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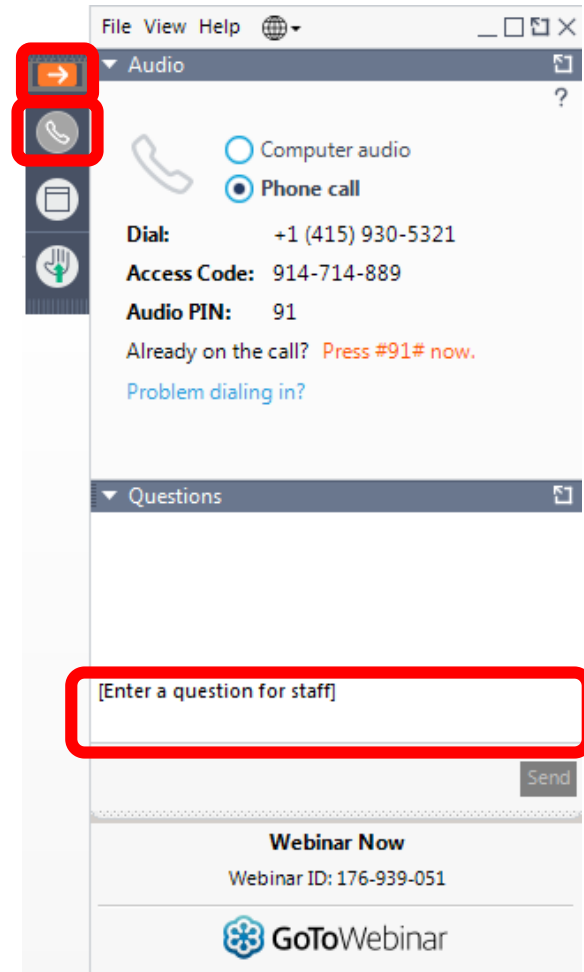
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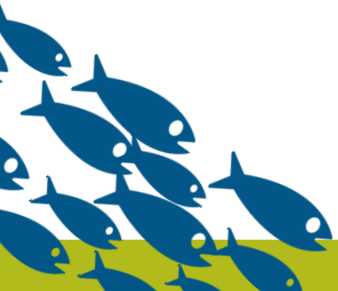
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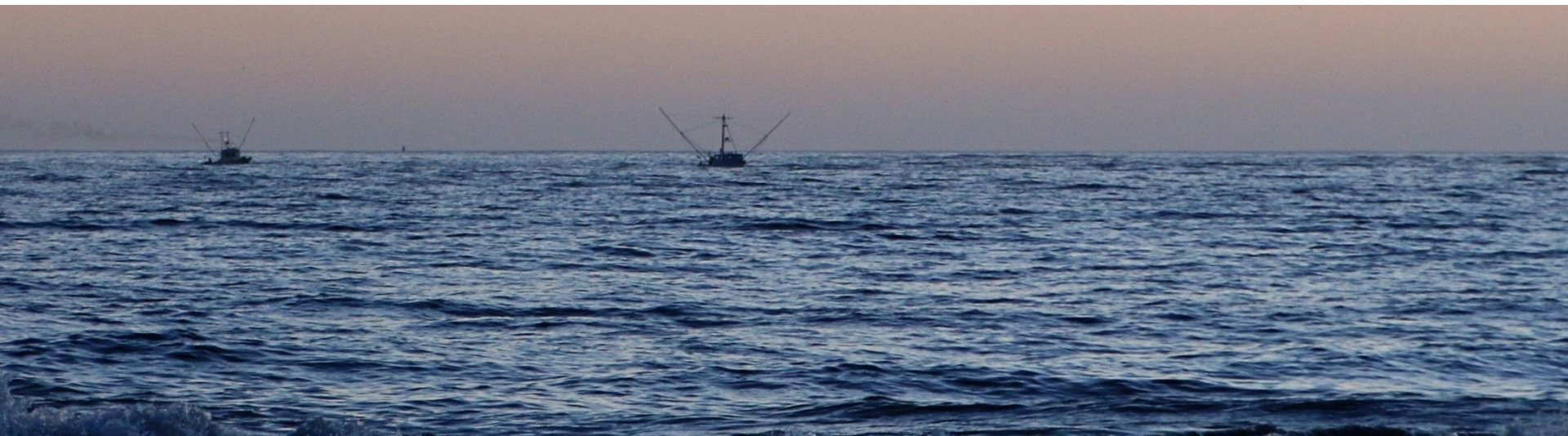
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- Overview of Program
- 2017 RFP Priorities
- Application Process
- Deadlines
- Questions



