

Congressman Joe Kennedy

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MASSACHUSETTS 4TH DISTRICT

July 2015

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Apr 13, 2015 Live Webinar: Prepare a Winning NSF SBIR/STTR Proposal Application

SBIR

The SBIR Program

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program is a highly competitive program that encourages domestic small businesses to engage in Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D) that has the potential for commercialization. Through a competitive awards-based program, SBIR enables small businesses to explore their technological potential and provides the incentive to profit from its commercialization. By including qualified small businesses in the nation's R&D arena, high-tech innovation is stimulated and the United States gains entrepreneurial spirit as it meets its specific research and development needs.

SBIR NewsLetter

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Consumer Product Safety Commission
Pool Safety Grant Program
Modifications 1 & 2

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: CP-VGB-16-001
Funding Opportunity Title: Pool Safety Grant Program
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Consumer Protection
Education
Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Category Explanation: none
Expected Number of Awards: 15
CFDA Number(s): 87.002 -- Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: May 21, 2015
Creation Date: May 22, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 19, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 19, 2015
Archive Date: Sep 18, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$250,000
Award Floor: \$0
Eligible Applicants: County governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
City or township governments
State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applicants shall demonstrate to CPSC satisfaction that the applicant has a state or local law that meets the requirements specified in Sections 1405 and 1406 of the VGB Act (15 U.S.C. Sections 8004 and 8005). The VGB Act can be accessed at: www.poolsafely.gov/pool-spa-safety-act/read/. Additional information regarding the PSGP can be accessed at: <http://www.poolsafely.gov/grants/vgbfy16/>.

Agency Name: Consumer Product Safety Commission
Description: In accordance with the Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act (VGB Act), the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) is accepting applications for the Fiscal Year 2016 Pool Safety Grant Program (PSGP). The purpose

of this program is to prevent the drowning and drain entrapments of children in pools and spas. The PSGP seeks to provide state and local governments with assistance for prevention education and enforcement of pool safety requirements.

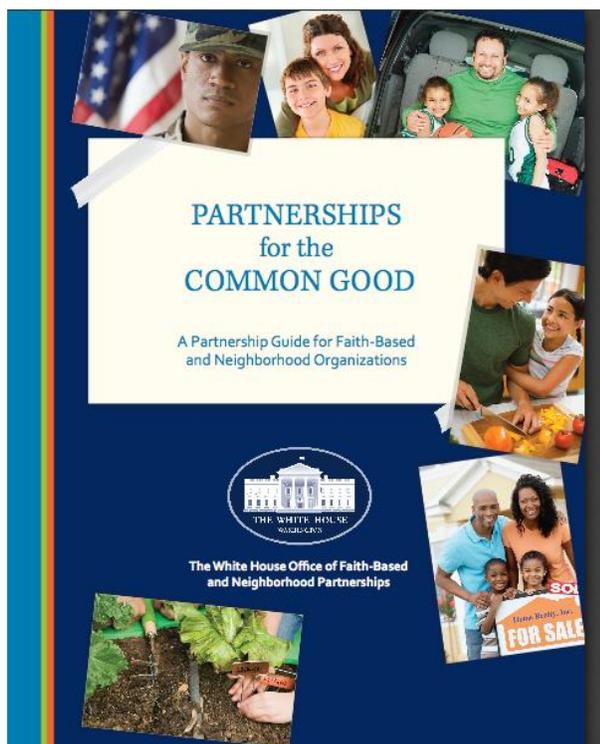
<http://www.poolsafely.gov/grants/vgbfy16/>

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Ann Piesen Grant Manager Office of
Communications U.S. Consumer Product
Safety Commission PH 301-504-7261
[Grant Manager](#)

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276767>



This Manual for faith-based organizations is an excellent guide to review and use.

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/faithbasedtoolkit.pdf>

Reminders:

Please review each department's General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency's funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Program Summaries

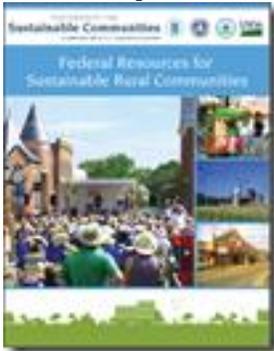
U.S. Department of Agriculture



Grants and Loans Overview

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS

USDA posts rural funding guide for local governments



The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities.

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental

Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. [The resource guide can be accessed here.](#)

Tools and Key Resources

One of the goals of the Partnership for Sustainable Communities is to help communities develop and support neighborhoods that provide transportation choices and affordable housing while increasing economic competitiveness and directing resources toward places with existing infrastructure.

To help support these communities, the Partnership agencies compiled this list of useful tools and key resources. All of the resources here have been developed by or sponsored by Partnership agencies. Click on the categories in the sidebar on the right to access these materials.

Rural Communities

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life.

[Supporting Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 52p 3MB)

Produced by the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and USDA, this report features case studies showcasing rural accomplishments, sample funding and technical assistance opportunities, and performance measures rural communities can use to assess their progress.

[Putting Smart Growth to Work in Rural Communities](#)

Focuses on smart growth strategies that can help guide growth in rural areas while protecting natural and working lands and preserving the rural character of existing communities.

[US Department of Agriculture Rural Development Program](#)

Provides resources, tools, and programs to assist communities with improving the economy and quality of life in rural America.

[US Department of Agriculture Atlas of Rural and Small Town America](#)

An interactive data tool to view statistics on people, jobs, and agriculture in your community.

[Rural Transportation Planning Resources](#)

Key Resources Links

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Department of Housing and Urban Development
Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities



Department of Transportation
Office of Transportation Policy



Environmental Protection Agency

<http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html>



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Grants and Loans

Visit the Federal Trade Commission's Identify Theft Website

This FTC website to help you deter, detect, and defend against identity theft. You can learn how to avoid theft, or learn what to do if your identity is stolen.

Farm Loans

FSA makes direct and guaranteed farm ownership and operating loans to family-size farmers and ranchers who cannot obtain commercial credit from a bank, Farm Credit System institution, or other lender. FSA loans can be used to purchase land, livestock, equipment, feed, seed, and supplies. Loans can also be used to construct buildings or make farm improvements.

Housing Assistance

USDA provides homeownership opportunities to low- and moderate-income rural Americans through several loan, grant, and loan guarantee programs. The programs also make funding available to individuals to finance vital improvements necessary to make their homes decent, safe, and sanitary. USDA Multi-Family Housing Programs offer Rural Rental Housing Loans to provide affordable multi-family rental housing for very low-, low-, and moderate-income families; the elderly; and persons with disabilities. In addition, rental assistance is available to eligible families.

Rural Development Loan Assistance

USDA Rural Development forges partnerships with rural communities, funding projects that bring housing, community facilities, business guarantees, utilities and other services to rural America. USDA provides technical assistance and financial backing for rural businesses and cooperatives to create quality jobs in rural areas. Rural Development promotes the President's National Energy Policy and ultimately the nation's energy security by engaging the entrepreneurial spirit of rural America in the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency improvements. Rural Development works with low-income individuals, State, local and Indian tribal governments, as well as private and nonprofit organizations and user-owned cooperatives.

Utility Services

USDA supports deployment of reliable and affordable water, waste treatment, electric power and telecommunications services, including broadband, to help rural areas expand economic opportunities and improve the quality of life for rural residents. Rural Development provides funding opportunities in the form of payments, grants, loans, and loan guarantees, for the development and commercialization of vital utility services. These programs revitalize rural communities with a variety of improvements, and create sustainable opportunities for wealth, new jobs, and increased economic activity in rural America.

Crop and Livestock Insurance

USDA helps producers manage their business risks. The mission of USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) is to promote, support, and regulate sound risk management solutions to preserve and strengthen the economic stability of America's agricultural producers. As part of this mission, RMA operates and manages the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

RMA has three divisions: Insurance Services, Product Management, and Risk Compliance. Seventeen private-sector insurance companies sell and service the policies. RMA develops and/or approves the premium rate, administers premium and expense subsidies, approves and supports products, and reinsures the companies. RMA also sponsors educational and outreach programs and seminars on the general topic of risk.

Federal State Marketing Improvement Program

This matching grant program, also known as FSMIP, provides matching funds to State Departments of Agriculture and other appropriate State agencies to assist in exploring new market opportunities for food and agricultural products, and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the marketing system.

Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

The SCBGP funds can be requested to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops. Specialty crops are defined as fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, and nursery crops (including floriculture).

The Farmers Market Promotion Program

The FMPP was created through a recent amendment of the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1976. The grants, authorized by the FMPP, are targeted to help improve and expand domestic farmers markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities.

Organic Cost Share Program

AMS administers two organic certification cost share programs. Each program provides cost share assistance, through participating States, to organic producers and/or organic handlers. Recipients must receive initial certification or continuation of certification from a USDA accredited certifying agent (ACA).

