

# UPDATE



## OFFICE OF GRANTS AND LOCAL SERVICES

California Department of Parks and Recreation

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### ➔ **2000 Bond Per Capita Program: Urgent Notice!** ←

Per Capita Grantees **MUST** have a fully executed contract by June 30, 2003. The encumbrance period for these funds will expire on June 30, 2003 at which time the funds will be lost to the agency. **Agencies must submit an Authorizing Resolution to your Project Officer by April 1, 2003 to encumber these funds.** Click on the following link for a list of all agencies that do not have a contract for this program and who are at risk for losing their funds for this program. ([Link to List of Per Capita Funds Unencumbered](#))

### **2002 RESOURCES BOND (PROPOSITION 40)**

The availability of funds for the various Proposition 40 programs depends upon when funds are appropriated in the State Budget. ([Link to Table of Budgeted Programs](#)) Click on the following link for a detailed listing of all Proposition 40 programs administered in this office ([Link to Prop 40 Programs](#)).

**Murray-Hayden Urban Parks and Youth Service Program** This program was appropriated in the 2002/2003 State Budget. \$45,500,000 is available. The Office is now in the process of developing new draft program guidelines. A public process will be conducted for guideline development early this year. ([Link to Prop 40 Murray-Hayden Urban Parks and Youth Service Program](#))

**Urban Parks Act of 2001 (AB 1481 Frommer, Chapter 876 Statutes of 2001)** This program was appropriated in the 2002/2003 State Budget. \$127,400,000 is available. The Office is now in the process of developing new draft program guidelines. A public process will be conducted for guideline development early this year. ([Link to Prop 40 Urban Parks Act of 2001 Program](#)).

**Roberti-Z'berg-Harris** The Office is conducting a post program review and evaluation of all three elements of the Proposition 12 Roberti-Z'berg-Harris grant program. This evaluation will be used in the development of new draft procedural guidelines for the Proposition 40 program when funds are appropriated. A public process will be conducted for guideline development this year. The Block Grant Funds are in the Governor's proposed 2003/2004 Budget and would become available with the passage of the Budget Act as currently written. ([Link to Prop 40 Roberti-Z'Berg-Harris Program](#)).

**Per Capita** The funds for this program are in the Governor's proposed 2003/2004 Budget and would become available with the passage of the Budget Act as currently written. Estimates of the Per Capita allocations for each county and city are available. ([Link to Prop 40 Per Capita estimate](#)). Local agencies have until April 1, 2003 to determine and resolve issues relating to overlapping boundaries. ([Link to Prop 40 Per Capita Program](#)). A public process will be conducted for guideline development this year.

**California Youth Soccer and Recreation Development (SB 359 Murray)** The funds for this program have not yet been appropriated in the State Budget. A public process will be conducted for guideline development this year. ([Link to Prop 40 California Youth Soccer and Recreational Development Program](#)).

**Urban Parks and Healthy Communities (SB 359 Murray)** The funds for this program have not yet been appropriated in the State Budget. A public process will be conducted for guideline development this year. ([Link to Prop 40 State Urban Parks and Healthy Communities Program](#)).

## **ANNUAL GRANT PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

**Habitat Conservation (HCF)** \$2 million is available under the program. The following categories will be funded during the FY 2004/05 grant cycle: (1) Deer/Lion Habitat, (2) Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Species, (3) Wetlands, (4) Riparian. Cities, counties and district are eligible to apply. **Application deadline is October 1, 2003.** ([Link to HCF Program](#)).

**Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)** The State's allocation for this year is expected to be approximately \$12 million. Of that amount, about \$7 million will be available for grants to local agencies: \$4 million for Southern California and \$3 million for Northern California. Cities, counties and districts are eligible to apply. Funds are allocated for acquiring and developing outdoor recreation areas and facilities. **Application deadline is May 1, 2003.** ([Link to LWCF Program](#)).

**Recreational Trails Program (RTP)** Pending federal reauthorization of the program, approximately \$2 million will be available for federal FY 2003. Cities, counties, districts, state agencies, and nonprofit organizations with management responsibilities over public lands are eligible to apply. Funds are available for recreational trails and trail-related projects. **Application deadline is October 1, 2003.** ([Link to RTP Program](#)).