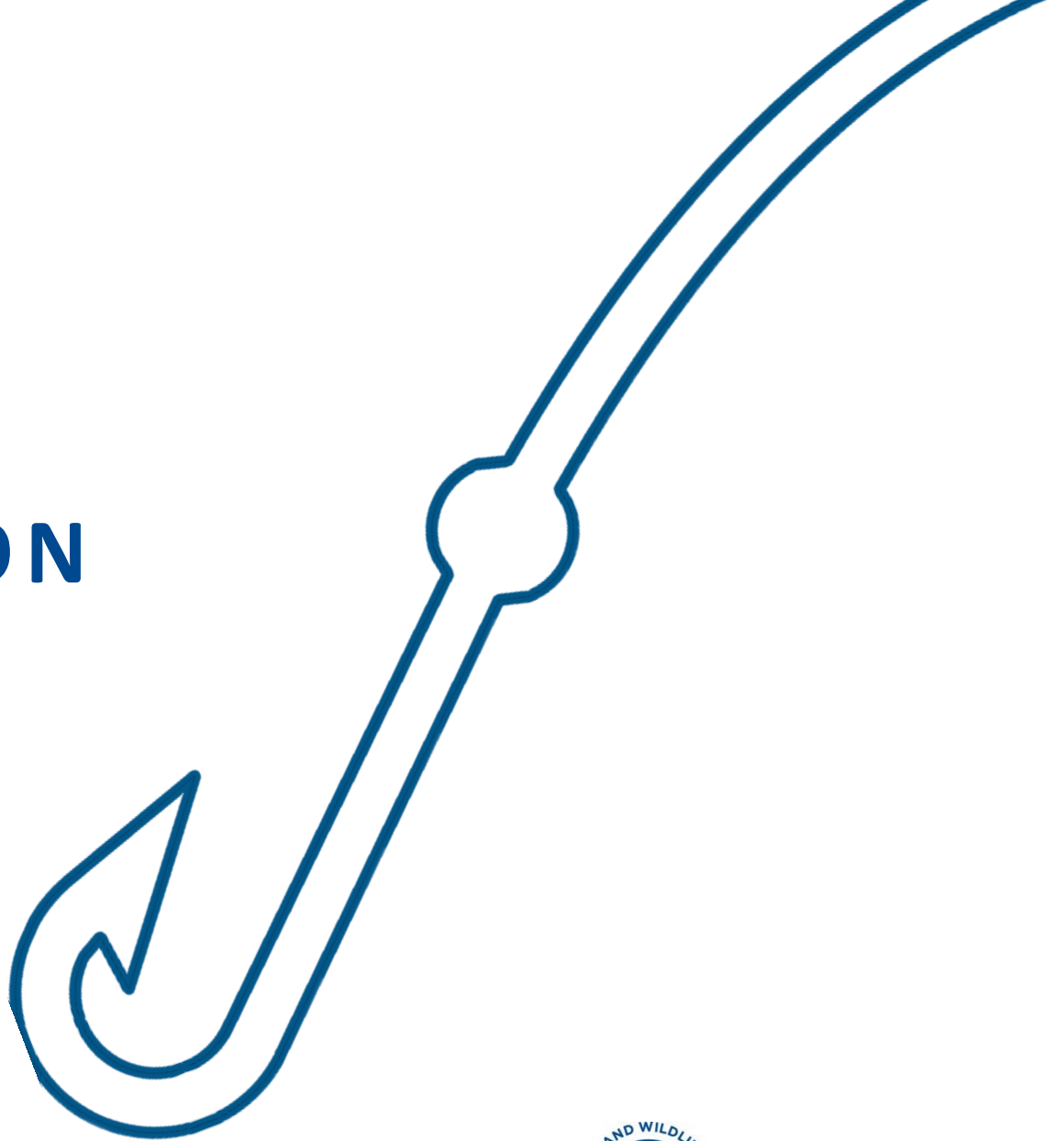
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 - Federal agencies, corporations, and private foundations
- Focus on conservation outcomes



