## NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

# AN OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON:

### THE FISCAL YEAR 2014 INTENDED USE PLAN & PROJECT PRIORITY LIST

The Utah Water Quality Board is accepting comments on the FY 2014 Intended Use Plan (IUP) & Project Priority List (PPL) for the Utah Wastewater Project Assistance Program which allows for funding of wastewater treatment projects, nonpoint source pollution control, storm water and underground wastewater disposal system projects. The purpose of the public comment period is to solicit public comment on the proposed IUP & PPL. Public comment will be welcome through Friday, December 6.

No rules were revised for FY 2014. Best available information and data was utilized to develop the IUP & PPL.

### THOSE AFFECTED BY THE PROPOSED CHANGES:

The proposed IUP & PPL have the potential of affecting many of the political subdivisions in Utah responsible for providing wastewater conveyance, treatment, or storm water systems and individuals that are interested in low-interest loans to construct nonpoint source pollution control projects or improve underground wastewater disposal systems. It is very important that all communities and individuals, prior to being funded through the SRF Loan Program, be ranked using criteria listed in U.A.C. R-317-100 and be included on the IUP.

Funding in the form of loans during FY 2014 may be made available to projects listed on the IUP & PPL that are ready to proceed subject to availability of funds. The number of projects that may be funded may vary depending on future changes in the ranking of projects, eligibility determinations, congressional appropriations, and other relevant factors.

#### HOW TO OBTAIN INFORMATION AND PROVIDE YOUR INPUT:

Information concerning the IUP & PPL may be obtained in person at the Division of Water Quality, 195 North 1950 West, Multi Agency State Office Building in Salt Lake City, Utah, by sending requests to: Emily Cantón, Contract Grant Analyst, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870, or may be accessed at <u>www.waterquality.utah.gov</u>.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 2013.

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