Last Date Modified: 12/31/2013

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS

Programs:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Food and Agricultural Sciences National Needs Graduate and Postgraduate Fellowship (NNF) Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-HEP-005276

Funding Opportunity Title:

Food and Agricultural Sciences National Needs Graduate and Postgraduate Fellowship (NNF) Grants Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 10.210 -- Higher Education - Graduate Fellowships Grant Program

CFDA Number(s): 10.210 -- Higher Education - Graduate Fellowships Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Jun 30, 2015

Creation Date: Jun 30, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 19, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 19, 2015

Archive Date: Sep 18, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,240,000

Award Ceiling: \$262,500

Award Floor: \$4,500

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Pursuant to section 1417 of the NARETPA of 1977 (7 U.S.C. 3152), and administrative provisions that can be found in 7 CFR 3402 applications may be submitted by: (1) Land-grant institutions including the University of the District of Columbia; (2) Colleges and universities having significant minority enrollments and a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food and agricultural sciences; and (3) Other colleges and universities having a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food, and agricultural sciences.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description: This grant program supports: (1) training students for Master's and doctoral degrees in food, agricultural and natural resource sciences, and; (2) Special International Study or Thesis/Dissertation Research Travel Allowances (IRTA) for eligible USDA NNF beneficiaries. Awards are specifically intended to support traineeship programs that engage outstanding students to pursue and complete their degrees in USDA mission areas. Applicants provide clarity about the philosophy of their graduate training, and relevance to USDA mission sciences, NIFA priorities and national science education policies and statistics. Applications are being solicited from institutions that confer a graduate degree in at least one of the following Targeted Expertise Shortage Areas: 1) animal and plant production; 2) forest resources; 3) agricultural educators and communicators; 4) agricultural management and economics; 5) food science and human nutrition; 6) sciences for agricultural

biosecurity; and 7) training in integrative biosciences for sustainable food and agricultural systems.

Link to Additional Information:

[Food and Agricultural Sciences National Needs Graduate and Postgraduate Fellowship \(NNF\) Grants Program](#)

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

NIFA Help Desk Phone: 202-401-5048
Business hours are M-F, 7:00 am -5:00 pm ET, excluding Federal holidays
[If you have any questions related to preparing application content](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277563>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase I Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-SBIR-005277
Funding Opportunity Title:	Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase I
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.212 -- Small Business Innovation Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jul 2, 2015
Creation Date:	Jul 2, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Oct 8, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Oct 8, 2015
Archive Date:	Nov 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See section 1.4 on the RFA.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	Proposed Phase I projects should prove the scientific or technical feasibility of the approach or concept. Projects dealing with agriculturally related manufacturing and alternative and renewable energy technologies are encouraged

across all SBIR topic areas. USDA SBIR's flexible research areas ensure innovative projects consistent with USDA's vision of a healthy and productive nation in harmony with the land, air, and water. USDA SBIR Program has awarded over 2000 research and development projects since 1983, allowing hundreds of small businesses to explore their technological potential, and providing an incentive to profit from the commercialization of innovative ideas.

Link to Additional Information:

[Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase II](#)

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Risk Management Agency
Risk Management Education
Crop Insurance Education in Targeted States Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-TS-RMED-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	Crop Insurance Education in Targeted States
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	50
CFDA Number(s):	10.458 -- Crop Insurance Education in Targeted States
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jul 1, 2015
Creation Date:	Jun 30, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 14, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 14, 2015
Archive Date:	Sep 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$700,000
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

ALL APPLICANTS MUST SUBMIT THEIR APPLICATION THROUGH THE RESULTS VERIFICATION SYSTEM. APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED THROUGH GRANTS.GOV WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. The link to the Results Verification System is <http://rvs.umn.edu/Home.aspx>

Agency Name:

Risk Management Education

Description:

The purpose of the Targeted States program is to deliver crop insurance education and information to U.S. agricultural producers in States where there is traditionally, and continues to be a low level of Federal crop insurance participation and availability, and producers are underserved by the Federal crop insurance program. These states, defined as Targeted States for the purposes of this RFA are Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, and Wyoming.

Link to Additional Information:

[Results Verification System](#)

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Risk Management Education Division 202-720-0779

[Risk Management Education Division](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277582>

Risk Management Agency

Risk Management Education

Risk Management Education Partnership Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-PP-RMED-2015

Funding Opportunity Title:

Risk Management Education Partnership Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

250

CFDA Number(s):

10.460 -- Risk Management Education Partnerships

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jul 1, 2015

Creation Date: Jun 30, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 14, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 14, 2015
Archive Date: Sep 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$2,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$99,999
Award Floor: \$20,000
Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

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Agency Name: Risk Management Education
Description: The purpose of this cooperative agreement program is to deliver crop insurance education and risk management training to U.S. agricultural producers to assist them in identifying and managing production, marketing, legal, financial, and human risk.

Link to Additional Information: [Results Verification System](#)
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Risk Management Education Division 202-720-0779

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Food and Agricultural Sciences National Needs Graduate and Postgraduate Fellowship (NNF) Grants Program

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-HEP-005276
Funding Opportunity Title: Food and Agricultural Sciences National Needs Graduate and Postgraduate Fellowship (NNF) Grants Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 10.210 -- Higher Education - Graduate Fellowships Grant Program

CFDA Number(s): 10.210 -- Higher Education - Graduate Fellowships Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Jun 30, 2015

Creation Date: Jun 30, 2015

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Modifications:

Business and Cooperative Programs
Rural Cooperative Development Grant
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Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

RDBCP-RCDG-2015

Funding Opportunity Title:

Rural Cooperative Development Grant

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Business and Commerce

Category Explanation:

The primary objective of the RCDG program is to improve the economic condition of rural areas by assisting individuals or entities in the startup, expansion or operational improvement of rural cooperatives and other business entities. Grants are awarded competitively on an annual basis to Rural Cooperative Development Centers who in turn provide technical assistance to individuals and entities.

Expected Number of Awards:

85

CFDA Number(s):

10.771 -- Rural Cooperative Development Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Jun 15, 2015

Creation Date:

Jun 17, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 27, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 27, 2015
Archive Date: Aug 26, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$5,800,000
Award Ceiling: \$200,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: You must be a nonprofit corporation or an institution of higher education to apply for this program. Public bodies and individuals cannot apply for this program.
Agency Name: Business and Cooperative Programs
Description: The primary objective of the RCDG program is to improve the economic condition of rural areas by assisting individuals or entities in the startup, expansion or operational improvement of rural cooperatives and other business entities. Grants are awarded competitively on an annual basis to Rural Cooperative Development Centers who in turn provide technical assistance to individuals and entities.
Link to Additional Information: [Program Website](#)
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Program Manager Phone 202-690-1376
[Program Contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277223>

Reminders:

Utilities Programs
Rural Community Development Initiative Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-RD-HCFP-RCDI-2015
Funding Opportunity Title: Rural Community Development Initiative
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Community Development

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards: 50
CFDA Number(s): 10.446 -- Rural Community Development Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes
Posted Date: May 26, 2015

Creation Date:	May 26, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 13, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 13, 2015
Archive Date:	Nov 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments Small businesses Private institutions of higher education Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities For profit organizations other than small businesses Independent school districts Special district governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	The Intermediary will be required to provide matching funds in an amount at least equal to the RCDI grant. The respective minimum and maximum grant amount per Intermediary is \$50,000.00 and \$250,000.00. The Recipient and Beneficiary, but not the Intermediary, must be located in a city or town that has a population of 50,000 or less inhabitants.
Agency Name:	Utilities Programs
Description:	Qualified private, nonprofit and public including tribal intermediary organizations proposing to carry out financial and technical assistance programs will be eligible to receive the funding. The Intermediary will be required to provide matching funds in an amount at least equal to the RCDI grant. The respective minimum and maximum grant amount per Intermediary is \$50,000 and \$250,000. The Intermediary must provide a program of financial and technical assistance to recipients to develop their capacity and ability to undertake projects related to

housing, community facilities, or community and economic development that will support the community.

