Benefit Measurement Techniques and Criteria

The type of information required will depend largely on the type of PPA, but the following sources of information will provide guides to the different methodologies to use. There can be more than one methodology appropriate to a type of project. Applicants are encouraged to select the one most fitting for their project.

Helpful information can be found on the following sources:

* Updated Principles, Requirements and Guidelines for Water and Land Related Resources Implementation Studies at <https://www.whitehouse.gov/administration/eop/ceq/initiatives/PandG>
* Water Resources Council. (1983). *Economic and Environmental Principles and Guidelines for Water and Related Land Resources Implementation Studies*. Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office. Available as PDF.
* Nebraska Resources Development Fund Guidelines at <http://nrc.nebraska.gov/nrdf-guidelines-january-2000--updated-february-2009-for-title-256-regulations-governing-the-administration-of-the-resources-development-fund>
* EPA Economic Analysis information at <http://yosemite.epa.gov/ee/epa/eed.nsf/webpages/RegulatoryEconomicAnalysisAtEPA.html>
* USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service at <http://www.nass.usda.gov>
* Wetlands and Agriculture: Private Interests and Public Benefits at <http://www.ers.usda.gov/publications/aer-agricultural-economic-report/aer765.aspx>
* Ecosystem Valuation at <http://www.ecosystemvaluation.org/default.htm>