



2024 Hub Summit

April 24, 2024

Agency Overview | Kansas Department of Agriculture

The **Kansas Department of Agriculture** (KDA) is responsible for the regulation of allocation of water including the state's water right system as well as ensuring public safety related to dams and other water structures. KDA cost shares on repair of dam construction and rehabilitation as well as conservation measures. KDA is a SubCabinet member of the **Kansas Infrastructure Hub**.

Dam Rehabilitation and Repair Programs:

- State High Hazard Potential Dam Rehabilitation
 - \$3 million allocated from state water plan funds in current fiscal year
 - Cost share cap of \$500,000 per project at up to 80% state funding
 - Financial assistance for engineering capped at up to 20% of total rehab costs
 - Opened on February 1 and closed on April 15
 - A little over \$5 million in requests, \$2,994,423 approved
- \$3 million in watershed dam construction and rehabilitation allocated in next fiscal year

Agency Program | KDA – Division of Conservation

			Cost-Share	
WS #	H / C	OWNER/SPONSOR	Funding	Cumul
1	H4	CITY OF PAOLA	\$500,000	\$500,000
2	H4	SUGAR VALLEY LAKE HA	\$98,400	\$598,400
3	H2	JUNCTION CITY	\$500,000	\$1,098,400
4	H4	TANGLEWOOD LAKE H A	\$139,200	\$1,237,600
5	H4	TANGLEWOOD LAKE H A	\$62,400	\$1,300,000
6	H2	LAKE ELBO	\$200,000	\$1,500,000
7	H4	PAWNEE WJD 81 (MPD 4-10)	\$350,982	\$1,850,982
8	H3	ROCK CREEK WD 45 SITE 59	\$430,064	\$2,281,046
9	H4	CITY OF PARSONS	\$213,377	\$2,494,423
10	H1	KCC PROPERTY LLC	\$500,000	\$2,994,423
TOTAL =			\$2,994,423	

Federal Programs | Kansas Department of Agriculture

Federal Emergency Management Agency:

- Rehabilitation of High Hazard Potential Dam Grant
 - \$185.1 million allocated from BIL funds in current fiscal year
 - Opened on November 6, 2023, and closed on February 29, 2024
 - At least two entities applied for grants during this cycle
 - Requirements are HHPD, with and approved emergency action plan, failing to meet standards and poses an unacceptable risk
- Anticipate similar funding level and application deadlines this fall

US Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service:

\$25 million Regional Conservation Partnership Program focused on Ogallala High Plains conservation

US Department of Interior, Bureau of Reclamation:

Water SMART grants for water efficiency, recycling, reuse, and improved metering