Link to Additional Information:
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Specialty Crop Research Initiative/Citrus Disease Research and Extension Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-SCRI-004959
Funding Opportunity Title:	Specialty Crop Research Initiative/Citrus Disease Research and Extension
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.309 -- Specialty Crop Research Initiative
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Apr 1, 2015
Creation Date:	Apr 1, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 14, 2015 Complete, pre-applications must be received by 5:00 pm Eastern Time on June 1, 2015. Complete, invited full applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on August 14, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 14, 2015 Complete, pre-applications must be received by 5:00 pm Eastern Time on June 1, 2015. Complete, invited full applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on August 14, 2015.
Archive Date:	Sep 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$23,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	For SCRI/CDRE, applications may be submitted by Federal agencies, national laboratories, colleges and universities, research institutions and organizations, private organizations or corporations, State Agricultural Experiment Stations, individuals, or groups consisting of two or more of these entities.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description:

The Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI) Citrus Disease Research and Extension Program (CDRE) is authorized in the Agricultural Act of 2014 (H.R. 2642) to award grants to eligible entities to conduct research and extension activities, technical assistance and development activities to: (a) combat citrus diseases and pests, both domestic and invasive and including huanglongbing and the Asian citrus psyllid, which pose imminent harm to United States citrus production and threaten the future viability of the citrus industry; and (b) provide support for the dissemination and commercialization of relevant information, techniques, and technologies discovered pursuant to research and extension activities funded through SCRI/CDRE and other research and extension projects targeting problems caused by citrus production diseases and invasive pests.

Link to Additional Information:

[Specialty Crop Research Initiative/Citrus Disease Research and Extension](#)

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**National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Biomass Research and Development Initiative Grant**

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-9008-004957

Funding Opportunity Title:

Biomass Research and Development Initiative

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

10.312 -- Biomass Research and Development Initiative
Competitive Grants Program (BRDI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Feb 26, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 26, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015,

Current Closing Date for Applications: 5:00 PM Eastern Time.
Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time.

Archive Date: Aug 26, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,700,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: All entities listed under Section 9008(e)(5) of FSRIA, as amended (7 U.S.C. 8108(e)(5)), are eligible to apply. Eligible entities are: (A) An institution of higher education; (B) A National Laboratory; (C) A Federal research agency; (D) A State research agency; (E) A private sector entity; (F) A nonprofit organization; or (G) A consortium of 2 or more entities described in (A) through (F) above.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description: The USDA's, National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA), Institute of Bioenergy, Climate, and Environment (IBCE) and the Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Golden Field Office, Bioenergy Technologies Office announce the interagency Program to support the development of a biomass-based industry in the United States, as originally established in Section 9001(a) of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (FCEA) (Pub. L. 110-246), re-authorized the Biomass Research and Development Initiative (BRDI) financial assistance program by amending section 9008 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (FSRIA), as amended, (Pub. L. 107-171) (7 U.S.C. 8108). Collaboration between DOE and USDA on BRDI is directed under section 9008(e)(1) of FSRIA, as amended. Additionally, DOE provides funds guided by certain administrative provisions of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 and the Energy Policy Act of 2005. Section 9008(e)(3) of FSRIA provides direction and guidance on the technical areas as described in BRDI. The technical areas are: (A) Feedstocks development, (B) Biofuels and biobased products development, and (C) Biofuels development analysis.

Link to Additional Information: [Biomass Research and Development Initiative](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004915
Funding Opportunity Title: Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s): 10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes
Posted Date: Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date: Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Current Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Archive Date: Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$116,000,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description: The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving

current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects, multi-function Integrated Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004918
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015 Letters of Intent must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 9, 2015. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 16, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015 Letters of Intent must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 9, 2015. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 16, 2015.
Archive Date:	Aug 15, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$30,000,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description: NIFA initiates a new challenge area to address critical water resources issues such as drought, excess soil moisture, flooding, quality and others in an agricultural context. Funding will be used to develop management practices, technologies, and tools for farmers, ranchers, forest owners and managers, public decision makers, public and private managers, and citizens to improve water resource quantity and quality. NIFA's approach will link social, economic, and behavioral sciences with traditional biophysical sciences and engineering to address regional-scale issues with shared hydrological processes and meteorological and basin characteristics.
Link to Additional Information: [Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area](#)
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Biomass Research and Development Initiative Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-9008-004957
Funding Opportunity Title: Biomass Research and Development Initiative
Opportunity Category: Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s): 10.312 -- Biomass Research and Development Initiative Competitive Grants Program (BRDI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes
Posted Date: Feb 26, 2015

Creation Date: Feb 26, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time.
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015, 5:00 PM Eastern Time.
Archive Date: Aug 26, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,700,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: All entities listed under Section 9008(e)(5) of FSRIA, as amended (7 U.S.C. 8108(e)(5)), are eligible to apply. Eligible entities are: (A) An institution of higher education; (B) A National Laboratory; (C) A Federal research agency; (D) A State research agency; (E) A private sector entity; (F) A nonprofit organization; or (G) A consortium of 2 or more entities described in (A) through (F) above.
Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description: The USDA's, National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA), Institute of Bioenergy, Climate, and Environment (IBCE) and the Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Golden Field Office, Bioenergy Technologies Office announce the interagency Program to support the development of a biomass-based industry in the United States, as originally established in Section 9001(a) of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (FCEA) (Pub. L. 110-246), re-authorized the Biomass Research and Development Initiative (BRDI) financial assistance program by amending section 9008 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (FSRIA), as amended, (Pub. L. 107-171) (7 U.S.C. 8108). Collaboration between DOE and USDA on BRDI is directed under section 9008(e)(1) of FSRIA, as amended. Additionally, DOE provides funds guided by certain administrative provisions of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 and the Energy Policy Act of 2005. Section 9008(e)(3) of FSRIA provides direction and guidance on the technical areas as described in BRDI. The technical areas are: (A) Feedstocks development, (B) Biofuels and biobased products development, and (C) Biofuels development analysis.
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program
Modifications 1& 2

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004915
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Mar 20, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$116,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description:

The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects, multi-function Integrated Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

Link to Additional Information:

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Natural Resources Conservation Service
Regional Conservation Partnership Program
Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NRCS-NHQ-RCPP-15-01

Funding Opportunity Title:

Regional Conservation Partnership Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Other

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Environment

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Other will be defined as "Partnership Agreements"

Expected Number of Awards:**CFDA Number(s):**

10.932 -- Regional Conservation Partnership Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 4, 2015

Creation Date:

May 4, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jul 8, 2015 CLOSING DATE: FOR SUBMISSION OF PRE-PROPOSALS

Current Closing Date for Applications:

ONLY. SELECTED APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO SUBMIT FULL PROPOSALS AT LATER DATE.

Jul 8, 2015 CLOSING DATE: FOR SUBMISSION OF PRE-PROPOSALS ONLY. SELECTED APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO SUBMIT FULL PROPOSALS AT LATER DATE.

Archive Date:

Jul 29, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$225,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$10,000,000

Eligible Applicants:

County governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
State governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Special district governments
City or township governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Private institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Please see announcement for additional eligible entities not listed.

Agency Name:

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Description:

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: NRCS is the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) conservation agency working with farmers, ranchers, and private forest landowners nationwide to identify and address natural resource objectives in balance with operational goals in order to benefit soil, water, wildlife, and related natural resources locally, regionally, and nationally. NRCS works in partnership with other entities to accelerate getting conservation on the ground. Through the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP), NRCS seeks to co-invest with partners in innovative, workable and cost-effective approaches to benefit farming, ranching, and forest operations, local economies, and the communities and resources in a watershed or other geographic area. RCPP partners develop project applications, as described in this notice, to address specific natural

resource objectives in a proposed area or region. Partnering organizations design, promote, implement, and evaluate the project outcomes. NRCS will select final RCPP projects following a two-phase application process that includes: (1) a pre-proposal application; and (2) a full proposal application. NRCS will assess and evaluate RCPP project applications against four criteria—solutions, contributions, innovation, and participation. The full proposal process is only open to applicants whose pre-proposal applications are selected by the agency to go forward from the pre-proposal stage. All RCPP applications become the property of NRCS for use in the administration of the program and will not be returned to the applicant. RCPP federal assistance is delivered in accordance with the authorities of the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP), Agricultural Conservation Easement Program (ACEP), and Healthy Forests Reserve Program (HFRP), and in certain geographic areas, the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention program. NRCS and partners implement RCPP projects by working with agricultural producers and owners of agricultural and forestland. The purpose of this notice is to announce the availability of CCC funding for RCPP and to solicit applications from potential partners. Subject to fiscal year (FY) 2016 appropriations, NRCS anticipates the availability of about \$225 million in funding for RCPP. If the Sequester were not in effect in FY 2016, as proposed in the President's FY 2016 Budget, available funding would be about \$235 million. The FY 2015 proposal process offered up to \$394 million in funding, reflecting two years of funding (FY2014 and FY2015), not a higher level of annual funding. Applications will be accepted from all 50 States, the Caribbean Area (Puerto Rico and U. S. Virgin Islands), and U.S. territories in the Pacific Island Areas (Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands).

Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

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**Business and Cooperative Programs
Socially Disadvantaged Groups Grant
Modification 3**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RDBCP-SDGG-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	Socially Disadvantaged Groups Grant
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Business and Commerce
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	10.871 -- Socially-Disadvantaged Groups Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 21, 2015
Creation Date:	May 21, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 14, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 14, 2015
Archive Date:	Aug 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$175,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Cooperatives, Groups of Cooperatives, Cooperative Development Centers that serve socially disadvantaged groups.
Agency Name:	Business and Cooperative Programs
Description:	The Rural Business-Cooperative Service announces the availability of \$3,000,000 in competitive grant funds for the FY 2015 Socially-Disadvantaged Groups Grant (SDGG) program, formerly known as the Small Socially-Disadvantaged Producer Grant program, as authorized by the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015 (Pub. L. 113-235). We are requesting proposals from applicants who will provide technical assistance to

socially-disadvantaged groups in rural areas. The Agency is encouraging applications that direct grants to projects based in or serving census tracts with poverty rates greater than or equal to 20 percent. This emphasis will support Rural Development's (RD) mission of improving the quality of life for rural Americans and commitment to directing resources to those who most need them. Eligible applicants include Cooperatives, Groups of Cooperatives, and Cooperative Development Centers.

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**Natural Resources Conservation Service
Regional Conservation Partnership Program
Modification 1**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NRCS-NHQ-RCPP-16-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	Regional Conservation Partnership Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Environment Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	INSTRUMENT TYPE "OTHER" will be defined as Partnership Agreements.
Expected Number of Awards:	170
CFDA Number(s):	10.932 -- Regional Conservation Partnership Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	May 11, 2015
Creation Date:	May 13, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 8, 2015 THIS ANNOUNCEMENT REPLACES "USDA-NRCS-NHQ-RCPP-15-01" CLOSING DATE: FOR SUBMISSION OF PRE-PROPOSALS ONLY. SELECTED APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO SUBMIT FULL

Current Closing Date for Applications:	PROPOSALS. Jul 8, 2015 THIS ANNOUNCEMENT REPLACES "USDA-NRCS-NHQ-RCPP-15-01"CLOSING DATE: FOR SUBMISSION OF PRE-PROPOSALS ONLY. SELECTED APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED TO SUBMIT FULL PROPOSALS.
Archive Date:	Aug 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$225,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Special district governments State governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	"OTHER": PLEASE SEE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ADDITIONAL ELIGIBLE ENTITIES NOT LISTED ABOVE.
Agency Name:	Natural Resources Conservation Service
Description:	EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: NRCS is the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) conservation agency working with farmers, ranchers, and private forest landowners nationwide to identify and address natural resource objectives in balance with operational goals in order to benefit soil, water, wildlife, and related natural resources locally, regionally, and nationally. NRCS works in partnership with other entities to accelerate getting conservation on the ground. Through the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP), NRCS seeks to co-invest with partners in innovative, workable and cost-effective approaches to benefit farming, ranching, and forest operations, local economies, and the communities and resources in a watershed or

other geographic area. RCPP partners develop project applications, as described in this notice, to address specific natural resource objectives in a proposed area or region. Partnering organizations design, promote, implement, and evaluate the project outcomes. NRCS will select final RCPP projects following a two-phase application process that includes: (1) a pre-proposal application; and (2) a full proposal application. NRCS will assess and evaluate RCPP project applications against four criteria—solutions, contributions, innovation, and participation. The full proposal process is only open to applicants whose pre-proposal applications are selected by the agency to go forward from the pre-proposal stage. All RCPP applications become the property of NRCS for use in the administration of the program and will not be returned to the applicant. RCPP federal assistance is delivered in accordance with the authorities of the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP), Agricultural Conservation Easement Program (ACEP), and Healthy Forests Reserve Program (HFRP), and in certain geographic areas, the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention program. NRCS and partners implement RCPP projects by working with agricultural producers and owners of agricultural and forestland. The purpose of this notice is to announce the availability of CCC funding for RCPP and to solicit applications from potential partners. Subject to fiscal year (FY) 2016 appropriations, NRCS anticipates the availability of about \$225 million in funding for RCPP. If the Sequester were not in effect in FY 2016, as proposed in the President's FY 2016 Budget, available funding would be about \$235 million. The FY 2015 proposal process offered up to \$394 million in funding, reflecting two years of funding (FY2014 and FY2015), not a higher level of annual funding. Applications will be accepted from all 50 States, the Caribbean Area (Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands), and U.S. territories in the Pacific Island

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Programs:

Climate Program Office FY 2016 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-CPO-2016-2004413
Funding Opportunity Title:	Climate Program Office FY 2016
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant

Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	76
CFDA Number(s):	11.431 -- Climate and Atmospheric Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jul 1, 2015
Creation Date:	Jul 1, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 15, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 15, 2015
Archive Date:	Jan 14, 2016
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$14,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	County governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses City or township governments Special district governments Small businesses Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Independent school districts
Agency Name:	Department of Commerce
Description:	Climate variability and change present society with significant economic, health, safety, and national security challenges. NOAA advances scientific and technical programs to help society cope with and adapt to today's variations in climate and to prepare for tomorrow's. Toward this end, the agency conducts and supports climate research, essential oceanic and atmospheric observations, modeling, information management, assessments, interdisciplinary decision-support research, outreach, education, and partnership

development. These investments are key to NOAA's mission of "Science, Service, and Stewardship" and are guided by the agency's vision to create and sustain enhanced resilience in ecosystems, communities, and economies, as described in NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan (NGSP). Fostering climate adaptation and mitigation, and, specifically, the development of an informed society anticipating and responding to climate and its impacts is one of the primary pathways through which NOAA plans to advance its mission. The NGSP outlines NOAA's long-term climate goal, with the following objectives: 1) improved scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts; 2) assessments of current and future states of the climate system that identify potential impacts and inform science, service, and stewardship decisions; 3) mitigation and adaptation choices supported by sustained, reliable, and timely climate services; and 4) a climate-literate public that understands its vulnerabilities to a changing climate and makes informed decisions. NOAA works in partnership with all levels of governing structures (e.g., federal, state, tribal, regional, local) as well as academic, private, and international research entities, and it places a substantial emphasis on productive partnerships and interactions with decision-makers and other stakeholders. Within this context, NOAA's Climate Program Office (CPO) manages competitive research programs through which NOAA funds high-priority climate science, assessments, decision support research, outreach, education, and capacity-building activities designed to advance our understanding of Earth's climate system and to foster the application of this knowledge to enable effective decisions. CPO supports research that is conducted across the United States and internationally. CPO also provides strategic guidance for the agency's climate science and services programs and supports NOAA's contributions to the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) and its National Climate Assessment and similar international endeavors. In seeking to advance the NGSP climate objective of an improved

scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts, CPO supports research that advances core capabilities in (a) observing systems, climate monitoring and data stewardship (b) understanding and modeling, (c) predictions and projections, and (d) informing decisions. These core capabilities are, in turn, intended to advance NOAA's ability to provide sustained, reliable, and timely climate services dealing with the following broad, societal challenge areas: (a) climate impacts on water resources, (b) coasts and climate resilience, (c) sustainability of marine ecosystems, and (d) changes in extremes of weather and climate.

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National Institute of Standards and Technology
Professional Research Experience Program (PREP-MML) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2015-NIST-PREP-MML-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	Professional Research Experience Program (PREP-MML)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jun 8, 2015
Creation Date:	Jun 8, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, August 7, 2015. Applications received after the deadline will not be reviewed or considered. NIST will consider the date and time stamped

Current Closing Date for Applications:

on the validation generated by www.grants.gov as the official submission time.

Aug 7, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, August 7, 2015. Applications received after the deadline will not be reviewed or considered. NIST will consider the date and time stamped on the validation generated by www.grants.gov as the official submission time.

Archive Date:

Sep 6, 2015

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligibility for all programs listed in this FFO is limited to accredited institutions of higher education that offer undergraduate and graduate degrees in academic disciplines relevant to the technical programs of the NIST Material Measurement Laboratory (see www.nist.gov/mml/) in Gaithersburg, Maryland and Charleston, South Carolina. For the purposes of this FFO, these disciplines include (but may not be limited to) physics, chemistry, mathematics, materials science, mechanical/electrical/electronic engineering, metallurgy, and computer science/engineering. An eligible organization may work individually or include proposed subawardees, contractors or other collaborators in a project, effectively forming a team or consortium.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Standards and Technology
NIST is soliciting applications from eligible applicants to provide undergraduate students, graduate students, and post-doctoral fellows with fellowship opportunities and financial assistance to obtain laboratory experiences within the NIST Material Measurement Laboratory (MML) in Gaithersburg, Maryland and Charleston, South Carolina. The recipients will work with NIST to foster collaborative research relationships among NIST staff, undergraduate/graduate students, post-doctoral fellows, and the students' academic institutions.