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program overview



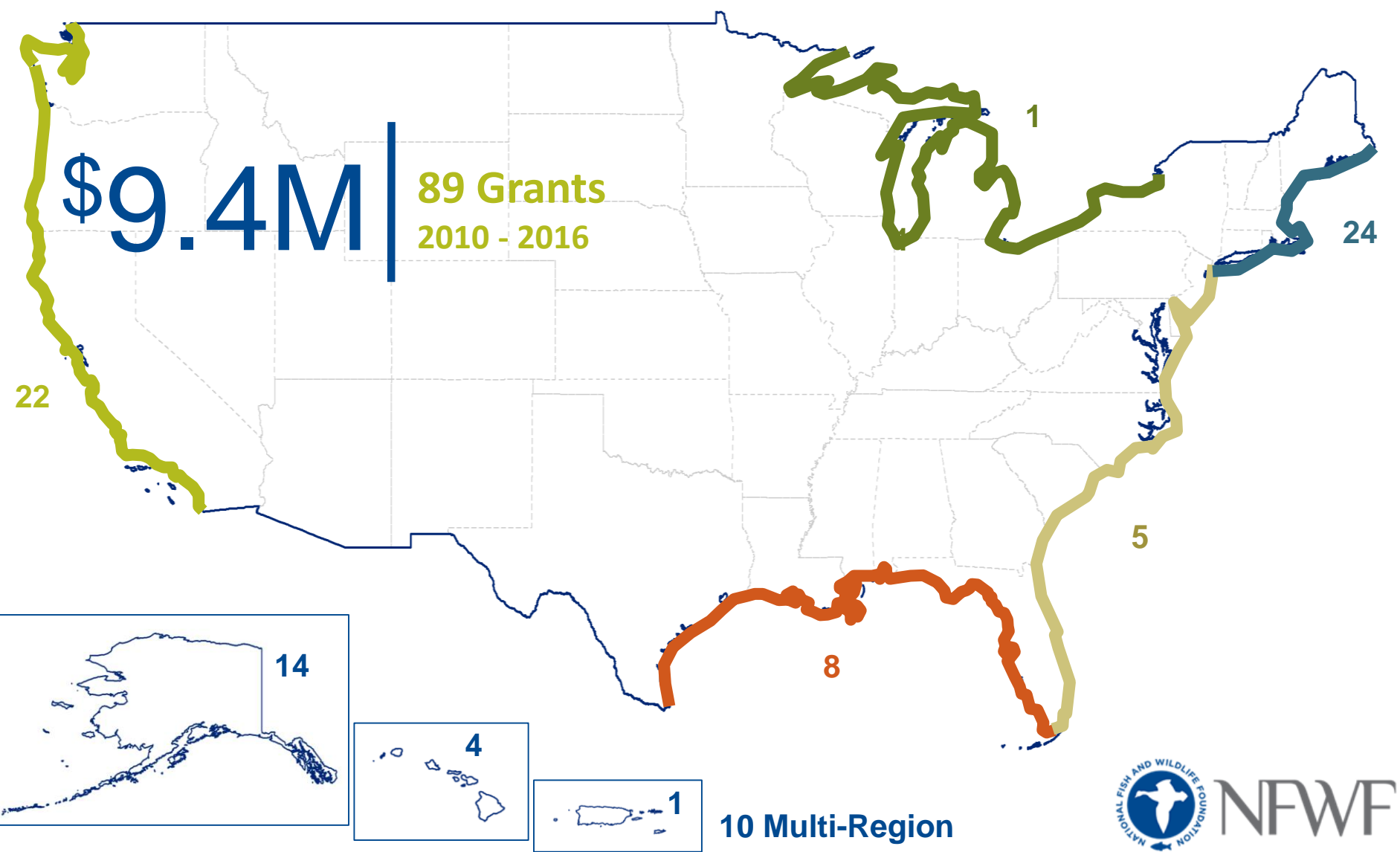
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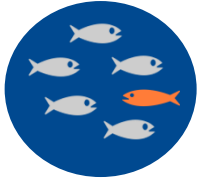
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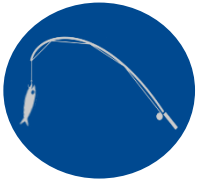
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2017 PROGRAM PRIORITIES



