

# Revisions to Water Infrastructure Investment Plan

- Expanded Eligible Subrecipients
  - Draft plan included all 95 counties as subrecipients
  - Final plan expands to include 269 eligible cities
  - Eligible cities are those that are incorporated and operate a drinking water or wastewater systems or a permitted stormwater program
- Revised Funding Allocation Model
  - Utilized the Ability to Pay Index to weight county and city allocations based on the economic health of the community
- Incentivized Collaboration, Local ARP Investment, and Priority Areas through Targeted Reduction of Co-Funding Requirements

# TDEC Next Steps and Engagement Opportunities

- December 14-16, 2021
  - TAUD Infrastructure Scorecard Workshops (Information available on ARP Website – Engagement Opportunities)
- December 15, 2021
  - Release Final *Water Infrastructure Investment Plan* and Response to Comments
- December 20, 2021
  - Virtual Town Hall (Information available on ARP Website – Engagement Opportunities)
- January 2022
  - Webinar Series (3) on Investment Plan
- January 20, 2022
  - WIAC Meeting #4: Grant Guidance
- January / February 2022
  - Release Grant Guidance
- February – April 2022
  - Non-Competitive Grant Workshops (hybrid in-person/virtual)
- Winter / Spring 2022
  - Open Non-Competitive Grant Solicitation