The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requires that federal agencies consider the potential environmental impacts of their actions before implementation or spending funds on the proposed project. Applicants must complete this NEPA Intake Form as part of your SCRC full application. Please provide attachments to support the information provided on this form, as needed.

<u>Note:</u> Completion of this form does not satisfy NEPA. The information will assist SCRC in determining what NEPA analysis will be required. If your project is funded, the NEPA process must be complete before SCRC will issue a Notice to Proceed.

Entity applying for funding:				
Point of contact (POC) Name:			Date:	
POC Phone:			POC Email:	
Project Name:				
	er state/federal funding? (See two rows below unders here and provide agency POC contact infor		he space provided below is not	☐ Yes ☐ No
Agency #1:	Agency #2:	Agency #3:	Agency #3:	
Funding Program:	Funding Program:	Funding Prog	gram:	
POC Name:	POC Name:	POC Name:		
Email:	Email:	Email:	n 4 04	
	receiving other federal/state funding (b te/federal funders, the funding program (in		= -	☐ Yes ☐ No
Is a NEPA process currently please fill in the following infort Federal Agency:  POC at Agency:	underway or complete for this project a mation:	as required by <u>other fed</u>	eral funding? If yes,	☐ Yes ☐ No
POC Email Address & Phone Number:				
Status of NEPA (e.g., in prog	ress, complete):			

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Are there any other environmental review processes, consultations, or permits underway? If yes, please fill in the following information: Agency: POC at Agency: POC Email Address: Status (e.g., in progress, complete):	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Are there any other ongoing or planned projects in the proposed project area? If yes, please describe these projects:	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Is this project dependent on the completion of another project and/or are there any other projects that cannot move forward without the completion of this project?  If yes, please provide a brief description of these other projects (include attachment if the space provided below is not sufficient):	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Has any public outreach or engagement work been done for this project?  If yes, please provide a brief description of this work:	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Is there any known or anticipated public controversy that would result from the implementation of the project activities (i.e., a public dispute over the proposed land use)? If yes, please provide more information:	☐ Yes ☐ No		
What is the anticipated timeline for starting project implementation? Please note, SCRC does not allow projects to begin before a Notice to Proceed, which will not be issued until NEPA obligations have been satisfied. The anticipated start date indicated here should be after the project anticipates receiving a Notice to Proceed.			

Project Description
Location of the proposed action (address, GPS coordinates, or KMZ file. A KMZ file is a location file that can be made in Google Earth):
The project description provided here should be different from the description provided previously in the SCRC Grant Application. For the purposes of NEPA, the project description should focus on what will physically be taking place in order to carry out the proposed project. If applicable and available, please provide site photos as an attachment to this form. Please include all components of the project, including those that are <i>not</i> funded by SCRC.
For example, if your project involves the renovation of an existing facility to repurpose the space to be used as a business incubator space, you should provide details of what renovation activities will be taking place (ex. demolition of walls to update the existing layout, installing new equipment, electrical upgrades, and any exterior/landscaping that may be part of the scope of work, including if any vegetation will be removed), the amount of square footage that will be renovated, and the anticipated timeframe of construction. If your project does not involve construction, you should detail specifically what the SCRC funds would be paying for and what will take place as a result. For example, if your project is providing technical assistance to small dairy farmers to support the transition to organic products, you would note that SCRC funds would pay for consultants and that technical assistance would consist of performing site visits to dairy farms, developing recommendation reports for farmers, and performing associated administrative tasks.

#### **Additional Project Questions:**

Questions	Answer	Explanation
Will any digging or excavation occur during the project?	Yes	
[If so, please explain the nature of this activity and the estimated depth]	□No	
	Unsure	
Does the project involve work to existing structure(s)?	Yes	
[If so, please describe the age of the structure]	☐ No	
	Unsure	
Have there been any known flooding events in or near the project	Yes	
location?	☐ No	
[If so, please explain]	Unsure	
Will any trees be removed during the project?	Yes	
[If so, please provide the number (or acreage) of trees to be removed]	☐ No	
	Unsure	
Are there any schools, residences, libraries, hospitals, or other	Yes	
care facilities near the project site?	□No	
[If so, please describe and approximate the distance to the project site]	Unsure	
Please describe the type of construction equipment that will be used	during the project.	
Please provide the anticipated months for construction (e.g., May–O	ct).	
If the project involves the acquisition, repair, improvement, reconstruction, public facilities and improvements, please provide the estimated change in the facility (e.g., replacement of water or sewer lines, reconstruction of currepaving of streets, restoring a building).	n size or capacity of	