ELECTRONIC
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FIF will **NOT** consider proposals for electronic monitoring or electronic reporting

Apply to NFWF's Electronic Monitoring & Reporting Grant Program

ELECTRONIC MONITORING & REPORTING GRANT PROGRAM

Developed in 2015 to catalyze the implementation of electronic technologies for catch monitoring in U.S. fisheries.

RFP is not currently open

Expected Summer 2017

Projects focused on electronic monitoring or electronic reporting should wait and apply to the EMR Grant Program.



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Fisheries Innovation Fund

According to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), commercial and recreational fisheries had combined sales impacts of over \$199 billion in the U.S. in 2012. However, some U.S. fisheries are struggling, both biologically and economically. As of 2015, NOAA reported that 38 stocks are categorized as overfished and 28 are categorized as subject to overfishing.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Fisheries Innovation Fund
2017 Request for Proposals
(Updated: 4/28/2017)

EMR 2016 Grant Program
RFP - CLOSED
(Updated: 4/28/2017)

PROGRAM INFORMATION

2016 Grants List
(Updated: 10/13/2016)

FEATURE STORY



A National Geographic News story explains how NFWF's Fisheries Innovation Fund develops sustainable businesses.

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Fisheries Innovation Fund 2017

Request for Proposals

Pre-Proposal Due Date: **Thursday, May 25, 2017 by 11:59 PM Eastern Time**

Full Proposal Due Date: **Monday, July 31, 2017 by 11:59 PM Eastern Time**

OVERVIEW

The National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF) will award grants to foster innovation and support effective participation of fishermen and fishing communities in the implementation of sustainable fisheries in the U.S. We anticipate awarding approximately \$650,000 through this solicitation.

The program seeks to support fishermen and communities as they work to meet the sustainable fisheries goals of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Reauthorization Act of 2006, including provisions to help: 1) rebuild overfished stocks, 2) sustain fishermen, communities, and vibrant working waterfronts, 3) promote safety, fishery conservation and management and 4) promote community and economic benefits.

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Eligibility

Eligible

- Non-Profit Organizations
- Non-Federal Government Agencies
 - State
 - Local
 - Municipal
- Tribal Governments
- Educational Institutions
- Businesses
- International Organizations

Ineligible

- U.S. Federal Government Agencies
 - Including the Fisheries Management Councils
- Unincorporated Individuals

