

Sustainable Materials Recovery Program (SMRP) Grants

SWAC Meeting April 25, 2024
Spring 2024 Update



SMRP Background

- Created through the Green Communities Act and MassDEP regulations (310 CMR 19.300).
- SMRP is an annual grant program for municipalities and regional solid waste management districts in Massachusetts.
- Prioritized to promote best practices for waste reduction, reuse, and recycling.
- Municipal Grant Program – Year 15.

Grant Offerings for Spring 2024

- Drop-off Equipment: Universal Waste Sheds & Reuse Swap Shops
- Food Waste Collection Carts
- Pay-As-You-Throw Program Funds
- Regional Small-Scale Initiatives
- Recycling Dividends Program (RDP)
- Waste Reduction / Organics Capacity / Permanent Household Hazardous Waste Facility Project Proposals

Important Dates

- Applications opened online on April 1st
- Grant Webinar held on April 10th (posted online)
- Applications Due by June 12, 2024 at 11:59 PM
- Awards expected in the Fall of 2024
- Contact: Rachel Smith, Rachel.Smith@mass.gov
- Visit: www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-a-sustainable-materials-recovery-program-smrp-municipal-grant