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The Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) is scheduling consultations for land acquisition grant applications. [Land acquisition grant](#) applications are due August 29, 2024, by 4:00 pm.

A [pre-application consultation](#) is required. Please contact Miriam Forney, Land Acquisitions Coordinator, at (971) 345-7023 or miriam.forney@oweb.oregon.gov to schedule a consultation. Consultations will be held June 3, 2024 – July 29, 2024. Applicants are encouraged to schedule a consultation early.

Grant applications must be submitted in OWEB's Online Grant Management System ([OGMS](#)). The land acquisition application will be available in OGMS beginning July 16, 2024. An [application template](#) is available now in OGMS.

Land acquisition projects involve the purchase of interests in land from willing sellers for the purpose of maintaining or restoring watersheds and habitat for native fish or wildlife. Application requirements are located on the [land acquisition grants webpage](#). The matching funds requirement is 25%.

If you intend to apply for matching funds from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's National Coastal Wetlands Conservation Grant Program, please review the information on the [Coastal Wetlands grants webpage](#) and contact Jillian McCarthy, Partnerships Coordinator, at (971) 345-7016 or jillian.mccarthy@oweb.oregon.gov.

Applications submitted for the fall 2024 land acquisition grant offering will be considered for funding at the April 2025 OWEB board meeting.

If you have questions about applying for a land acquisition grant, please contact Miriam Forney. If you are new to OWEB, please visit [OWEB's website](#).



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