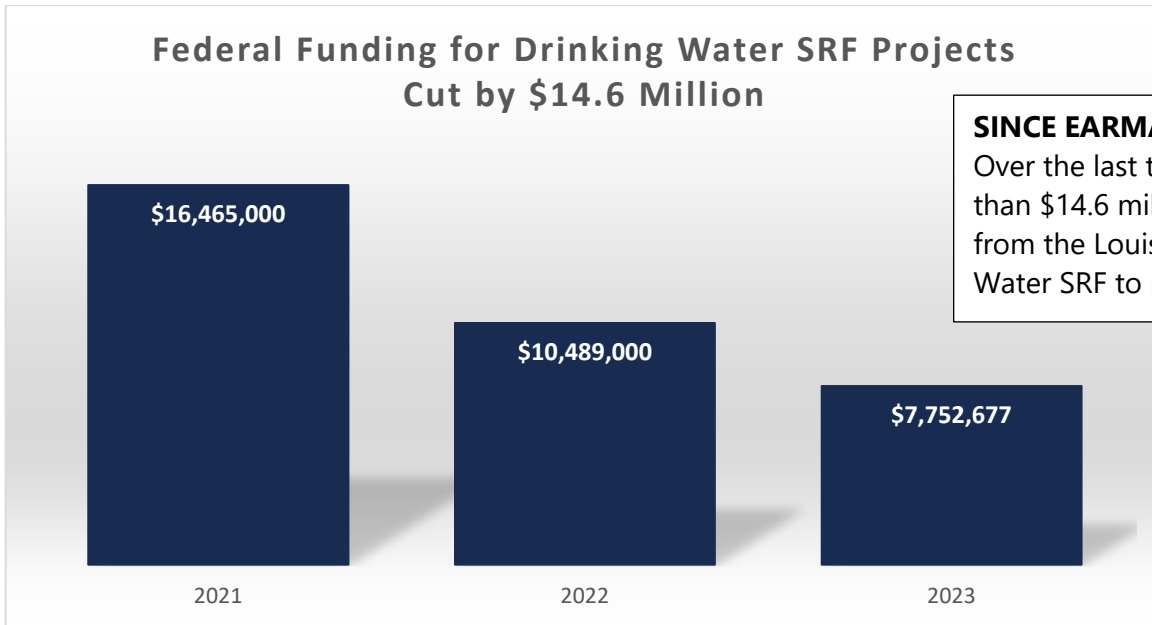
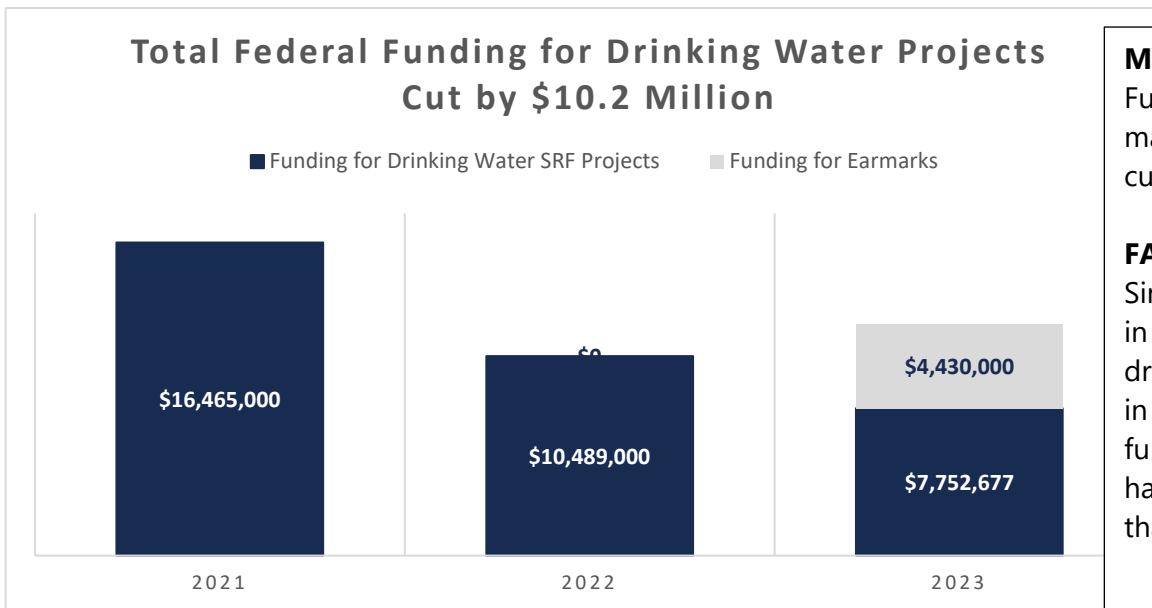


# Louisiana: Annual Federal Funding for Drinking Water Projects



**SINCE EARMARKS RETURNED**  
Over the last two years, more than \$14.6 million has been cut from the Louisiana Drinking Water SRF to pay for earmarks.

Note: 2023 is an estimated allotment for state SRF projects based on the 2018-2022 allotment formula. A new allotment formula will be adopted for 2023-2026.



**MYTH:**  
Funding for earmarks makes up for funding cuts to the SRFs.

**FACT:**  
Since earmarks returned in 2021, total funding for drinking water projects in Louisiana (SRF funding plus earmarks) has been cut by more than \$10.2 million.

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