Description:

Link to Additional Information:

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Modifications:

Reminders:

FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS[®]) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2016-2004378
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS [®])
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000

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FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS[®])

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2016-2004378
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS [®])
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and

Category Explanation:	Development
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	For profit organizations other than small businesses Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education State governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments City or township governments Small businesses County governments
Agency Name:	Department of Commerce
Description:	The U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS®) is a national and regional partnership working to provide observations, data, and new tools and forecasts to improve safety, enhance the economy, and protect our environment. NOAA is requesting proposals for coordinated regional efforts that further the IOOS in two topic areas, 1) sustaining and enhancing comprehensive regional observing systems and 2) verification and validation of observing technologies for studying and monitoring coastal and ocean environments. NOAA invites applicants to submit proposals for one or both of these topic areas, described in detail below, and requests applicants submit separate applications for each topic area. For single topic proposals, clearly identify the topic area and present all required information such that merit reviewers can associate proposal elements (project description, partners, budgets) with the specific topic area. NOAA anticipates making multiple awards, subject to the availability of funds, in amounts ranging from \$1,000,000 to \$4,000,000 per year, for up to five years.

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**Economic Development Administration
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAP2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's

ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities

11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Nov 25, 2013

Creation Date:

Nov 26, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement

Current Closing Date for Applications:

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Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
City or township governments
Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
State governments
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a(n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher

education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name:

Economic Development Administration

Description:

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**Economic Development Administration
Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAPLANNING2012
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	Regional planning and local technical assistance
Expected Number of Awards:	425
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.302 -- Economic Development Support for Planning Organizations 11.303 -- Economic Development Technical Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments
County governments

City or township governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

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Corporation for National and Community Service AmeriCorps State and National FY 2015 Partnership Challenge Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	CNCS-7-1-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	AmeriCorps State and National FY 2015 Partnership Challenge
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Business and Commerce Community Development Disaster Prevention and Relief Education Employment, Labor and Training Energy Environment Food and Nutrition Health Housing Law, Justice and Legal Services

Natural Resources
Regional Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

94.006 -- AmeriCorps

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jul 1, 2015

Creation Date:

Jul 1, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jul 23, 2015 Applications are due Thursday, July 23, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time to CNCS. State Commissions and Territory deadlines may be significantly before the CNCS deadlines, so prospective state applicants are encouraged to contact the commission in the state or territory where they intend to apply as soon as possible. Applications will be accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jul 23, 2015 Applications are due Thursday, July 23, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time to CNCS. State Commissions and Territory deadlines may be significantly before the CNCS deadlines, so prospective state applicants are encouraged to contact the commission in the state or territory where they intend to apply as soon as possible. Applications will be accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis.

Archive Date:

Jul 24, 2015

Eligible Applicants:

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
Independent school districts
Special district governments
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
State governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
City or township governments
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants The following entities are eligible to apply: public or private nonprofit organizations, including faith-based and other

community organizations; institutions of higher education; government entities within states or territories (e.g., cities, counties); labor organizations; partnerships and consortia; and Indian Tribes. Receiving funding previously from CNCS or another Federal agency is not a prerequisite to applying under this Notice. Organizations that have been convicted of a federal crime are disqualified from receiving the assistance described in this Notice. Pursuant to the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, an organization described in Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986, 26 U.S.C. § 501 (c)(4), that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to apply. New Applicants CNCS encourages organizations that have never received funding from CNCS to apply. The general practice is to award no more than 50 member positions to organizations participating in an AmeriCorps program for the first time. Continuation Applicants Organizations that have current AmeriCorps awards that do not end in FY15 must submit an application in order to be eligible to receive funding for the following year. Requests by existing continuation applicants for increases in the level of funding or number of positions will be assessed using the criteria under this Notice.

Type of Applicants Single State Applicants Organizations that propose to operate in only one state or territory must apply through the Governor-appointed State or Territory Commissions. Each state and territory administers its own selection process and puts forward to CNCS the applicants it selects to compete for funding. Applicants operating in one state must contact their State Commissions to learn about their state or territory processes and deadlines which may be significantly before the CNCS deadlines and may have additional requirements. The list of State and Territory Commissions can be found here:
<http://www.nationalservice.gov/about/contact-us/state-service-commissions>

Direct Applicants Single State Applicants directed by their State Commission to apply directly to CNCS should do so. Please note that, after reviewing applications, CNCS may discuss with the State Commission awarding the grant to the

Commission in order for the Commission to award a sub-grant to the applicant. Alternatively, CNCS may award the grant directly to the successful applicant, but also may work cooperatively with the State Commission to assign to them the responsibility to oversee and monitor performance of the grant. State Commissions interested in being assigned responsibility for oversight of AmeriCorps Partnership Challenge awards operating within their state should contact CNCS. Multi-state: Organizations that propose to operate AmeriCorps programs in more than one state or territory apply directly to CNCS. Federally-recognized Indian Tribes: An Indian Tribe is defined as a federally recognized Indian Tribe, band, nation, or other organized group or community, including any Native village, Regional Corporation, or Village Corporation, as defined under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (43 U.S.C. § 1602), that the United States Government determines is eligible for special programs and services provided under federal law to Indians because of their status as Indians. Indian Tribes also include tribal organizations controlled, sanctioned, or chartered by one of the entities described above. Territories without Commissions: Applicants in American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern

Agency Name:

Corporation for National and Community Service

Description:

Through the AmeriCorps Partnership Challenge, nonprofit organizations or public agencies – together with their funding partners – will develop proposals to address community needs by engaging AmeriCorps members. Upon approval, CNCS will provide Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards for AmeriCorps members, while the sponsoring organization will cover full cost of operating the programs. AmeriCorps members who successfully complete terms of service will be eligible for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards, and will gain valuable skills and experiences to advance their career goals while they make a difference in communities.

Link to Additional Information:

[Funding Opportunity Page](#)

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277627>

**National Service and Civic Engagement Research Competition
Modification 1**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	CNCS-05-28-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	National Service and Civic Engagement Research Competition
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Funding activity includes research on national service, community service, civic engagement, and volunteering.
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	94.026 -- National Service and Civic Engagement Research Competition
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 28, 2015
Creation Date:	Jun 25, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015
Archive Date:	Aug 15, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$800,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Corporation for National and Community Service
Description:	This research competition's goal is to increase the nation's understanding and knowledge about the importance and potential of national and community service, volunteering, and civic engagement in America. We are seeking applications to design and implement research studies that build on existing research in the field, address gaps in knowledge, and provide new ideas and methodological approaches to the study of national service and civic engagement.

Link to Additional Information:

[full notice](#)

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Competition mailbox

[Competition mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276894>

National Service in Massachusetts

Meeting Community Needs in Massachusetts: More than **10,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Massachusetts. Serving at more than **1,200** locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than **\$41,180,000** to support Massachusetts's communities through national service initiatives. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional **\$31,160,000** in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars.

AmeriCorps

This year, AmeriCorps will provide more than **3,300** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Massachusetts. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the **Massachusetts Service Alliance**, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **27,000** Massachusetts residents have served more than **37 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$85,580,000**.

[Download: AmeriCorps in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

Senior Corps

More than **7,000** seniors in Massachusetts contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **6,600** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **950** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **480** groups across Massachusetts.

[Download: Senior Corps in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

Social Innovation Fund

The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in Massachusetts, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing **\$4,550,000** in expanding the impact of **7** nonprofits in Massachusetts, selected and supported by **3** intermediaries.

[Download: Social Innovation Fund in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.



U.S. Department of Defense

Doing Business with the Department of Defense

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Doing Business with the DoD

Getting Started

This is the "how-to" section of working with the Department of Defense. Information includes guides on marketing to the DoD, government contracting basics and subcontracting fundamentals.

- [Guide to Marketing to the DoD](#)
- [Government Contracting: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [DoD Subcontracting Program: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [Marketing to the Department of Defense: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [OSBP Guidebook to Facilitating Teaming Arrangements](#) [PDF]

Resources

[Procurement Technical Assistance Centers \(PTACs\)](#) [PDF]

Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs), are charged with assisting businesses in learning how to do business with federal, state, and local governments. PTACs are a local resource available at no or nominal cost that can provide assistance to business firms in marketing their products and services. They offer training to businesses on how to research and bid on contracts, assist with registration requirements, provide bid-matching services, and assist with pre and post contracting issues.

