



FY 2026-27

WATER SUPPLY AND CONSERVATION GRANT APPLICATION FORM:

Name of applicant:

Hernando County Utilities Department

Provide a short description of the proposed water conservation project in the text box below:

Hernando County Utilities Department (HCUD) promotes and produces dynamic, innovative, effective water resource protection and programs. These have led Hernando County to lower the per capita water use requirements below the 150 gallons per person per day regulation of Southwest Florida Water Management District.

Projects:

- In-School education programs,
- Conservation messaging campaign and promotions
- Water conservation incentive programs for HCUD customers

List previous grants received from WRWSA in the previous 3 fiscal years and date completed:

FY 2023/24 Closed September 30, 2024

FY 2024/25 Closed September 30, 2025

FY 25/26 will close September 30, 2026

Attachments to application:

1. A resolution of support that includes a commitment that the grant recipient will budget and expend its matching funds as required by the grant program.
2. A summary of the project tasks (scope of services) with estimated costs by task, if applicable.
3. A time schedule for the project and expected completion date that will be inserted in the local government contract.

Return Application to:

Suzannah J. Folsom, Executive Director
WRWSA, 3600 W. Sovereign Path, Suite 228, Lecanto, Florida 34461

Deadline: July 1, 2026, 5:00 p.m. EST