Policy

- Funding for O&M will be allocated based on proposals submitted by SWCDs.
- After funding is authorized or allocated to the SWCD, the work must be completed within 90 days.
- Proposals may be submitted one at a time (not as a group) not to exceed the SWCDs total number of proposals listed below.
- Each SWCD will be allowed to submit a number of proposals based on the number of dams the SWCD is responsible for as follows:

SWCDs with 200 or more dams: 5 proposals
SWCDs with 80 to 199 dams: 4 proposals
SWCDs with 25 to 79 dams: 3 proposals
SWCDs with less than 25 dams: 2 proposals

 The maximum amount of each proposal cannot exceed \$20,000, unless the proposal is for only one dam. In that case the maximum dollar amount for that proposal (one dam) shall be as follows:

SWCDs allowed 5 proposals: \$100,000
SWCDs allowed 4 proposals: \$80,000
SWCDs allowed 3 proposals: \$60,000
SWCDs allowed 2 proposals: \$40,000

- The maximum amounts for a proposal with one dam shown above shall also be the maximum amount allowed for the total of all proposals submitted by each SWCD.
- SWCDs with funded proposals may submit another proposal requesting funds for additional work, after work on any funded proposal is 75% complete.

Requests for waivers of the above policy, with appropriate documentation and justification, will be considered on a case by case basis.