Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Funding Availability Announcement

For Nez Perce Tribal Members and Nez Perce Tribal Entities

November 10, 2026

The Nez Perce Tribe is pleased to announce the availability of Snake River Basin Adjudication funding for the following areas under the Snake River Water Rights Act of 2004 (Public Law 108-447, 118 Stat. 3431 *et seq.*):

Water and Fisheries Fund – The Water and Fisheries Fund has been suspended for a period of one year. The funding has been allocated in the tribal budgeting process and no further applications will be considered.

Domestic Water Supply Fund – The Domestic Water Supply Fund has been suspended for a period of one year. The funding has been allocated in the tribal budgeting process and no further applications will be considered.

Fish Habitat Account – The Fish Habitat Account may only be used "to supplement amounts made available under any other law for habitat protection and restoration in the Salmon and Clearwater River Basins in Idaho, including projects and programs intended to protect and restore listed fish and their habitat in those basins."

Application Information – Applications will be available beginning November 12, 2026. Requests must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 9, 2026, from Nez Perce Tribal Entities and enrolled Nez Perce Tribal Members. Applications may be emailed to executive.director@nezperce.org, mailed to the Executive Director's Office, Nez Perce Tribe, P.O. Box 365, Lapwai, ID 83540, or hand delivered to the Executive Director's Office.

Funding Year – March 1st through February 28th.

NOTE: Applications are required as black and white copy only. Incomplete or late applications and those that exceed the page limit and/or include color will be automatically returned without consideration.

All recipients must agree to acknowledge the Nez Perce Tribe in any public statements and to complete an annual report on the use of the funds awarded. The Nez Perce Tribe reserves the right to reject any request partially or in its entirety. All awards are subject to the availability of funds.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Catherine Big Man at extension 3670, (208) 621-3670 or email catherineb@nezperce.org.