[Dynamic Small Business Search](#)

http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing_business/index.htm

Doing Business with DOD

- **Air Force Contract Opportunities**
Doing Business with the Air Force
- **Army Contract Opportunities**
Army Business Opportunities
- **DOD Contract Opportunities**
Doing Business with DOD
Guide to DOD Contracting Opportunities
DOD Office of Small Business Programs
Small Business Innovation Research Programs and Other Helpful Links
- **DOD Contract Award Announcements**
- **Defense Acquisition University**

- **Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation (DFAR)**
Procedures, Guidance, and Information
- **Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)**
FAR Documents, Information and Links
A list of quarterly video magazines that provides a discussion of recent changes to the FAR and DFARS, insights into the regulatory process, and news/issues on the horizon. DPAP and DAU have embarked on this joint venture to provide contracting personnel with the latest news regarding actions effecting the FAR and DFARS.
- **Navy Contract Opportunities**
Navy Acquisition One Source
Business Opportunities
- **OSBP Programs**
Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program
Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Program
Indian Incentive Program
Women-Owned Small Business Program
Historically Black Colleges and Universities / Minority Institutions Technical Assistance Program
Comprehensive Subcontracting Test Program
DOD Regional Councils for Small Business Education and Advocacy
Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Program
Historically Underutilized Business Zones Program (HUBZone)
- **Recovery & Reinvestment Act Opportunities**
Search Opportunities
- **Subcontracting Opportunities**
Subcontracting Opportunities with DOD Major Prime Contractors
Doing Business with DOD

http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx

DoD Small Business Opportunities

The purpose of this section is to identify areas of potential small business growth that are new, developing, or have recently come to the attention of this office. The intent is not to duplicate information which exists through traditional acquisition tools.

DoD Service Forecasts

Future acquisition forecasts are prepared by a number of organizations within DoD. Forecasting methodologies vary by service but constitute the 'best estimate' of each.

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Uniformed Services Univ. of the Health Sciences
Wounded Warrior Service Dog Program (WWSDP) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HU0001-15-USU-0001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Wounded Warrior Service Dog Program (WWSDP)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is issued by the Uniformed Services University and solicits grant applications from nonprofit institutions committed to connecting service dogs with service members and veterans.
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	12.750 -- Uniformed Services University Medical Research Projects
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Posted Date: Jun 19, 2015
Creation Date: Jun 19, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 7, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 7, 2015
Archive Date: Sep 6, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Agency Name: Uniformed Services Univ. of the Health Sciences
Description: To provide competitive grants to support nonprofit organizations committed to training and placing assistance dogs with disabled Service Members (SMs) and Veterans.
Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Christina Johnson Contract Specialist Phone 3012953069
[work email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277312>

Research:

Air Force Office of Scientific Research
Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Department of Defense Multidisciplinary Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277267>

Air Force -- Research Lab
Composite Airframe Life Extension (CALE) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276916>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Cancer Horizon Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277596>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Military Burn Injuries Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277556>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Applied Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277557>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD FY15 Spinal Cord Injury Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276964>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD FY15 Spinal Cord Injury Clinical Trial Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276982>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD FY15 Spinal Cord Injury Qualitative Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276983>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD FY15 Spinal Cord Injury Translational Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276984>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD FY15 Medical Decision Aids – Predictive Markers (SimMarkers) Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277205>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Investigator-Initiated Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277018>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Military Burn Injuries Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277556>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Applied Research Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277557>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Defense Sciences Office
DSO Office-wide BAA Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277630>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2016 DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE MULTIDISCIPLINARY - ARMY
SUBMISSION Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277477>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
DEFENSE UNIVERSITY RESEARCH INSTRUMENTATION PROGRAM (DURIP) FISCAL YEAR
2016 - ARMY SUBMISSION Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277467>

Department of Defense
Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - Defense Sciences Office
Make-It Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277121>

Defense Logistics Agency
Procurement Technical Assistance Program (PTAP) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277450>

Office of Naval Research
Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Department of Defense Multidisciplinary Research Program of the University
Research Initiative Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277226>

Office of Naval Research
Expeditionary Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance Science and Technology Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277306>

Office of Naval Research
NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND
IMPROVEMENT PLAN FACILITY IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (STREAM RESTORATION)
Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277601>

Modifications:

Community Partners in Suicide Prevention
Modification 2
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276646>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
FY15 DoD Joint En Route Care Training System of Systems Initiative: Hand-Offs, Patient Transfers, and
Systems Interoperability
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275022>

Dept. of the Army -- Corps of Engineers
Engineer Research and Development Center
2015 Broad Agency Announcement
Modification 2
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272608>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718
Precise Robust Inertial Guidance for Munitions: Advanced Inertial Micro Sensors (PRIGM:AIMS)
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276934>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718
Microsystems Technology Office (MTO) Office Wide BAA
Modification 2
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=264610>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY15 - FY16 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries
Modification 6
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=270446>

Office of Naval Research
The National Security Science and Engineering Faculty Fellowship (NSSEFF) Program
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277258>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY15 - FY16 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries
Modification 6
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=270446>

Reminders:

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Modification 8

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0012
Funding Opportunity Title:	Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 27, 2015
Creation Date:	Mar 27, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

Agency Name:

Description:

subject to any clarification in text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

The purpose of this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) is to solicit research proposals in the engineering, physical, life, and information sciences for submission to the Army Research Office (ARO) for consideration for possible funding. For ease of reference, this BAA is an extraction of the ARO sections of the Army Research Laboratory BAA.

(www.arl.army.mil/www/default.cfm?page=8).

[ARO CORE BAA-W911NF-12-R-0012-Mod 03](#)

Link to Additional Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173593>



Department of Education

FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2014**(As of December 20, 2013)**

This document lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department (we) has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts -- organized according to the Department's principal program offices -- and include programs and competitions we have previously announced, as well as those we plan to announce at a later date. **If you are interested in applying for any upcoming grants with the Department of Education, please take the time to register with SAM at www.SAM.gov, as you must have an active account in order to submit a grant application with our agency. We recommend you register now even as you are looking for eligible grant programs so that your SAM registration is active by the time the application is published. This will allow you to focus on writing the application during the period the application is available and you are not spending a portion of that time obtaining SAM registration. Please click [here](#) to refer to the SAM tip sheet for additional information.**

Note: This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

Note on printing: For best results, print this document in landscape orientation.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

[Chart 1 - Institute of Education Sciences.](#)

[Chart 2 - Office of English Language Acquisition.](#)

[Chart 3 - Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.](#)

[Chart 4 - Office of Innovation and Improvement.](#)

[Chart 5 - Office of Postsecondary Education](#) (Link to IFLE Chart)

[Chart 6 - Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services](#) (links to [NIDRR](#), [SEP](#), [RSA](#) charts).

[Chart 7 - Office of Vocational and Adult Education.](#)

[Chart 8 - Office of the Deputy Secretary - ODS.](#)

GRANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

Here's how you can tell whether we've already published an application notice for a particular program or competition in the *Federal Register* and whether the dates we list in this Forecast of Funding Opportunities are actual or estimates:

If we have published the application notice, we will list the *Federal Register* (FR) volume and page number (e.g., 65 FR 53402) after the date in column two. The other dates for that program or competition (columns four and five) are actual (as opposed to estimated) dates.

If we do not follow the date in column two with an FR citation, it means that we have yet to publish the application notice, and the dates (columns, two, four, and five) are estimates only. The actual dates will appear in the official application notice for that program or competition in the *Federal Register*.

Date of Application Notice. In column two of the charts, we lists the actual or estimated date for publication of the application notice for a given program or competition.

Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education

To see the complete document click here: <http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

The general information page for Education Grant funding is an excellent resource describing the three types of grants awarded by the Department of Education. See the screen shot of the Department of Education web page below:



Apply for a Grant

ED offers three kinds of grants:

- **Discretionary grants:** awarded using a competitive process.
- **Student loans or grants:** to help students attend college.
- **Formula grants:** uses formulas determined by Congress and has no application process.

Discretionary Grants Information

Eligibility and Forecasts

- **Find Grant Programs by Eligibility:** who can apply for what
- **ED grants forecast:** competitions opening soon

Application Information

- **Federal Register Notices:** competitions and other announcements
- **Open competitions:** with links to application information
- **Forms**

Online Applications

- **Grants.gov:** Application packages for ED programs
- **G5:** Application packages on ED's online grants system
- **EDPubs:** list of downloadable application packages

Student Loans and Other Information

To get a **Pell grant**, or other federal aid for college, you must complete the...

- [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#)

Then explore...

- [Funding your education](#),
- [Grants and Scholarships](#), or
- [Student Loans, Forgiveness](#)

Other grant information

- **IES funding:** funding opportunities from ED's Institute for Education Sciences
- **Grants.gov:** federal government grant competitions

How Do I Find... ?

- Student loans, forgiveness
- Pell grants
- College accreditation
- Grants
- No Child Left Behind
- More

Popular Searches

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- i3—Investing in Innovation
- Race to the Top
- TRIO

Teachers

Parents & Families

Preschool-12 Reform

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More...

