What Projects Are Covered By AIS?

Project Coverage:

- All treatment works projects funded by a CWSRF assistance agreement.
- All public water system projects funded by a DWSRF assistance agreement.
- AIS requirement applies to the entirety of the project, no matter when construction begins or ends. Additionally, the AIS requirement applies to all parts of the project, no matter the source of funding.

Project Exemptions:

 Any Clean Water non-point source project is exempt from AIS requirements.

Plans and Specifications Exclusion:

- Any project, whether a treatment works project or a public water system project, for which engineering plans and specifications were approved by the responsible state agency prior to January 17, 2014, is excluded from the AIS requirements;
- Clean Water projects for which plans and specifications were approved prior to June 10, 2014 (the enactment of WRRDA) and an assistance agreement signed on or after October 1, 2014 are excluded from the AIS requirements; and
- Drinking Water projects for which plans and specifications were approved prior to December 16, 2014 (the enactment of Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015) and an assistance agreement was signed on or after December 16, 2014 are excluded from AIS requirements.