# COLORADO RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY FUNDING PARTNERSHIP

In 2021, the Colorado River District announced its Community Funding Partnership, its goal being to fund multi-purpose water projects on the Western Slope in five project categories:

#### **Productive Agriculture**

### Watershed Health & Water Quality

#### **Healthy Rivers**

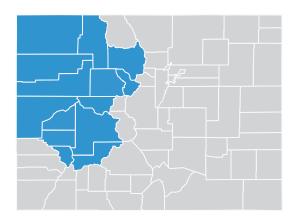
Infrastructure

**Conservation & Efficiency** 

Funding for the program was approved by Western Colorado voters as part of ballot question 7A in November 2020. These funds provide a catalyst for projects that are priorities for residents in the District to receive matching funds from state, federal and private sources.

## WHO CAN APPLY?

A project proponent within the District's 15-county boundary is eligible to apply for the funding. Project proponents include stakeholders such as individuals, local governments, corporations, private entities such as mutual ditch companies, non-profit corporations, and partnerships.



### WHAT TYPES OF PROJECTS QUALIFY FOR FUNDING?

Multi-use projects that advance the River District's mission to protect and conserve water on the West Slope. Completed projects are not eligible for funding.

## **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

- 1. Review the <u>Community Funding Partnership Guidelines</u>, <u>Community Funding</u> <u>Partnership Framework</u>, <u>Application</u> and <u>Budget Worksheet</u> prior to applying for and/or consulting with District Staff.
- 2. Contact the River District at <u>partnerfunding@crwcd.org</u> to arrange for a pre-application meeting about your proposed application.
- 3. Submit a completed application and all supporting documentation by email to <u>partnerfunding@crwcd.org</u>. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

LEARN MORE: <u>COLORADORIVERDISTRICT.ORG/COMMUNITY-FUNDING-PARTNERSHIP</u>

#### SECURING THE FUTURE FOR WEST SLOPE WATER