



RESTORING CLEAN WATER, HEALTHY ECOSYSTEMS AND SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES IN SOUTHEAST NEW ENGLAND



Watershed Implementation Grants

PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM

Southeast New England Program (SNEP) Watershed Implementation Grants (SWIG) is a partnership between Restore America's Estuaries and EPA New England. SWIG grants support communities working on high-priority restoration projects to improve communities and ecosystems in Rhode Island and Southeastern Massachusetts. While supporting local projects, SNEP provides a regional framework of coordination and information sharing to elevate the practice of environmental restoration throughout Southeast New England.

FUNDING OVERVIEW:

- Total 2025 Funding Available: \$3 M
- Grant Ranges: \$20,000 to \$500,000
- 33% non-federal match required
- 2-Year Grants

WHO CAN APPLY?

- Municipalities
- Non-Profit Organizations
- Regional Planning Organizations
- Tribes
- Universities and other academic institutions

PROGRAM PRIORITIES:

Clean Waters and Healthy Watersheds
Thriving Habitats and Abundant Wildlife
Sustainable and Resilient Communities
Sound Science and Inclusive Management
Innovative Technologies and Financing

PROJECTS FUNDED INCLUDED

- Stormwater and Floodplain Management
- River and Wetland Restoration
- Urban Parks and Streets
- Innovative Technologies
- Coastal Resilience
- Grants fund any project stage - from conceptual planning through construction



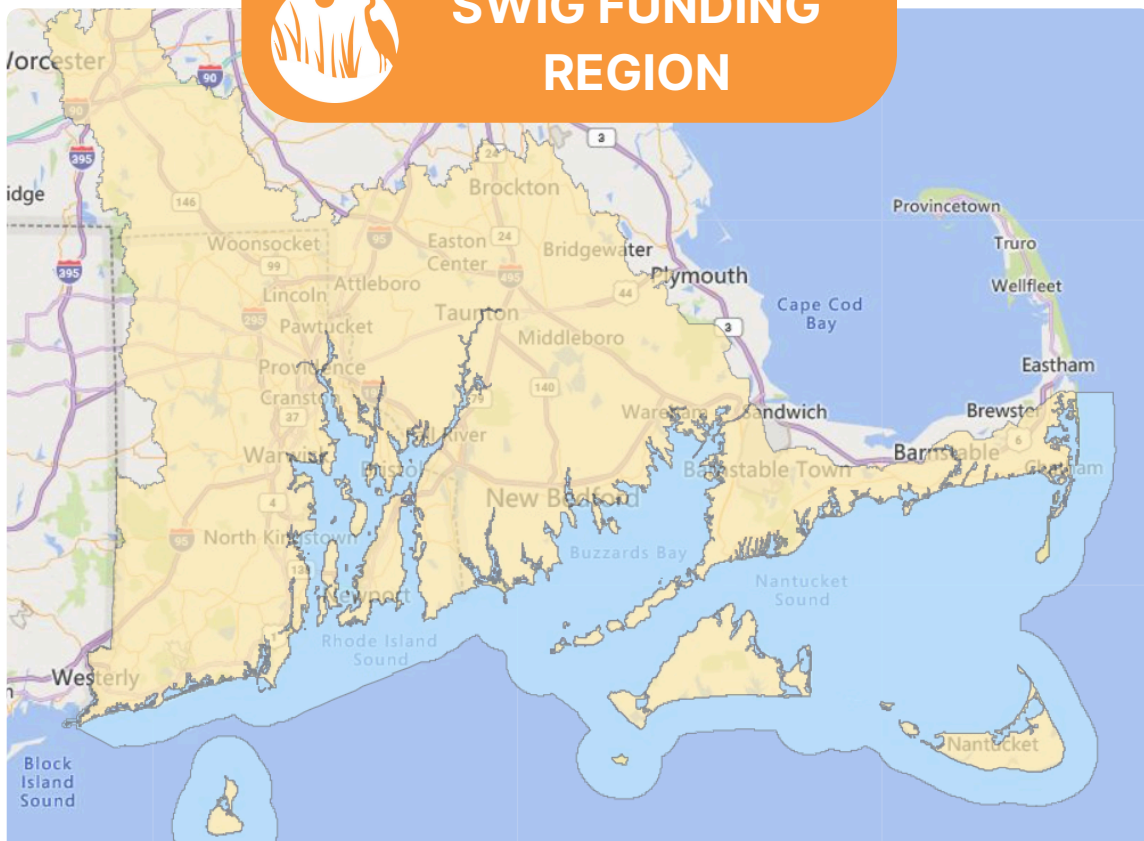
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SWIG FUNDING REGION



SWIG PROGRAM BENEFITS



Ongoing Technical Support

RAE staff are committed to providing resources and trainings for applicants who are unfamiliar with the federal grant process.



Funding for Local Projects

Project funding can be utilized for a variety of community focused projects as long as they meet the grant criteria.



Learning and Capacity Building

SWIG provides opportunities for learning and information sharing among grantees, including regional and national events.

About RAE

Restore America's Estuaries is dedicated to the protection and restoration of bays and estuaries as essential resources our nation. RAE, its member organizations, its affiliate members and grantees collaborate to protect and restore coastal habitats nationwide for the benefit of all people.

2026 REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) OPENING SPRING 2026

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