
	<h2 style="text-align: center;">Michigan Wellhead Protection Grant Program</h2> <h3 style="text-align: center;">Grant Eligible Activities</h3> <p style="text-align: center;">(Examples are not all inclusive, if you have questions about whether an activity is grant eligible, please contact one of the WHP staff)</p>
<p>Definition of a Wellhead Protection Grant Eligible Activity</p>	<p>Grant-eligible activities shall support the development or implementation of a local wellhead protection (WHP) program and be consistent with the state of Michigan WHP program and is performed within the Wellhead Protection Area (WHPA) or 1-mile radius for low tritium public water supply wells.</p> <p><i>WHP consultant hourly rate, limited to \$73.40 per hour effective January 1, 2008</i></p>
<p>Roles and Duties</p>	<p>Examples of grant eligible Roles and Duties Activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formation of a local WHP team, a collection of not less than three persons whose purpose is to facilitate the development, implementation, and maintenance of a WHP. The team must include the Public Water Superintendent (PWSS) and a representative from the municipality served by the PWSS. • The local team must meet quarterly during the contract period as a minimum requirement and a quarterly report submitted to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ). The quarterly report must include the meeting minutes and listing of members in attendance. • Development and implementation of management strategies on a local level.
<p>Delineation Activities</p>	<p>Examples of grant eligible Delineation Activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compiling existing hydrogeologic information • Installing observation wells for an aquifer test on an existing public water supply well • Surveying • Collecting static water levels • Performing groundwater modeling, including particle tracking <p>The following activities may be grant eligible:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The installation of monitoring wells for the collection of static water level information if deemed necessary by the MDEQ due to the lack of accessibility to existing wells. • The Collection and analysis of tritium samples if the area geology indicates a public water supply may be low tritium public water supply. • The installation of sentinel wells to monitor water quality if a known groundwater contamination is present within the WHPA.
<p>Contaminant Source Inventory Activities</p>	<p>Examples of grant eligible Contaminant Source inventory activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Record searches to identify potential sources of contamination and land uses that have a potential to impact the groundwater • Conducting general surveys to identify potential sources of contamination and land uses that have a potential to impact the groundwater • Conducting on-site inspection of facilities that have a potential to impact the groundwater • Record searches to identify historical land uses that have a potential to impact the groundwater • Map existing and potential sources of contamination within the WHPA • Updating the contaminant source inventory • Developing and implementing a program to locate and identify abandoned wells.

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<p>Contingency Plan & Emergency Response Protocol activities</p>	<p>Examples of grant-eligible contingency plan and emergency response protocol activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The development and implementation of a contingency plan and emergency response protocol for the WHPA or within a 1-mile radius of the well field for a low tritium public water supply are grant eligible activities
<p>New Well Activities</p>	<p>Examples of grant-eligible new well activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of a delineation for a new well or well field, exclusive of the cost incurred to conduct an aquifer test that is a requirement of the public water supply program for the construction of new wells • The development and implementation of a WHP program for a new well or well field • Incorporation of a new well or well field into an existing WHP program
<p>Public participation activities</p>	<p>Examples of public participation activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development and implementation of a school curriculum related to WHP • Development and implementation of a strategy to educate the general public on issues related to WHP • Development, production and circulation of educational materials • Development, preparation, and production of media announcements, such as news releases, newspaper articles and radio announcements • Signing activities which identify the approved WHPA and/or which promote the concept of WHP • Advertisement for a hazardous waste collection, (the actual collection of hazardous waste is not grant eligible)