Kentucky: Annual Federal Funding for Clean Water Projects

Federal Funding for Clean Water SRF Projects
Cut by $16.1 Million

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IMPACT OF EARMARKS
Over the last two years, more than $16.1 million in federal funding has been cut from the Kentucky Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) to pay for congressional earmarks.

Total Federal Funding for Clean Water Projects
Increased by $2.6 Million

Funding for SRF State Projects
Funding for Congressional Projects (Earmarks)

2021:
- SRF State Projects: $20,223,000
- Earmarks: $0

2022:
- SRF State Projects: $14,726,000
- Earmarks: $5,930,000

2023:
- SRF State Projects: $9,548,000
- Earmarks: $12,899,000

IMPACT OF EARMARKS
While net federal funding for clean water projects in Kentucky increased over the last two years, funding for earmarks exceeded funding for SRF projects.
Kentucky: Annual Federal Funding for Drinking Water Projects

The allotment formula for the Drinking Water SRF was updated in 2023 based on the result of the 7th Drinking Water Needs Survey.

**Federal Funding for Drinking Water SRF Projects**

Cut by $18.6 Million

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**IMPACT OF EARMARKS**
Over the last two years, more than $18.6 million in federal funding has been cut from the Kentucky Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) to pay for congressional earmarks.

**Net Federal Funding for Drinking Water Projects**
Cut by $5.5 Million

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**MYTH:**
Funding for congressional earmarks offsets cuts to the SRFs.

**FACT:**
Since earmarks returned in 2022, net federal funding for drinking water projects in Kentucky (SRF funding plus earmarks) has been cut by more than $5.5 million.

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