

WATER FINANCE CENTER



WATER INFRASTRUCTURE AND RESILIENCY FINANCE CENTER

EPA's Water Finance Center provides information that can be used to make **drinking water, wastewater, and stormwater** infrastructure decisions.



Research

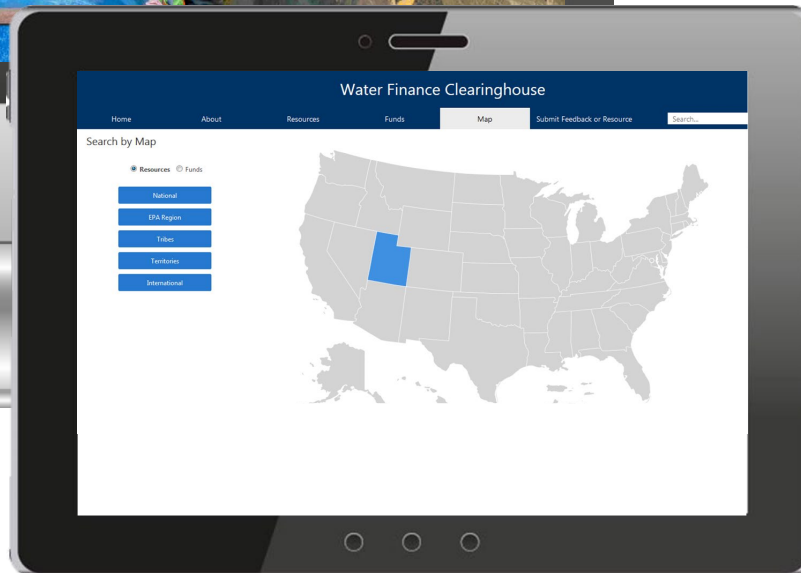
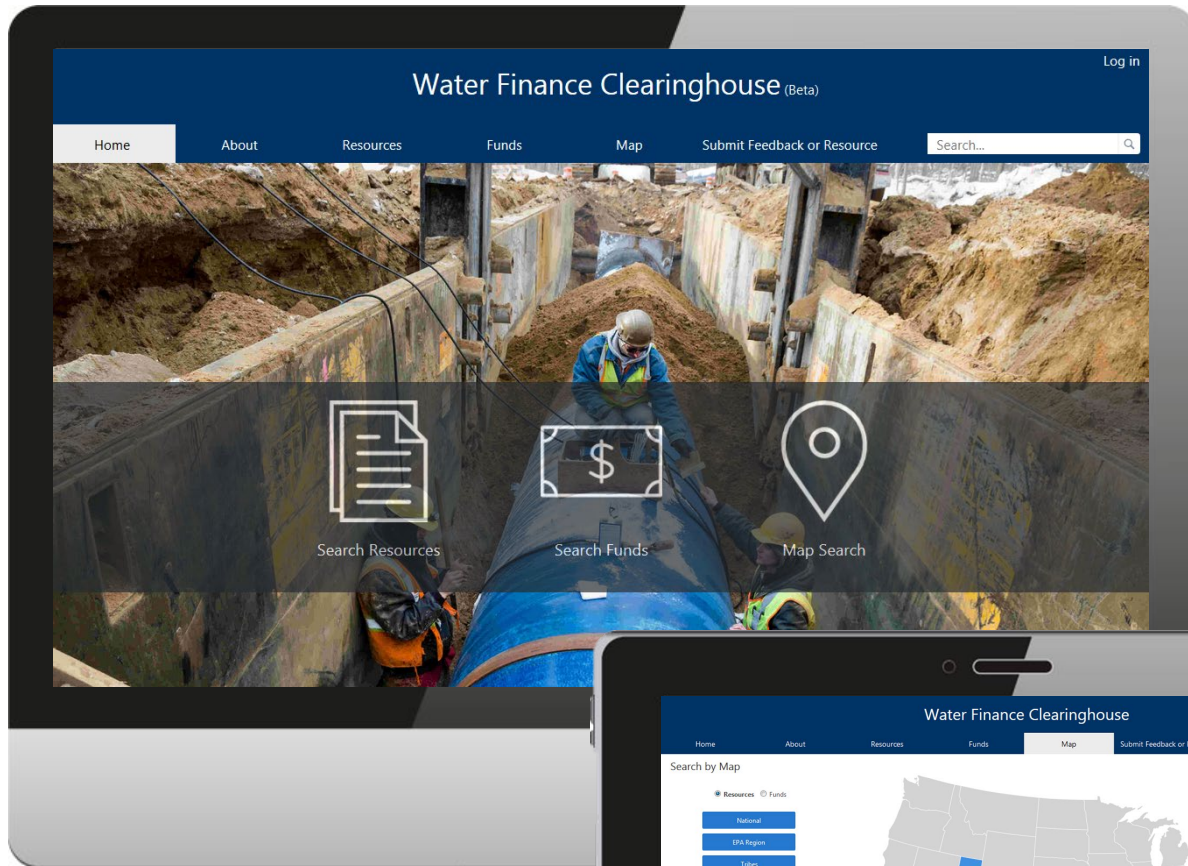
Advise

Innovate

Network

<https://www.epa.gov/waterfinancecenter>

WATER FINANCE CLEARINGHOUSE



Meeting the Needs of Stakeholders

The Water Finance Clearinghouse is an **easily navigable web-based portal** that helps communities locate **information** and **resources** for all things water finance.

