

**Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA)/Strategic Agricultural Initiative Program
FY2005 Request for Applications (RFA) – Region 1**

General Information

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| Document Type: | Grants Notice |
| Funding Opportunity Number: | EPA-R1-SAI-05 |
| Posted Date: | |
| Due Date for Applications: | Monday, August 22, 2005 5 PM EST |
| Archive Date: | |
| Funding Instrument Type: | Grant |
| Category of Funding Activity: | Environment |
| Expected Number of Awards: | 1-2 |
| Estimated Total Program Funding: | \$70,850 |
| Award Ceiling: | none |
| Award Floor: | none |
| CFDA Number: | 66.716 -- Surveys, Studies, Investigations, Training Demonstrations and Educational Outreach |
| Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: | No |

Eligible Applicants:

State governments
US territories or possessions
Federally recognized Indian tribes
Native American Organizations
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Commodity organizations and agricultural grower groups
Hospitals
Laboratories
Other public or private non profit institutions and individuals
(Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS)

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Description:

EPA Region 1 Pesticide Program is seeking applications from eligible organizations that will facilitate the implementation of the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA). The program supports efforts to reduce the exposure to toxic pesticides through the adoption of production agriculture pest management practices that transition away from the use of high-risk pesticides.

The in-field adoption by farmers of already identified potential low-risk integrated crop or pest management tools and strategies is a priority. The project will work towards achieving the adoption of reduced-risk alternatives and /or ecologically-based IPM or biologically integrated farming approaches that are economical. The project should engage scientists, farmers, commodity organizations/groups, industry, and local, state and federal partners.

For this competition, the EPA Region 1 Program has approximately \$70,850 available for grants under this request for applications. Project periods are not to exceed 2 years.

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