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## Flood Control District Accepting Applications for Annual Clean Stormwater Grants

*UP TO \$2,000 PER PROJECT IS AVAILABLE FOR PROJECTS PROMOTING PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS*

The Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District is again offering its **Clean Stormwater Grant Program** to increase public involvement on environmental education and improvement projects **to promote stormwater quality**. Successful applicants can receive **up to \$2,000** to assist in project funding. The total funding available is \$35,000.

The **deadline to apply is November 7, 2011**, with an anticipated award date of December 14, 2011. Call the District at (559) 456-3292 for more detailed information, or for an application packet. Applications and instructions may also be downloaded from [www.fresnofloodcontrol.org](http://www.fresnofloodcontrol.org) on the Clean Storm Water Program page, under Community Services.

The grant program creates and maintains District partnerships with local residents and community groups by funding projects that preserve, protect, or educate citizens about our water resources – local storm water ponding basins, canals, creeks, the San Joaquin River and groundwater.

Volunteer groups, environmental organizations, schools, neighborhood improvement groups and other not-for-profit associations are encouraged to apply.

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