<http://www.ed.gov/fund/grants-apply.html>

Programs:

Transition Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities into Higher Education (TPSID): Model Comprehensive Transition and Postsecondary Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities: CFDA Number: 84.407A And Modification 1

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Grants Notice

ED-GRANTS-062615-001

Transition Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities into Higher Education (TPSID): Model Comprehensive Transition and

Postsecondary Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities: CFDA Number: 84.407A

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 25

CFDA Number(s): 84.407 -- Transition Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities into Higher Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: Jun 26, 2015

Creation Date: Jun 29, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 10, 2015 Applications Available: June 26, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 10, 2015.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 10, 2015 Applications Available: June 26, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 10, 2015.

Archive Date: Sep 9, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$9,702,980

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible Applicants: Institutions of higher education, as defined under section 101 of the HEA, or consortia of IHEs are eligible to apply for funding.

Agency Name: Department of Education

Description:

- Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The purpose of the TPSID Program is to support model demonstration programs that promote the successful transition of students with intellectual disabilities into higher education and to enable institutions of higher education

(IHEs), or consortia of IHEs, to create or expand high-quality, inclusive model comprehensive transition and postsecondary programs for students with intellectual disabilities. Applications for grants under the TPSID Program, CFDA number 84.407A, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. You may access the electronic grant application for the TPSID Program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.407, not 84.407A). The telephone number for the Grants.gov Helpdesk is 1-800-518-4726 or e-mail: support@grants.gov.

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Modifications:

Reminders:

Institute of Education Sciences (IES) Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041515-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES) Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant

Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Creation Date:	May 21, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 6, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
Archive Date:	Sep 5, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) For profit organizations other than small businesses State governments County governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Special district governments Independent school districts City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES) Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041515-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES) Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Creation Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 7, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
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Archive Date:
Eligible Applicants:

Applications: August 6, 2015.
Sep 6, 2015
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Private institutions of higher education
Special district governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
State governments
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Independent school districts
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
City or township governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:
Description:

Department of Education
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84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.305N, 84.324A, and 84.324B. Applications for grants under the Education Research, Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice, Special Education Research, and Research Training Programs in Special Education competitions, CFDA numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.305N, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences, Research Training Programs in Special Education, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, and Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\) Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2016](#)

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**Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Education Research and Development Center Program CFDA
Number 84.305C
Modification 1**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041515-003
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Education Research and Development Center Program CFDA Number 84.305C
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Creation Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 6, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 20, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 20, 2015.
Archive Date:	Sep 19, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Special district governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Private institutions of higher education

County governments

For profit organizations other than small businesses

Independent school districts

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

City or township governments

State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice, Special Education Research, and Research Training Programs in Special Education competitions, CFDA numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.305N, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences, Research Training Programs in Special Education, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, and Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Education Research and Development Center Program CFDA Number 84.305C; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2016](#)

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B And Modification 1

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: ED-GRANTS-041515-002
Funding Opportunity Title: Institute of Education Sciences (IES):
Research Training Programs in the
Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement
Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Education
Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s): 84.305 -- Education Research, Development
and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: Apr 15, 2015
Creation Date: Apr 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 6, 2015 Applications Available: May
21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of
Applications: August 6, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 20, 2015 Applications Available: May
21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of
Applications: August 20, 2015.
Archive Date: Sep 19, 2015
Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of
higher education
Independent school districts
Native American tribal organizations (other
than Federally recognized tribal
governments)
City or township governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional
Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Private institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments
(Federally recognized)
County governments
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3)
status with the IRS, other than institutions of
higher education
For profit organizations other than small
businesses

Special district governments
State governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\):
Research Training Programs in the
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Institute of Education Sciences (IE): Statistical and Research Methodology in Education CFDA Number 84.305D Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-041515-004

Funding Opportunity Title:

Institute of Education Sciences (IE):

Opportunity Category:	Statistical and Research Methodology in
Funding Instrument Type:	Education CFDA Number 84.305D Discretionary Cooperative Agreement Grant Education
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Creation Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 6, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 6, 2015 Applications Available: May 21, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 6, 2015.
Archive Date:	Sep 5, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments Independent school districts State governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions,

Agency Name:
Description:

such as colleges and universities.

Department of Education

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Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, and Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IE\): Statistical and Research Methodology in Education CFDA Number 84.305D; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2016](#)

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Partnerships and Collaboration Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041515-005
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Partnerships and Collaboration Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

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Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education
County governments
Independent school districts
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
City or township governments
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Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Special district governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice CFDA Number 84.305N Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
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Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice CFDA Number 84.305N
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.305 -- Education Research, Development and Dissemination
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
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Eligible Applicants:

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Private institutions of higher education
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Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

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Applications for grants under the Education Research, Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice, Special Education Research, and Research Training Programs in Special Education competitions, CFDA numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.305N, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant applications for the Education Research, Special Education Research, Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences, Research Training Programs in Special Education, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy, and Research Networks Focused on Critical Problems of Education Policy and Practice competitions at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for each competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.305, not 84.305A).

Link to Additional Information:

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Institute of Education Science (IES): Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A Grant

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Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-041515-007
Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Science (IES): Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.324 -- Research in Special Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
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Eligible Applicants:	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education City or township governments Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher

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For profit organizations other than small
businesses
Independent school districts
Public and State controlled institutions of
higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional
Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
State governments
Native American tribal organizations (other
than Federally recognized tribal
governments)
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Applicants that have the ability and capacity to conduct scientifically valid research are eligible to apply. Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

Agency Name:
Description:

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Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Training Programs in Special Education CFDA Number 84.324B Grant

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Funding Opportunity Title:	Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Training Programs in Special Education CFDA Number 84.324B
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.324 -- Research in Special Education
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Eligible Applicants:	Special district governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Independent school districts Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Private institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education City or township governments
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Agency Name:

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Description:

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National Energy Technology Laboratory

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Advanced Research Projects Agency Energy

GRID DATA Grant

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Golden Field Office
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RFI: Facilitating the Development of the Offshore Wind Industry in the United States
Modification 1

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Golden Field Office
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Technologies Directed at Capturing Carbon Dioxide from Low Concentration Sources to Support the Coal Industry
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276958>

Office of Science
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Modification 1

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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014

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HHS-2013-IHS-BHSA-0001	Domestic Violence Prevention Initiative Sexual Assault Projects Expansion	IHS	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-TSGN-0001	Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service, Tribal Self-Governance Program, Negotiation Cooperative Agreement	IHS	01/02/2014

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National Institutes of Health
 PHS 2015-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF for Small Business Innovation Research Grant Applications (Parent SBIR [R43/R44]) Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: PA-15-269
Funding Opportunity Title: PHS 2015-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF for Small Business Innovation Research Grant Applications (Parent SBIR [R43/R44])
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Education
 Environment

Food and Nutrition
Health
Income Security and Social
Services

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s):

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93.136 -- Injury Prevention and
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93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources Research
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Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Assistance
Posted Date:	No
Creation Date:	Jun 4, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 4, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 5, 2016
Archive Date:	Apr 5, 2016
Eligible Applicants:	May 6, 2016
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Small businesses
	Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, may be allowed.
Agency Name:	National Institutes of Health
Description:	This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) invites eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) to submit Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications. United States SBCs that have the research capabilities and technological expertise to contribute to the R and D mission(s) of the NIH, CDC, FDA or ACF awarding components identified in this FOA are encouraged to submit SBIR grant applications in response to identified topics (see PHS 2015-2 SBIR/STTR Program Descriptions and Research Topics for NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF.
Link to Additional Information:	http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-269.html
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276977>

Administration for Children and Families
Administration for Children and Families - ORR
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Administration for Children and Families
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Demonstration Grants for Domestic Victims of Human Trafficking Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277360>

Administration for Community Living
Advancing Person-Centered, Trauma-Informed Supportive Services for Holocaust Survivors
Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276910>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Developing and Disseminating Programs to Build Sustainable Lupus Awareness, Knowledge, Skills and
Partnerships Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277131>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

PPHF 2015 - Immunization - Utilization of Immunization Information Systems (IIS) for Assessment,
Feedback, Incentives, and eXchange (AFIX) Assessments - financed Solely by 2015 Prevention and
Public Health Funds Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277323>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Evaluation of STD Programs Deploying Disease Intervention Specialist (DIS) to Improve Human
Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Outcomes Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277511>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
PPHF 2015 - Immunization - Utilization of Immunization Information Systems (IIS) for Assessment,
Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277434>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

PPHF 2015: Immunization- Strengthening Surveillance for Diseases Among Newly-Arrived Immigrants and Refugees - financed solely by 2015 Prevention and Public Health Funds Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277089>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Improving Immunization Collaboration Among Pharmacists and Other Healthcare Providers – Financed Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277081>

Health Resources and Services Administration

Service Area Competition Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Networks to Develop Priority Areas of Behavioral and Social Research (R24) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Non- or Minimally-Invasive Methods to Measure Biochemical Substances for Neonatal and Perinatal Clinical Care and Research (R41) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

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National Institutes of Health