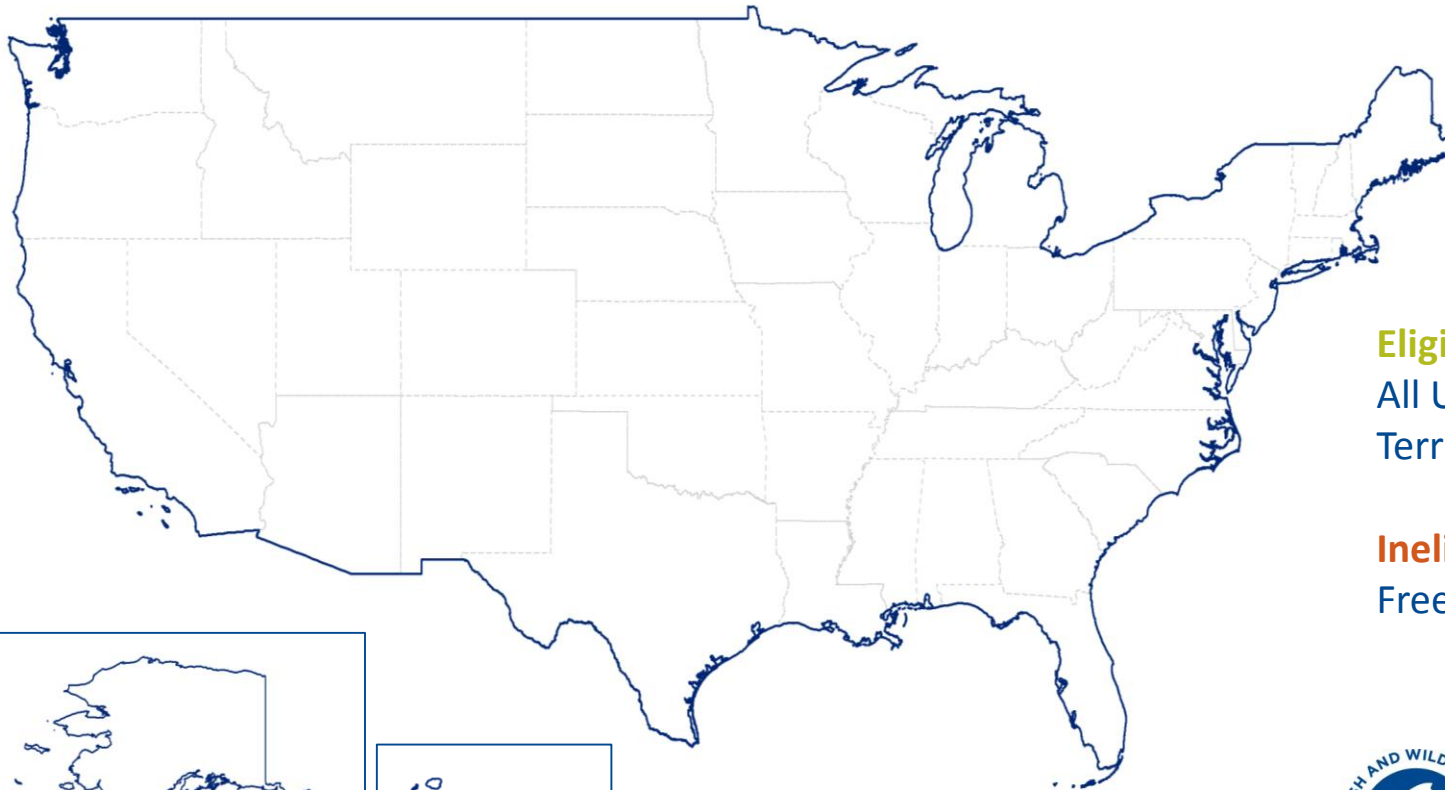
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Geography

All U.S. Fisheries Eligible to Apply

Commercial or Recreational Sectors

State or Federal Fisheries



Eligible:

All U.S. States and
Territories

Ineligible:

Freely Associated States



FISHERIES INNOVATION FUND

Project Scale

In addressing program priorities, projects will either:

- 1 **Develop** or pilot innovative ideas
- 2 **Implement** a proven innovation at-scale



Eligible:

- The Great Lakes
- Puerto Rico
- U.S. Virgin Islands
- Guam
- American Samoa
- Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islds.

Ineligible:

Freely Associated States



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Project Scale

If project aims to...

