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Dave Hartwell 03/11/15	CCC Water Conservation Program	California Conservation Corps (CCC)	Provides no cost labor for the purpose of completing water conservation projects for public agencies and commercial property owners. Eligible projects under the Water Conservation Program include assistance with water-efficient landscaping and irrigation, the replacement and installation of water-efficient plumbing fixtures, and water efficiency education and outreach activities.	Applicants can find more information about the program and the short application at <a href="http://www.ccc.ca.gov/work/programs/drought_response/Pages/Water-Conservation.aspx">http://www.ccc.ca.gov/work/programs/drought_response/Pages/Water-Conservation.aspx</a>						Steven Hall 916.341.3205 <a href="mailto:steven.hall@ccc.ca.gov">steven.hall@ccc.ca.gov</a>
		California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)		<i>Notes from meeting with GO indicate no programs are available for drought assistance. Need to verify with the agency.</i>					No programs available to provide drought assistance.	Ken Pimlott Director
	Medi-Cal Health Coverage	California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)	Medical, dental, and vision care coverage to low-income individuals, including families with children, seniors, persons with disabilities, pregnant women and low-income people with specific diseases.	A listing of local county welfare/social services departments can be found at <a href="http://www.cwda.org/links/chsa.php">http://www.cwda.org/links/chsa.php</a>				X		

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	<a href="#">Drought Rental Housing Subsidies (DHRS) Program.</a>	California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)	<p>The Drought Housing Rental Subsidies program, which will subsidize short term rent and utility payments for eligible individuals and families in the 24 counties of Amador, Butte, Colusa, Fresno, Glenn, Kern, Kings, Lake, Lassen, Madera, Merced, Modoc, Monterey, San Benito, San Joaquin, Santa Cruz, Sierra, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Tulare, Yolo and Yuba. Individuals and families interested in applying for the Drought Housing Rental Subsidies program will have multiple access points. La Cooperativa has more than 50 offices in the 24 county area, plus four mobile units that will serve smaller agricultural communities. A short application will need to be completed and if an applicant is deemed eligible, rental payments will be made directly to the landlord and/or utility company. More information on the Drought Housing Rental Subsidies program is available by calling La Cooperativa at 916.388.2228.</p>	SB 104				X	Operational as of June 16, 2014.	James Goldstene james.goldstene@bcsh.ca.gov

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Susan Naramore 8/11/15 Randall Deems	Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program	California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)	Federal funding administered by the State for eligible Non-Entitlement CDBG jurisdictions, which, generally are rural cities and counties with population sizes of less than 50,000 and 200,000 respectively.	<p>Information can be found at <a href="http://www.hcd.ca.gov/fa/cdbg/index.html">http://www.hcd.ca.gov/fa/cdbg/index.html</a>                      Note: Per a 1/15/14 e-mail from Thomas Brandberry, CDBG Section Chief: CDBG does have a disaster component that allows it to be used under the National Objective of Urgent Need. Current CDBG contracts already awarded in the area of a disaster may have funds redirected to CDBG eligible disaster funding if a disaster declaration has been made. They can also use their local Program Income. An activity must be designed to alleviate existing conditions, which the local government certifies and the state determines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community;</li> <li>- Are of recent origin or recently became urgent;</li> <li>- The state grant recipient is unable to finance the activity on its own; and</li> <li>- Other sources of funding are not available to carry out.</li> </ul> <p>A condition will generally be considered to be of recent origin if it is developed or became critical within 18 months preceding the state grant recipient's certification.                      Reference: 24 CFR 570.483(d) and 25 CCR 7050-7126</p>				X Yes, annually.	HUD	James Goldstene <a href="mailto:james.goldstene@bcsh.ca.gov">james.goldstene@bcsh.ca.gov</a>
Susan Naramore 8/11/15 Randall Deems	HOME Investments Partnerships (HOME Program)	California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)	Federal funding administered by the State for eligible HOME jurisdictions, which, generally are rural cities and counties with population sizes of less than 50,000 and 200,000 respectively.	HOME does not have a disaster component but is able to redirect available funding to assist affected eligible jurisdictions if necessary				X Yes, annually.	HUD	James Goldstene <a href="mailto:james.goldstene@bcsh.ca.gov">james.goldstene@bcsh.ca.gov</a>

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Joseph Crisologo	Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF)	California Department of Public Health (CDPH)	DWSRF provides local assistance funding in the form of grants and loans to Public Water Systems for drinking water infrastructure projects. Emergency projects determined to be caused by drought are currently exempt from CEQA.	<a href="http://www.cdph.ca.gov/services/funding/Documents/SRF/2013%20Funding/FINALSFY/2013IUP.pdf">http://www.cdph.ca.gov/services/funding/Documents/SRF/2013%20Funding/FINALSFY/2013IUP.pdf</a>						<p>Joseph Crisologo Sr Homeland Security Engineer 818.551.2046 joseph.crisologo@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Deisy Rios 916.322.0522 deisy.rios@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Stefan Cajina Director Division Response Center 510.620.3452 stefan.cajina@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>David Mazzera Acting Chief, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Mgmt 916.449.5577 david.mazzera@cdph.ca.gov</p>

