



Program (Agency)	Account/Subaccount	FY2026 Enacted	President's FY2027 Request	HOW Coalition FY2027 Request
Interior and Environment				
<i>Great Lakes</i>				
Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (EPA)	Environmental Programs and Management (EPM) / Geographic Programs	\$369 million	\$367.7 million	\$500 million ⁱ
Great Lakes and Lake Champlain Invasive Species Program (EPA)	Environmental Programs and Management	\$0	N/A	\$50 million ⁱⁱ
Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act (DOI/FWS)	Resource Management / Fish and Aquatic Conservation / Aquatic Habitat and Species Conservation	\$3 million	\$0	\$8 million ⁱⁱⁱ
U.S. FWS Invasive Carp (DOI/FWS)	Resource Management	\$27 million	\$13.9 million	\$35 million
U.S.G.S. Invasive Carp (DOI/USGS)	Surveys, Investigations, and Research / Ecosystems	\$11 million	\$0	\$15 million
Great Lakes Science Center (DOI/USGS)	Surveys, Investigations, and Research / Ecosystems	\$15 million	Eliminated	\$15 million ^{iv}
<i>National</i>				
Clean Water State Revolving Fund (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance	\$1,639 million	\$155 million	\$4,889 million ^v
Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance	\$1,126 million	\$150 million	\$4,376 million ^{vi}
Sec. 221 Sewer Overflow and Stormwater Reuse Municipal Grants (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance	\$41 million	\$41 million	\$280 million ^{vii}
Household Decentralized Wastewater Grant Program (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance	\$0	\$0	\$50 million ^{viii}
Small and Disadvantaged Communities (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance Grants	\$28.5 million	\$20 million	\$140 million ^{ix}

Reducing Lead in Drinking Water (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance Grants	\$22 million	\$20 million	\$200 million
Water Infrastructure Workforce Development (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Infrastructure Assistance Grants	\$5.4 million	\$5 million	\$20 million
Sec. 106 Clean Water State Grants (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Categorical Grants	\$226.4 million	\$0	\$500 million
Sec. 319 Non-Point Pollution (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Categorical Grants	\$175.25 million	\$0	\$200 million ^x
Public Water System Supervision Grants (EPA)	State and Tribal Assistance Grants / Categorical Grants	\$117 million	\$0	\$250 million
Energy and Water				
Brandon Road Lock & Dam, Aquatic Nuisance Species Barrier (U.S. ACE)	Construction	\$28 million	N/A	Pending
Great Lakes Fishery and Ecosystem Restoration Program (U.S. ACE)	Construction	No detail	N/A	\$15 million
Great Lakes Tributary Model (U.S. ACE)	Operations and Maintenance/Regional Sediment Management Program	Sub-account: \$2 million	Sub-account: \$920,000	Sub-account: \$10 million
Chicago Sanitary Ship Canal Barrier (U.S. ACE)	Operations and Maintenance	\$12.979 million	\$5.383 million	Pending
Great Lakes Coastal Resiliency Study (U.S. ACE)	Investigations	\$3 million	N/A	\$4.45 million
Commerce, Justice, Science				
<i>Great Lakes</i>				
Great Lakes Environmental Research Lab (NOAA)	Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research / Ocean, Coastal, and Great Lakes Research / Laboratories and Cooperative Institutes	Sub-account: \$39.5 million	Eliminated	Sub-account: \$42 million

Great Lakes Observing System (NOAA)	National Ocean Service / Navigation, Observations, and Positioning / Integrated Ocean Observing System Regional Observations	Sub-account: \$47.5 million	\$47.5 million	Sub-account: \$56 million
<i>National</i>				
Sea Grant (NOAA)	Ocean, Coastal, and Great Lakes Research / National Sea Grant College Program	\$80 million	Eliminated	\$120.4 million ^{xi}
Coastal Zone Management Grants (NOAA)	National Ocean Service / Ocean and Coast Management and Services	\$81.5 million	Eliminated	\$118.7 million
Marine Debris Program (NOAA)	National Ocean Service / Office of Response and Restoration	\$10.5 million	N/A	\$20 million
Harmful Algal Blooms (NOAA)	National Ocean Service / Coastal Science and Assessment / Competitive Research	Sub-account: \$20 million	Eliminated ^{xii}	Sub-account: \$42 million
Sanctuaries and Marine Protected Areas (NOAA)	National Ocean Service/Ocean and Coastal Management and Services	\$67 million	\$40 million	\$106.5 million
National Oceans and Coastal Security Fund (NOAA)	National Ocean Service/Ocean and Coastal Management and Services	\$32 million	Eliminated	\$34 million
State Foreign Ops				
Great Lakes Fishery Commission (State Department)	International Fisheries Commission	\$52.4 million	\$39 million	\$45.1 million

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ⁱ As proposed by the GLRI Act of 2025 (H.R. 284/S.528), \$500 million annually in FY2027 through FY2031.

ⁱⁱ As originally authorized by the Frank LoBiondo Coast Guard Authorization Act of 2018 (Sec. 903(g); P.L. 115-282), \$50 million per year through FY2023.

ⁱⁱⁱ As authorized by the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Reauthorization Act of 2022 through 2028 (P.L. 117-287)), \$8 million per year.

^{iv} As authorized by the Great Lakes Fishery Research Reauthorization Act (P.L. 119-67), \$15 million per year through FY2030.

^v As authorized by the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Sec. 50210 & Division J, Title VI, Sec. 614; P.L. 117-58), \$4.889 billion for FY2026.

^{vi} As authorized by the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Sec. 50102 & Division J, Title VI, Sec. 614; P.L. 117-58), \$4.376 billion for FY2026.

^{vii} As authorized by the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Sec. 50204; P.L. 117-58), \$280 million per year through FY2026.

^{viii} As authorized by the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Sec. 50208; P.L. 117-58), \$50 million per year through FY2026.

^{ix} As authorized by the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Sec. 50104; P.L. 117-58), \$140 million for FY2026.

^x As authorized by Sec. 8502 by the James M. Inhofe National Defense Reauthorization Act of 2023 (P.L. 117-263) at \$200 million through 2027. And as proposed by the Local Water Protection Act (H.R. 7376) reauthorizing the program at \$200 million annually for FY2027 through FY2031.

^{xi} The National Sea Grant College Program Amendments Act of 2020 (P.L. 116-221) authorized \$105.7 million for FY2025, the request reflects this authorization with inflationary increases for the last two fiscal years.

^{xii} This budget will eliminate competitive grants to academic research institutions, non-governmental organizations, and other partners. NOAA will continue to provide approximately \$4.0 million to support critical operational Harmful Algal Bloom (HAB) forecasts.