2 Implement a proven innovation at-scale

... project will be given priority if it occurs within one of 4 target fisheries.

Implementation-scale projects outside of these 4 target fisheries are still eligible to apply.

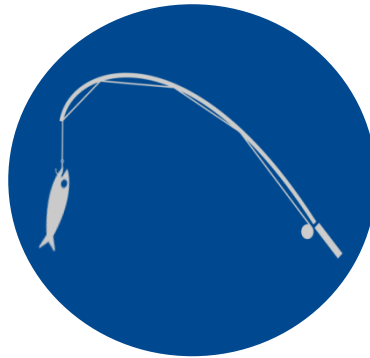
- New England Groundfish Fishery
- **Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish Fishery**
- **West Coast Groundfish Fishery**
- Gulf of Alaska Groundfish Fisheries

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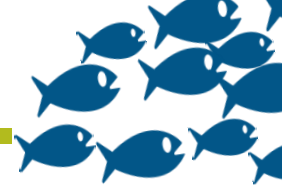


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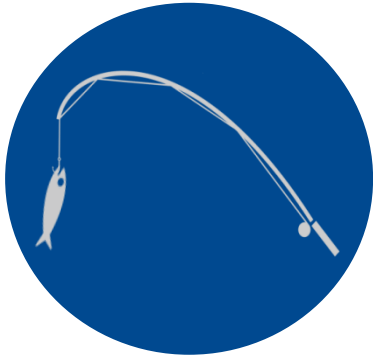
Reduce bycatch through initiatives that allow fishermen to fully access annual catch limits

Bycatch hotspot mapping, avoidance networks, risk pools, etc.

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Improve monitoring and assessment

Dockside validation, private angler surveys, etc.

Does NOT include EM/ER projects



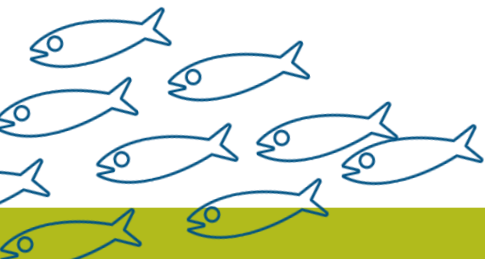
Support management and research

Develop and pilot needed innovations in management approaches better suited to recreational fisheries



Expand best management practices

Study or influence angler culture and acceptance of conservation-oriented tools, techniques, and behaviors (e.g., handling practices, reduced mortality)



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2017 Funding Priorities

CAPACITY BUILDING & MARKET DEVELOPMENT



Build capacity to improve economic viability & efficiency of fishing businesses & communities

Assist fishermen to diversify and stabilize incomes



Retain access to fisheries resources by fishermen in local communities

Regional Fishing Associations, permit/quota banks, etc.



Support financial viability through community sustainability plan & business plan development

May include information sharing and outreach



Develop processes to promote inter-generational fishery access & entry level access

May include enhanced participation in management process



Facilitate market innovations

*Differentiated marketplaces, revenue diversification, value-added products, **seafood traceability**, etc.*



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2017 RFP Recap

2017 RFP PRIORITIES

- Bycatch Reduction
- Recreational Fisheries
- Capacity Building & Market Development

ELECTRONIC MONITORING AND REPORTING PROJECTS

Apply to the Electronic Monitoring & Reporting Grant Program

RFP not currently available (expected by Summer 2017)

ELIGIBILITY

- All U.S. fisheries eligible
- Seeking both innovation development & implementation
- Implementation projects will be prioritized if they occur within one of 4 target fisheries:
 - New England Groundfish Fishery
 - Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish Fishery
 - West Coast Groundfish Fishery
 - Gulf of Alaska Groundfish Fisheries