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Joseph Crisologo	Prop 84 Part 2 Emergency Grant Funds Project	California Department of Public Health (CDPH)	Part 2 emergencies include public water systems that have experienced a disruption or contamination of drinking water supplies caused by events such as drought.	<a href="http://www.cdph.ca.gov/services/funding/Pages/Prop84.aspx">http://www.cdph.ca.gov/services/funding/Pages/Prop84.aspx</a>						<p>Joseph Crisologo Sr Homeland Security Engineer 818.551.2046 joseph.crisologo@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Deisy Rios 916.322.0522 deisy.rios@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Stefan Cajina Director Division Response Center 510.620.3452 stefan.cajina@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>David Mazzera Acting Chief, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Mgmt 916.449.5577 david.mazzera@cdph.ca.gov</p>

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Joseph Crisologo	Public Water System Drought Emergency (PWSDE) Funding	California Department of Public Health (CDPH)	PWSDE funding provides assistance in the form of grants to community water systems and public water systems owned by a public school district experiencing a drought related drinking water emergency or threatened emergency.	<a href="http://www.cdph.ca.gov/certlic/drinkingwater/Documents/Drought/PWSDE%20-%20Drought%20Emergency%20-%20Criteria(Guidelines)%203-28-14-final.pdf">http://www.cdph.ca.gov/certlic/drinkingwater/Documents/Drought/PWSDE%20-%20Drought%20Emergency%20-%20Criteria(Guidelines)%203-28-14-final.pdf</a>					X	<p>Joseph Crisologo Sr Homeland Security Engineer 818.551.2046 joseph.crisologo@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Deisy Rios 916.322.0522 deisy.rios@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Stefan Cajina Director Division Response Center 510.620.3452 stefan.cajina@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>David Mazzera Acting Chief, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Mgmt 916.449.5577 david.mazzera@cdph.ca.gov</p>

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Joseph Crisologo	Woman, Infants, and Children (WIC) Supplemental Nutrition Program	California Department of Public Health (CDPH)	<p>WIC serves:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• all low income pregnant women, breastfeeding women up to one year post-partum, and non-breastfeeding women up to 6 months postpartum; and</li> <li>• infants and children up to age 5 from low income families</li> <li>• Low income households is defined as a household income that is 185 percent of the poverty level or the participant is enrolled in MediCal, TANF, FDPIR, or CalFresh.</li> <li>• They must be at nutritional risk as determined by a health assessment.</li> </ul>	<p>Individuals should contact a local WIC agency directly. To find a local WIC agency, we have an online search feature on our website at <a href="http://www.apps.cdph.ca.gov/wic/resources/laSearch/search.asp">http://www.apps.cdph.ca.gov/wic/resources/laSearch/search.asp</a>. Individuals can also call the statewide assistance number 1-888-WIC-WORKS (1-888-942-9675) or check their local phone directory for the phone number of the local WIC agency in their area.</p>				X		<p>Joseph Crisologo Sr Homeland Security Engineer 818.551.2046 joseph.crisologo@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Deisy Rios 916.322.0522 deisy.rios@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>Stefan Cajina Director Division Response Center 510.620.3452 stefan.cajina@cdph.ca.gov</p> <p>David Mazzera Acting Chief, Division of Drinking Water and Environmental Mgmt 916.449.5577 david.mazzera@cdph.ca.gov</p>

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Todd Bland Michael Coleman 06.19.14	CalFresh (Federally known as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP))	California Department of Social Services (DSS)	Benefits to eligible needy households and individuals to purchase food. Information on CalFresh can be found at <a href="http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov/foodstamps/">http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov/foodstamps/</a>	Title 7 of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008.				X		Todd Bland Deputy Director 916.657.3546 todd.bland@dss.ca.gov
Todd Bland Michael Coleman 06.19.14	CalWORKs	California Department of Social Services (DSS)	Cash aid to eligible needy California families for housing, food, and other necessary expenses. Information on CalWORKs can be found at <a href="http://www.cdss.ca.gov/calworks/">http://www.cdss.ca.gov/calworks/</a>	AB 1542 (Chapter 270, Statutes of 1997)				X		Todd Bland Deputy Director 916.657.3546 todd.bland@dss.ca.gov