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REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCE CENTERS (EFCs)

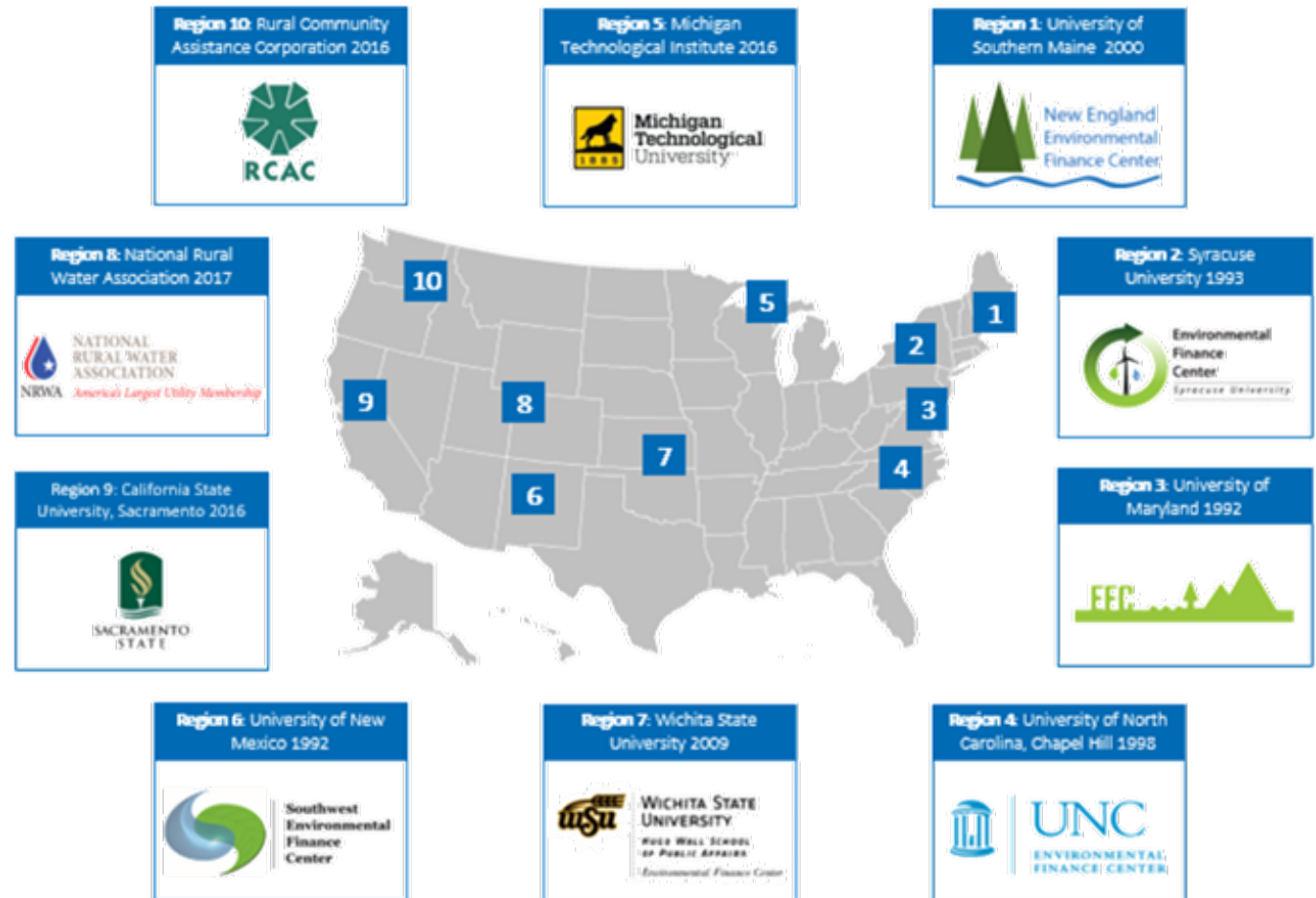
Providing On the Ground Assistance

Since 1992, the EFCs have been **advising, training, and providing technical assistance** to public and private officials on traditional and innovative financing for environmental infrastructure.

