



Water and Environmental Programs

Rural Utilities Service Announces

“RD APPLY”

GET STARTED TODAY!

Apply Online at:

<http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/rd-apply>

Why is RD Apply Important?

- Convenience
- Identity Security
- Reduced Paper Consumption
- GIS Mapping Features
- Digital Signatures
- Track Application Progress
- Pre-Population of Data
- Multiple User Roles

What is RD Apply:

Application Intake System that allows you to apply for Water and Waste Disposal Loans and Grants Online!

Who may Apply:

Applicants that are not able to otherwise obtain commercial credit on reasonable terms to include: Public Bodies, Private Non-Profit Organizations, and Federally Recognized Tribes.

Eligible Areas:

Rural Areas and towns with fewer than 10,000 people

Eligible Purposes:

Funds may be used to finance the acquisition, construction or improvements to water and sewer infrastructure to include treatment, storage, distribution, collection, transmission, etc. of water and wastewater services.

Regulation:

7 CFR Part 1780—Basic Program

7 CFR Part 1782—Loan Servicing

NOTE: Because citations and other information may be subject to change, please always consult the program instructions that governs this program. You may also contact **your local office** listed below for assistance.

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USDA Telecommunications Unveils Its New Online Application System in a Series of Webinars

Subjects Covered:

These webinars will focus on several RD Apply components:

- Obtaining a Level 2 eAuthentication Identification
- Online Identity Proofing
- The Authorized Representative Request (ARR) Process
- Adding users in the Application Authorization Security Management (AASM) system
- Signing up for Notifications
- Creating and working on an application in RD Apply

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ANY QUESTIONS?

Call (202) 205-4989 or
(202) 720-0667

The USDA Telecommunications Program will host a series of webinars focused on our new application intake system: **RD Apply**. This new system allows interested parties to apply electronically for loans and grants administered by the Rural Utilities Service (RUS).

Apply with ease for the latest RUS **Farm Bill Broadband Loan Program** and **Infrastructure Program** loans through RD Apply. Eventually, more programs will be added into the system, allowing a wider range of customers to submit applications electronically.

Learn about our new system at one of our WEBINAR training events.

JOIN US ON ONE OF THE FOLLOWING DATES*:

Jan 13, 2016 2:30 - 4 PM EST

Jan 27, 2016 2:30 - 4 PM EST

Feb 10, 2016 2:30 - 4 PM EST

Feb 23, 2016 10 - 11:30 AM EST

Mar 8, 2016 10 - 11:30 AM EST

Mar 23, 2016 2:30 - 4 PM EST

* Dates and times are subject to change.

Webinar and Audio Conference Information

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

EACH WEBINAR IS LIMITED TO FIRST 100 PARTICIPANTS

HOW TO REGISTER:

- Click on the following link: <https://www.livemeeting.com/register> **
- Fill in the required information.
- Note: Registration is only needed for one event. All webinars will present the same information.
- Attendee instructions can also be found on the Rural Development RD Apply website as shown.

** Having problems with the link? Cut & paste this link into your web browser:

- <https://www.livemeeting.com/lrs/8002989786/Registration.aspx?pageName=m0rs5b3z2z52sqc8>

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