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Michael Coleman 06.19.14	DroughtFood Assistance Program (DFAP)	California Department of Social Services (DSS)	DFAP is a temporary program designed to provide food assistance to communities that suffer high levels of unemployment from the drought.	<u>SB 103, Chapter 2, Statutes of 2014</u>					In Progress	Michael Coleman 916.651.3978 michael.coleman@dss.ca.gov
Todd Bland Michael Coleman	Emergency Food Assistance Program (EFAP)	California Department of Social Services (DSS)	Provides USDA commodities to a network of food banks for distribution to eligible individuals and households within their service area. Additional information can be found at <a href="http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov/efap/">http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov/efap/</a>	<u>Title 7, CFR Part 250 and 251 and 3015.</u>						Michael Coleman 916.651.3978 michael.coleman@dss.ca.gov
	Prop 204 Sacramento Valley Water Management	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)	Implement Bay-Delta Water Quality Plan Projects or programs in the Sacramento Valley that assist in the implementation of the Bay-Delta Water Quality Plan. Actions must be determined consistent with the plan by the SWRCB Generally local public agencies or non-profits, projects & programs must be located in Sacramento Valley.	Prop 204 - For more information please call the primary contact.						Trevor Joseph 916.651.9218 trevor.joseph@water.ca.gov  Tracie Billington 916.651.9226 tracie.billington@water.ca.gov
Jeremy Callihan	Prop 81 California Safe Drinking Water Bond Law of 1988	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)	Projects that help meet the Safe Drinking Water Standards. Planning projects that investigate and identify alternatives for system improvements. Eligible projects may include, but need not be limited to, leak detection and repair programs.	Prop 81 - For more information please call the primary contact.						Linda Ng 916.653.9634 linda.ng@water.ca.gov  Jeremy Callihan 916.653.4763  Tracie Billington 916.651.9226 tracie.billington@water.ca.gov

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	Prop 84 Integrated Regional Water Management	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)	Funds for implementation of programs and projects, consistent with an IRWM Plan, that assist local public agencies to meet the long-term water management needs of the State, including delivery of safe drinking water, protection of water quality and the environment, and flood risk reduction.	Prop 84 <a href="http://www.water.ca.gov/nav/nav.cfm?loc=t&amp;id=103">http://www.water.ca.gov/nav/nav.cfm?loc=t&amp;id=103</a>	X					Tracie Billington 916.651.9226 tracie.billington@water.ca.gov  Zaffar Eusuff 916.651.9266
	Prop 13 Agricultural Water Conservation Program Loan	California Department of Water Resources (DWR)	Loan program for cost effective agricultural water conservation projects or agricultural programs to improve water use efficiency and to finance feasibility studies for such projects. Construction or other capital outlays, including but not limited to canal or ditch piping or lining projects, automating canal structures, water distribution system control improvements, tailwater recovery projects, purchasing and installing water measurement devices, and replacement of leaking distribution system components.	<a href="http://www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/">www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/</a>						Fethi Benjemaa 916.651.7025  Tracie Billington 916.651.9226 tracie.billington@water.ca.gov
Greg Gibson	Job Services	California Employment Development Department (EDD)	Employment services for job seekers and employers.	Apply through EDD local partners at America's Job Center of California throughout the State connecting thousands of available jobs through the automated system CalJOBS. More information can be found at <a href="http://www.edd.ca.gov">www.edd.ca.gov</a>				X		Christian Turner 916.654.7732 christian.turner@edd.ca.gov  Ronnie Mitchell ISO Emergency Response Liaison 916.654.8263 ronnie.mitchell@edd.ca.gov
Greg Gibson	Unemployment Insurance (UI)	California Employment Development Department (EDD)	Benefits to workers who have lost their jobs due to the drought.	Apply through <a href="http://www.edd.ca.gov/Unemployment/">http://www.edd.ca.gov/Unemployment/</a>				X		Christian Turner 916.654.7732 christian.turner@edd.ca.gov  Cathy Barratt UI/DUA Manager 916.654.7196

