

# SWEEP Grant Opportunity Workshop

November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Salinas, CA

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**Why:** Apply for CDFA funding- State Water efficiency and Enhancement Program (SWEEP). Receive up to \$100,000 in grant funding to improve your on-farm water and energy efficiency practices through the grant funding program. During the workshop UCCE Climate Smart Community Education Specialist and local Technical Assistance Provider will:

- Provide a comprehensive review of SWEEP and summary of other future CDFA Climate Smart Grant programs
- Guide you through the required water savings and greenhouse gas reduction calculations
- Show you how to assemble a strong grant proposal

**When:** Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 9:00am to 12:00pm

**Where:** 1432 Abbott St, Salinas, CA 93901, Monterey County Agriculture Conference Room

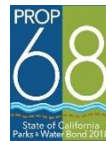
**Presenters:** Valerie Perez, Community Education Specialist, UCCE  
Jim Leap, Technical Assistance Provider, Santa Cruz County Farm Bureau  
Michael Cahn, Irrigation and Water Resources Specialists, UCCE

**Registration:** To register go to: <http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=28754>

**Questions:** Contact Valerie Perez, (831) 763-8028, [valperez@ucanr.edu](mailto:valperez@ucanr.edu)

**Grant info.:** Applications are due in December 2019 online at <https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/oefi/sweep/>  
The SWEEP provides financial assistance in the form of grants to implement irrigation systems that reduce greenhouse gases and save water on California agricultural operations. Eligible system components include (among others) soil moisture monitoring, drip systems, switching to low pressure irrigation systems, pump retrofits, variable frequency drives and installation of renewable energy to reduce on-farm water use and energy.

**Please feel free to contact us if you need special accommodations.**



## Free One-On-One Technical Assistance to Apply for Grant Funds

Need help in developing and /or submitting your project proposal? Schedule your free one-on-one Technical Assistance session, contact your local UC Cooperative Extension Office for additional information at (831) 763-8028

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