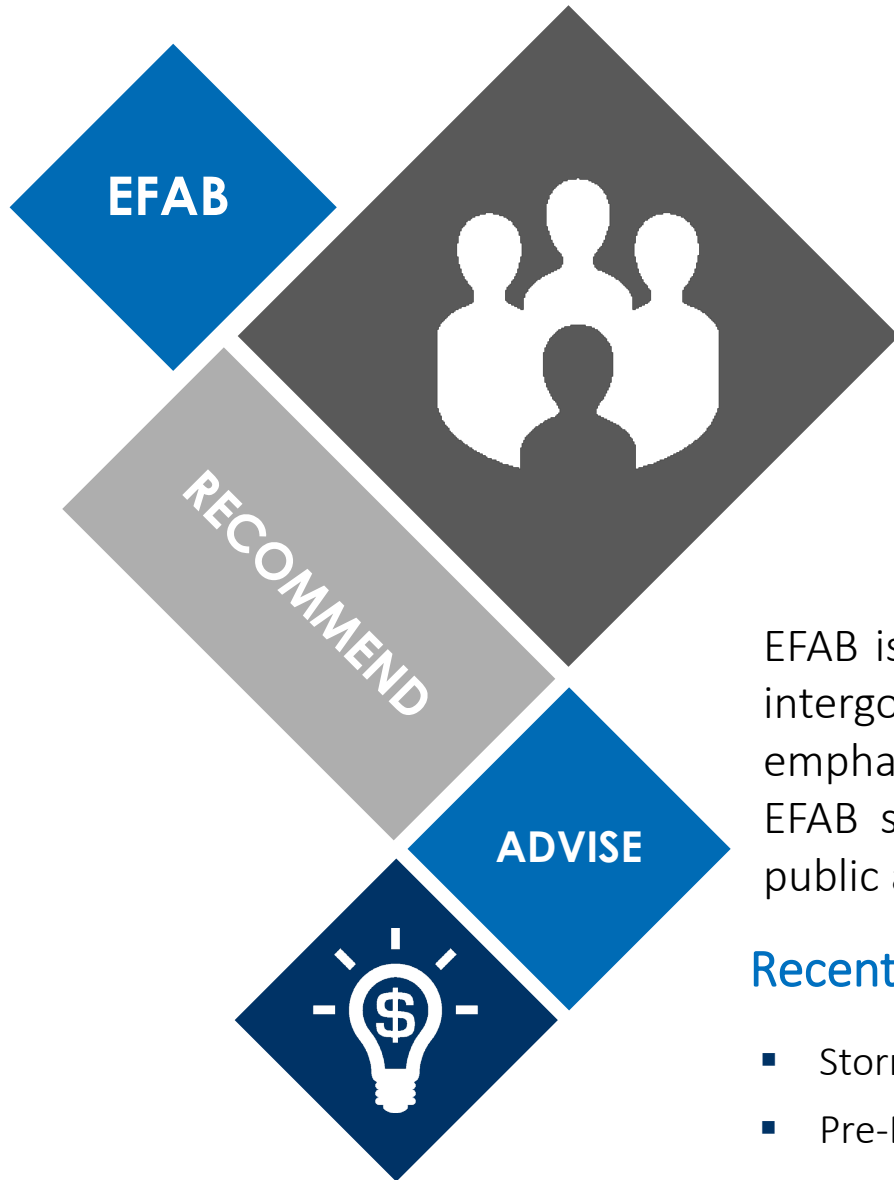
Examples of assistance provided by the EFCs include:

- Asset Management planning
- Financial planning & rate setting
- Effective budgeting strategies
- Long-term capital planning
- Collaboration with other facilities
- Affordability analyses

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ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCIAL ADVISORY BOARD (EFAB)



EFAB is an independent advisory committee that provides EPA with a cross-media, intergovernmental perspective on environmental and economic goals, while emphasizing cost-effective, risk-based approaches, and public-private partnerships. EFAB seeks practical ways to lower costs of environmental compliance, increase public and private investment, and build state and local financial capacity.

Recent Charges

- Stormwater Infrastructure Funding and Financing
- Pre-Disaster Resiliency Investment and Financing
- Public-Private Partnerships Predevelopment Protocols/BMPs
- **Regionalization Financing Strategies**
- Chesapeake Bay – Identifying Financial Metrics of Success
- Alaska Waste Backhaul Revenue Options

RECENT ACTIVITIES

COVID-19 WATER SECTOR FINANCIAL IMPACTS

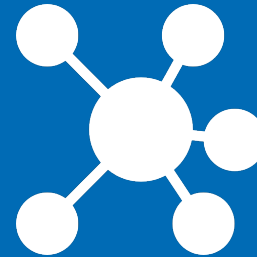
Tool for drinking water and wastewater utilities to determine changes to cash flow



STORMWATER FINANCE

Webinars

Implementing recommendations from EFAB



WATER AFFORDABILITY

Proposed 2020 Financial Capability Assessment (FCA) – Public Comment period ends Oct 19, 2020

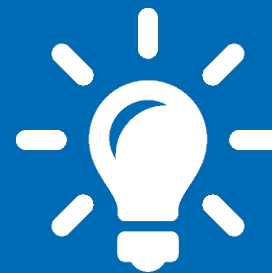
Utility Customer Assistance Programs document



FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainable Financial Management Planning for Water Utilities webinar

Water Infrastructure Financial Leadership document



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