

## What is the EFIN Infoline?

Through the EFIN Infoline you can simply call our EFIN librarian who will be happy to assist you. He will help you with locating environmental financing information, people and organizations to contact, as well as mail you available information.

You can reach our

Internet Librarian at :

(202) 564-4994 or

E-mail request at : [efin@epa.gov](mailto:efin@epa.gov) or

Fax at: (202) 565-2587

How does EFIN work with the other aspects of the Environmental Finance Program?

- The Environmental Financial Advisory Board and the Environmental Finance Centers have many of their publications and reports loaded on the EFIN website.
- The Environmental Finance Centers use EFIN as a way of providing finance information to the public.



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# Environmental Finance Information Network

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at  
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## What Is the Environmental Finance Information Network?

The Environmental Finance Information Network (EFIN) is an internet-based website offering electronic access to many types of environmental financing alternatives.

## Who manages EFIN?

EFIN is managed by the EPA's Environmental Finance Program, located in the Office of the Comptroller within the Office of the Chief Financial Officer. The Environmental Finance Program addresses the challenge of paying for environmental facilities, services, and activities. The program provides advice to EPA on finance issues, trends and opportunities; and financial outreach services to state and local governments and the private sector.

The program operates through three activities:

- The Environmental Financial Advisory Board (EFAB)
- The Environmental Finance Center Network (EFCN)
- EPA In-House Services

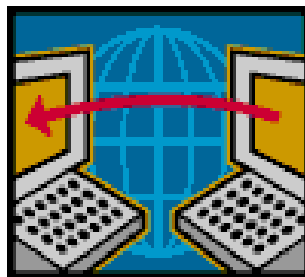
EFIN serves the Environmental Finance Program by providing on-line access to full text copies of EFAB reports and advisories, offering a central focal point for the EFC Network, including contact information for individual centers, linking to environmental finance tools and funding sources, including the "Guidebook of Financial Tools," and publicizing EFP activities and work products.

The Environmental Finance Program main page is on the World Wide Web at:

<http://www.epa.gov/efinpage>

## What types of information and services are available on the EFIN website?

- A comprehensive description of the Environmental Finance Program, it's services, publications and reports
- A collection of abstracts of finance publications, reports and programs
- News articles, finance legislation and proceedings
- Complete case studies, reports publications and finance guides and handbooks.
- Referrals to people and organizations
- Referral service for public inquiries, forwarding calls and e-mails to relevant contacts for response.



## Who can benefit from EFIN?

Federal, state, local government and private sector officials can all benefit from EFIN.

## What services does EFIN provide?

EFIN provides information on financing alternatives, especially for state and local environmental programs and small businesses.

EFIN services include:

- Managing the Environmental Finance Program Web Site
- A phone-in info-line and contact referral service
- A comprehensive data base of information and reports

## How can I access the EFIN Web Site?

The EFIN web site is on the EFP home page at:

<http://www.epa.gov/efinpage/efin.htm>

