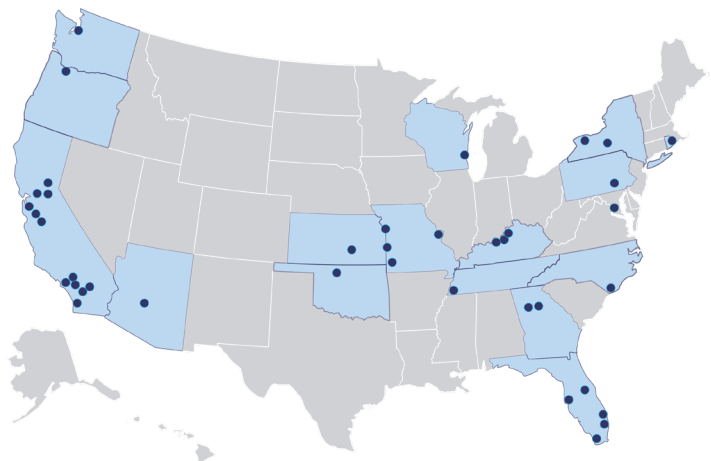


**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** As part of the Clean Water Program – a joint effort between the City of San Mateo and City of Foster City – the Wastewater Treatment Plant will be modified to replace and repair aging infrastructure, provide capacity for wet weather flows, eliminate effluent blending, produce a higher quality effluent, enhance system reliability, and support sustainability goals. The upgrade will include new treatment facilities to meet more stringent National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit limits, including nutrient removal, and support future water reuse. It also includes new on-site flow equalization capacity to manage wastewater during storms. The purpose of the project is to meet current regulatory requirements outlined in the 2009 Cease and Desist Consent Decree Order to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows and the NPDES permit to eliminate blending. In addition, the project will meet future regulatory requirements for nutrients and provide water reuse opportunities.

**NUMBER OF PEOPLE IMPACTED:**  
22 million in 16 states and Washington, D.C.



Selected borrowers must apply for a WIFIA loan, pass a final creditworthiness assessment, negotiate a mutually agreeable term sheet, and execute a credit agreement to receive WIFIA financing. An invitation to apply indicates that EPA believes the selected projects will be able to attain WIFIA loans.