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Leslie Laudon 06/19/14	Agricultural Drainage Management	California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)	Low-interest loans for treatment, storage, conveyance or disposal of agricultural drainage water	<a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/agdrain/agdrain_mgmt.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/agdrain/agdrain_mgmt.shtml</a>	N	N	N	Y	Existing loan program. Working to repurpose funds and administer through State Revolving Fund program through legislative process.	Jule Rizzardo 916.341.5822 jule.rizzardo@waterboards.ca.gov
Leslie Laudon 06/19/14	Areas of Special Biological Significance	California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)	Grants to assist local public agencies comply with discharge prohibitions.	Prop 84 PRC 75060; Prop 13 WC 79148 <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/asbs/index.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/asbs/index.shtml</a>						Leslie Laudon 916.341.5499 leslie.laudon@waterboards.ca.gov
Leslie Laudon 06/19/14	Clean Beaches	California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)	Grants for projects that restore and protect coastal waters.	Prop 84 PRC 75060; Prop 40 PRC 30915; Prop 50 WC 79543 <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/beaches/cbi_projects/index.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/beaches/cbi_projects/index.shtml</a>						Leslie Laudon 916.341.5499 leslie.laudon@waterboards.ca.gov
Leslie Laudon 06/19/14	Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF)	California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)	CWSRF provides low interest financing for water quality improvement projects. The program is offering \$800 million in 1% loans for water recycling projects as an incentive to assist with the drought.	<a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/srf/index.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/srf/index.shtml</a>	N	N	N	Y	Expect to have \$90 M under contract in next 4 weeks. Have \$250 million in pending projects pursuing financing .	Jule Rizzardo 916.341.5822 jule.rizzardo@waterboards.ca.gov

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Leslie Laudon 06/19/14	Santa Monica Bay Restoration	California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)	Grants for projects that implement priority actions in the Santa Monica Bay Restoration Plan.	Prop 50 WC 79543; Prop 84 PRC 75060 <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/coastalnonpoint50.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/coastalnonpoint50.shtml</a>						Leslie Laudon 916.341.5499 leslie.laudon@waterboards.ca.gov
Charles Rabamad 04/07/15	California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA)	California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES)	<a href="#">Executive Order B-26-14 provides temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.</a>	Information on disaster assistance programs can be found at: <a href="http://www.calema.ca.gov/Recovery/Pages/California-Disaster-Assistance-Act-(CDAA).aspx">http://www.calema.ca.gov/Recovery/Pages/California-Disaster-Assistance-Act-(CDAA).aspx</a>						Charles Rabamad Assistant Director, Recovery Section 916.845.8201 916.835.9749 charles.rabamad@caloes.ca.gov
Brian Turner	California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) Program	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	The California Alternative Rates for Energy (CARE) program provides discounts of 30-35% on electricity and natural gas rates for qualified low income utility customers. Eligibility is determined by income thresholds, self-certification, or categorical eligibility if customers are also participating in a Federal, State, or County means-tested program such as SNAP ("Food Stamps"). Customers should contact their utility.	<a href="http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/">http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/</a>				X		Hazlyn Fortune, halyn.fortune@cpuc.ca.gov, 415-703-2317

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Brian Turner	California LifeLine Program	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	Provides low-income customers with an on-going discount (up to \$12.65/month) on their basic wireline or wireless telecommunication service. Discounts are also available for service initiation charges. Eligible recipients are those whose total household income is at or below 150 percent federal poverty level or participate in qualifying Federal or State public assistance programs. Consumers can obtain more information from a telecommunications carrier of their choice or by contacting the program administrator at 1-866-272-0349 or visiting <a href="http://www.californialifeline.com">http://www.californialifeline.com</a> .	Public Utilities Code Sections 871-876 authorize California LifeLine. Information about the program can be found at <a href="http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/Telco/Public+Programs/ulsts.htm">http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/Telco/Public+Programs/ulsts.htm</a> .				X		Jonathan Lakritz Communications Division 415.703.1590 jonathan.lakritz@cpuc.ca.gov
Brian Turner	Energy Savings Assistance Program	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	The CPUC's Energy Savings Assistance (ESA) program provides no cost energy efficiency equipment (including water-efficient appliances) to low income utility customers. Low income customers qualify for the program by meeting income thresholds set in CA statute. Customers should contact their utility for sign-up information.	<a href="http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/">http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/</a>				X		Hazlyn Fortune, halyn.fortune@cpuc.ca.gov, 415-703-2317
Brian Turner	Family Electric Rate Assistance Program (FERA)	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	Residential customers of investor-owned utilities whose household income slightly exceeds income limits in CARE may qualify to receive FERA discounts, which bills some of their electricity usage at a lower rate. Customers should contact their utility for sign-up information.	<a href="http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/">http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Low+Income/</a>				X		Hazlyn Fortune, halyn.fortune@cpuc.ca.gov, 415-703-2317
Brian Turner	Low Income Programs for Water service to customers of large, Class A, investor-owned water utilities serving 10,000 or more connections.	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	Provides low-income customers of some private water companies with either a monthly or bimonthly discount off their service charge on water bills. Eligible recipients are those whose total household income is at or below 200 percent federal poverty level. Customers should contact their water utility for sign-up information.	California Public Utilities Code Sections 739.8 subsections (a) through (d). More information can be found at: <a href="http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/water/consumerprograms.htm">http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/water/consumerprograms.htm</a>				X		Rami Kahlon; raminder.kahlon@cpuc.ca.gov