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by 11:59 pm EST

Invitations for Full Proposals Sent **By June 30, 2017**

Full Proposals Due **Monday, July 31, 2017**

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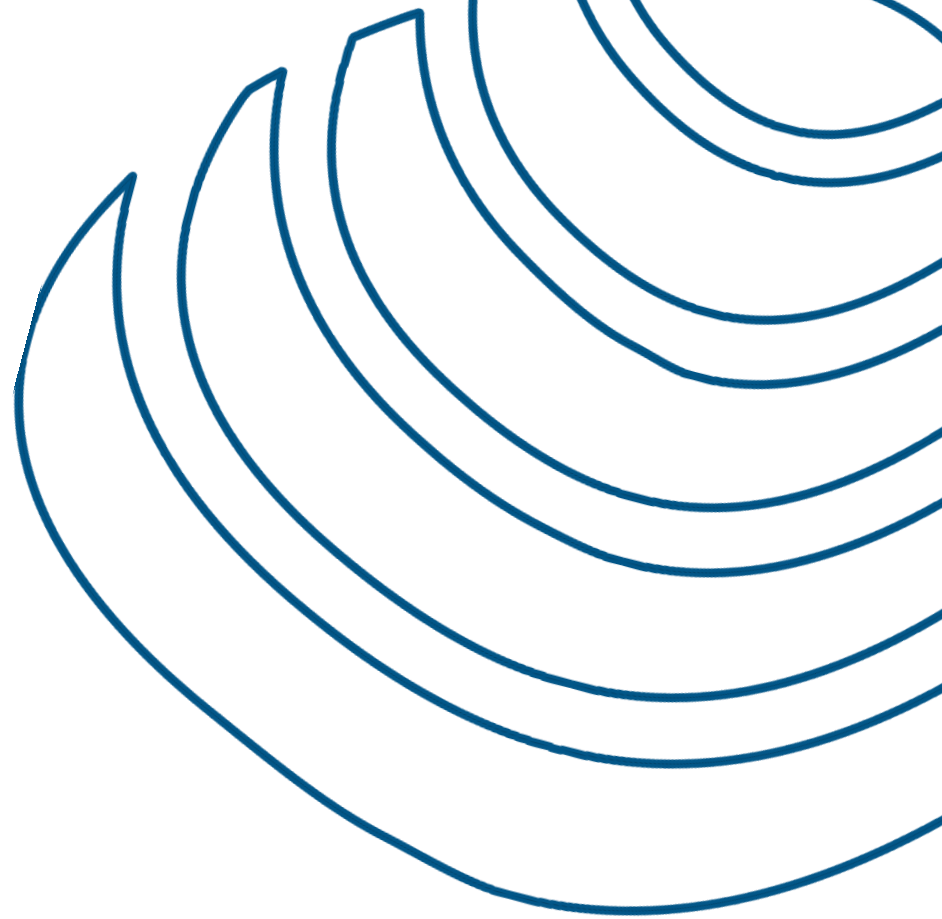
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- Existing users should log in using their e-mail address and password. If you have forgotten your password, please click the "Forgot your password?" link on the Easygrants login page and a reset link will be sent to you. The link expires within 24 hours of being sent.
- Once you are logged in, click the **Apply for Funding** button, and select Fisheries Innovation Fund – 2017 from the list of "Available Funding Opportunities".
- Complete the Eligibility Quiz and Save and Submit your response.
- If you pass the Eligibility Quiz, Easygrants will return you to your personal Easygrants Home Page. From there, click on the Pre-Proposal for the **Fisheries Innovation Fund**. Now you are ready to get started! If you do not pass the Eligibility Quiz, please contact the NFWF Program Contact identified in the RFP.

