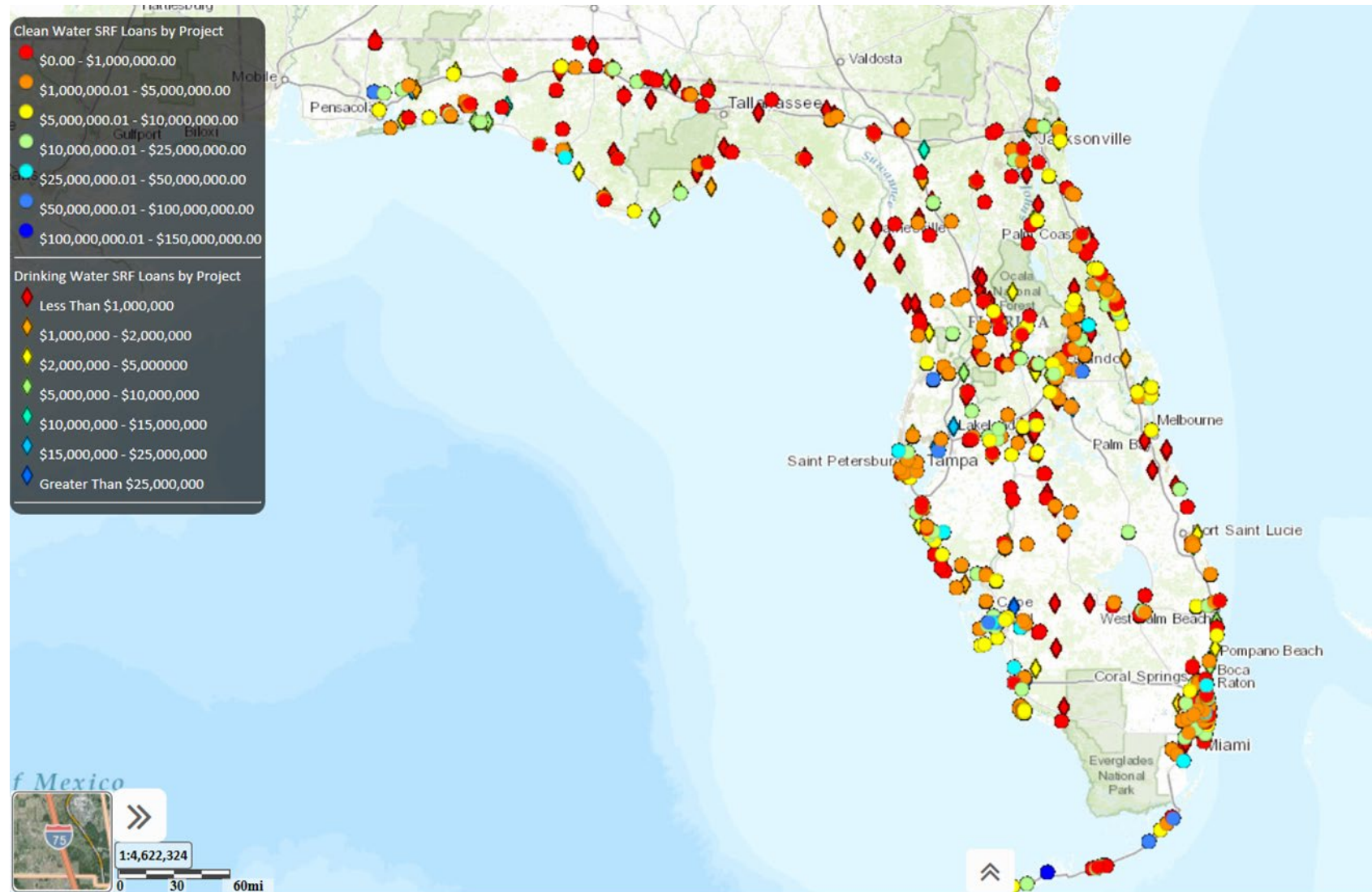


SRF Innovative Projects





Map of CWSRF & DWSRF Proj





Nonpoint Source Program Grants

Federal and state funding for projects that reduce pollution from nonpoint sources, particularly to address impaired waterbodies and meet restoration goals related to TMDLs and restoration plans

- **~ \$8 million per year total, EPA 319(h) federal funding and state TMDL funding**



Nonpoint Source Projects





Water & Springs Restoration

Managing grant agreements for springs restoration and legislative water projects

- **More than \$291 million in state funds invested for springs restoration projects**
- **189 springs projects focused on water quality and quantity for springs**



Project Benefits



Cumulative Prior
Nitrogen Reduction

>8,877,000 lbs.



Anticipated Nitrogen
Reduction

Up to 2,613,000 lbs.



Cumulative Prior
Water Savings

>325 MGD



Anticipated Water
Quantity Made
Available

Up to 23 MGD



Cumulative Prior
Land Acquisition

8,491 Acres



Anticipated Land
Acquisition

1,636 Acres



Deepwater Horizon

3 Funding Streams

- **Natural Resource Damage Assessment Early Restoration Funding (NRDA)**
- **RESTORE Act Funding (RESTORE)**
- **National Fish and Wildlife Foundation's Gulf Environmental Benefit Fund (NFWF)**



Projects Authorized in Florida

Total Deepwater Horizon projects “authorized” to date (MOEX, RESTORE, NFWF, NRDA)

- **126 projects**
- **\$420 million**

For more information: www.floridadep.gov/wra/deepwater-horizon



Other New Funding

- **Water Quality Grants**
- **Alternative Water Supply**
- **Innovative Technology**



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