The instructions below follow sequentially through each section and field in Easygrants required for this program. You may, however, complete these sections and fields in any order. **You are encouraged to use the Help feature in Easygrants for additional guidance and examples.** Additional resources for applicants, including the Indirect Cost Policy, can be accessed on the NFWF website by clicking [here](#). Use the Quick Launch box on the left hand side of the screen to locate your desired information.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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PROJECT INFORMATION

- **Project Title:** Please do not call your project Fisheries Innovation Fund Proposal. Give it a short, descriptive name that will distinguish it from other proposals and indicate project purpose. (300 character limit, including spaces)

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- At least one upper-case letter
- At least one lower-case letter
- At least one digit (0-9)
- At least one special character
- Different from your last 2 passwords
- Should not contain your first or last name

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First Name *
Middle Name
Last Name *

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Listed below are the current funding opportunities accepting applications. To view more details on the Funding Opportunity, click Guidelines next to the opportunity.

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Available Funding Opportunities

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> Apply for Funding - Funding Cycle Name Information

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Selected Funding Cycle Name	Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Program 2016
Funding Cycle Name Close Date	2/3/2016 11:59 PM
Program Name Support E-mail Address	info@nfwf.org
Funding Cycle Name Guideline URL	http://www.nfwf.org/fivestar

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There are no public documents available for this Funding Cycle Name.

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Eligibility Quiz

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Grants | Five Star and Nature Restoration Trust | Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Program 2016

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Answer each question below by selecting the **Yes** or **No** radio button, and click **Submit** to determine your eligibility to apply for this award. **All information is required.** If you partially complete and wish to return to complete this quiz later, be sure to save your data by clicking **Save**.

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☐ No ☐ Yes

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☐ No ☐ Yes

Do you certify that you are authorized to submit this request for funding on behalf of your organization?

☐ No ☐ Yes

Upon submission of this page, you will see the outcome of your Eligibility Quiz. If you are eligible to apply for this award, you will have a corresponding To Do item on your **Home** page. If you do not wish to apply for this award at this time, click **Cancel**.

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Eligibility Quiz Answers

You are eligible.

	Your Answers	Qualified Answers
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Can the reports and deliverables associated with any potential Foundation award for your project be published on the Foundation website?	Yes	Yes
Do you certify that you are authorized to submit this request for funding on behalf of your organization?	Yes	Yes

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Eligibility Quiz

Eligibility Quiz Answers

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	Your Answers	Qualified Answers
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Can the reports and deliverables associated with any potential Foundation award for your project be published on the Foundation website?	No	Yes
Do you certify that you are authorized to submit this request for funding on behalf of your organization?	No	Yes

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Smith, John |

Grants | Sustain our Great Lakes Program | Sustain Our Great Lakes 2016

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Project Location Description *

Establishing a Community Fishing Association in the Gulf of Alaska to Provide Long-term Fishing Community Access and Stability

Enhance community sustainability by developing a community fishing association inclusive of fishing dependent communities throughout the Gulf of Alaska. Project will draft a community sustainability plan for use in the Gulf of Alaska Trawl Bycatch Management program.

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Aleutians East Borough, Lake and Peninsula Borough and the Kodiak Island Borough, Central and Western Gulf of Alaska, Alaska.

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Project Budget

Requested Amount *

~ \$50,000 - \$200,000

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Sea Lamprey consultation (barrier removals only)	No		.avi, .doc, .docx, .gif, .jpeg, .jpg, .mht, .mpp, .msg, .pdf, .ppt, .pptx, .rtf, .shp, .vsd, .xls, .xlsx, .txt, .zip	No Limit	16 MB	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit

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Pre-Proposal Narrative

Length:

2 pages

Formatting:

Keep outline format

Part I:

Basic information about proposed project

Part II:

Brief description of proposed methods, activities, and outcomes



Pre-proposal Project Narrative

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- e. **Project Location:** List all states, municipalities, coastlines, and marine areas in which you will conduct all project activities (maps may be included and do not count against the two page narrative limit).

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1. **Methods:** Provide a description of the methods you will use. Explain how your methods are suited to the project area and goals.
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Thank you for your interest!

Pre-Proposals Due Thursday, May 25, 2017
by 11:59 pm EST

Invitations for Full Proposals Sent By June 30, 2017

Full Proposals Due Monday, July 31, 2017



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