Bioengineering Research Partnership (BRP): Non- or Minimally-Invasive Methods to Measure Biochemical Substances during Neonatal and Perinatal Patient Care and Research (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277388>

National Institutes of Health

Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (U01) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277430>

National Institutes of Health

Limited Competition: Small Grant Program for NHLBI K01/K08/K23 Recipients (R03) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277558>

National Institutes of Health

The Pancreatic Cancer Detection Consortium (U01) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

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National Institutes of Health

Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Extended Development, Hardening, and Dissemination of Technologies in Biomedical Computing, Informatics, and Big Data Science (R44) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277564>

National Institutes of Health

The Pancreatic Cancer Detection Consortium (U01) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Open Design Tools for Speech Signal Processing (R43/R44) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Exploratory Studies for Delineating Microbiome: Host Interactions in Obesity, Digestive and Liver Diseases and Nutrition (R21) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

A Community Research Resource of Microbiome-Derived Factors Modulating Host Physiology in Obesity, Digestive and Liver Diseases, and Nutrition (R24) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277313>

National Institutes of Health

Extracellular Vesicles and Substance Abuse (R21) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Turkey-US Collaborative Program for Affordable Medical Technologies (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277200>

National Institutes of Health

NIDDK Centers for Diabetes Translation Research (P30) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277201>

National Institutes of Health
Novel or Enhanced Dental Restorative Materials for Class V Lesions (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277183>

National Institutes of Health
Extracellular Vesicles and Substance Abuse (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277328>

National Institutes of Health
Short Courses in High Priority Domains of Behavioral and Social Research on Aging (R25) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277095>

National Institutes of Health
Partnerships for the Development of Novel Assays to Predict Vaccine Efficacy (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277106>

National Institutes of Health
Ethical Issues in Research on HIV/AIDS and its Co-Morbidities (R01) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
Ethical Issues in Research on HIV/AIDS and its Co-Morbidities (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277110>

National Institutes of Health
CTSA Network - Trial Innovation Centers (TICs) (U24) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277031>

National Institutes of Health
Dimensional Approaches to Research Classification in Psychiatric Disorders (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277036>

National Institutes of Health
Partnerships for the Development of Host-Targeted Therapeutics to Limit Antimicrobial Resistance (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277043>

National Institutes of Health
Adherence Studies in Adolescents with Chronic Kidney or Urologic Diseases (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277044>

National Institutes of Health
Career Development Program in Emergency Care Research (K12) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277046>

National Institutes of Health
Prematurity-Related Ventilatory Control (Pre-Vent): Role in Respiratory Outcomes Clinical Research Centers (CRC) (U01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277049>

National Institutes of Health
Tools and Services for Designing Methodologically Rigorous Animal Studies (R43/R44) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277007>

National Institutes of Health
Expanding Course Offerings for State and Local Regulators in the Integrated Food Safety System (U18) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
NIH Transformative Research Awards (R01) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
Limited Competition: NIMHD Endowment Program for Increasing Research and Institutional Resources Capacity (S21) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
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National Institutes of Health
Maximizing Investigators' Research Award for New and Early Stage Investigators (R35) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276988>

National Institutes of Health
High Quality Human and Non-Human Primate Genome Sequences (U24) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276979>

National Institutes of Health
Grants for Early Medical/Surgical Subspecialists' Transition to Aging Research (GEMSSTAR) (R03) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
Asthma and Allergic Diseases Cooperative Research Centers (U19) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276994>

National Institutes of Health
PHS 2015-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH for Small Business Technology Transfer Grant Applications (Parent STTR [R41/R42]) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277015>

National Institutes of Health
Tools and Services for Designing Methodologically Rigorous Animal Studies (R41/R42) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276974>

National Institutes of Health
Exploration of the Roles of Brown and Beige Adipose Tissue in Humans (R01) Grant

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National Institutes of Health
Harnessing Big Data to Halt HIV (R01) Grant

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National Institutes of Health
Understanding HIV Persistence in Infants (R01) Grant

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Smoking Cessation within the Context of Lung Cancer Screening (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277057>

National Institutes of Health
NINDS Exploratory Clinical Trials for Small Business (R44) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277196>

National Institutes of Health
NINDS Exploratory Clinical Trials for Small Business (R42) Grant

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National Institutes of Health
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277054>

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HHS - Office of the Secretary

Office of the National Coordinator

Standards Development Organization Collaboration to Enhance Standards Alignment, Testing, and Measurement Grant

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Modifications:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

National HIV Behavioral Surveillance (NHBS)

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276539>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

National HIV Surveillance System (NHSS)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277162>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Increasing Awareness and Implementation of the Standards for Adult Immunization Practice Through Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277064>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Mentored Research Scientist Development Award (K01)

Modification 4

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=237453>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

PPHF 2015 - Immunization - Utilization of Immunization Information Systems (IIS) for Assessment, Feedback, Incentives, and eXchange (AFIX) Assessments - financed Solely by 2015 Prevention and Public Health Funds

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277434>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Supporting the Implementation and Expansion of High Quality HIV Prevention, Care and Treatment Activities at Facility and Community Level in the Republic of Kenya under the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief

Modification 5

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=46449>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Support the Implementation and Expansion of High Quality HIV Prevention, Care and Treatment Activities at Facility and Community Level in the Eastern and Kibera Slums of Nairobi, Coptic Hospital-affiliated Sites and Bomu Clinic-affiliated Sites in the Rep

Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=46787>

Food & Drug Administration

Enhancing Regulatory Science for the Risk Based Assessment of Emerging Manufacturing Technologies (U01)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276023>

Food & Drug Administration

Minor Use Minor Species Development of Drugs; Research Project Grant (R01)

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275082>

Health Resources and Services Administration

Service Area Competition

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277249>

National Institutes of Health

Advancing Health Disparities Interventions Through Community-Based Participatory Research (U01)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276656>

National Institutes of Health

NINDS Faculty Development Award to Promote Diversity in Neuroscience Research (K01)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276598>

National Institutes of Health

Advancing Research in Voice Disorders (R01)

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=255670>

National Institutes of Health

Non- or Minimally-Invasive Methods to Measure Biochemical Substances for Neonatal and Perinatal Clinical Care and Research (R41)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277373>

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Department of Homeland Security

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Federal Emergency Management Agency



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DHS Financial Assistance

Financial Assistance Overview

Most DHS Components have authority to execute and manage financial assistance to support the DHS mission. Financial assistance is the transfer to a non-Federal recipient of anything of value for a public purpose, and in DHS includes grants, cooperative agreements, training, loans, direct payments, and National flood insurance.

Background

Although most DHS Components possess some grant-making programs, the majority of programs and funding exists within the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). DHS supports a wide variety of financial assistance including post-disaster relief and resilience, preparedness, boating safety, cybersecurity, research, university centers of excellence, and assistance to fire fighters. The chart below reflects the distribution of financial assistance activity and funding by DHS mission.

[DHS Financial Assistance by Component](#)

Financial Assistance Policy and Oversight (FAPO)

FAPO is within the DHS Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Undersecretary of Management. The office is the functional lead for the Financial Assistance Line of Business. FAPO is responsible for providing oversight, to include the issuance of policy, for all DHS financial assistance programs. The team works with DHS Components to ensure a "One DHS" approach for financial assistance. The Office consists of four units; Information Management and Reporting, Financial Assistance Policy, Financial Assistance Oversight and Strategic

Financial Assistance Resources

- DHS Components/Directorates issuing financial assistance
- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
- United States Coast Guard (USCG)
- Science and Technology (S&T)
- Defense Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO)
- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
- National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD)
- Office of Health Affairs (OHA)
- Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)
- United States Secret Service (USSS)

Webpage can be viewed at: <http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2>

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request now.

- [FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide](#). This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- [FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet](#). This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

Video Resources

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The [FP&S Grants video](#) gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The [Community Risk Assessment video](#) describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

Website Resources

Visit the [FP&S Grants home page](#) on the [Assistance to Firefighters Grants \(AFG\) website](#) to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

Federal Funding Alternative To AFG

State Administrative Agencies (SAA) apply for and administer Federal grants on behalf of their States, including FEMA Preparedness Grants. The SAA will work with eligible organizations to comply with the general requirements of grant programs or cooperative agreements. Contact your State's SAA to find out what current Federal funding opportunities may be available to your organization. A listing of the SAAs and points of contact can be found at <http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363>.

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- ▶ **HUD's grants office** - the Office of Departmental Grants Management and Oversight (ODGMO) was established to develop a Department-wide perspective on grants management.
- ▶ **Funds Available** - Identifies HUD's competitive funding opportunities, also known as Notice of Funding Availability (NOFAs).
- ▶ **Funding announcements** - Announcements of those who were awarded grants.
- ▶ **Highest Scoring Grant Applications**
- ▶ **Training** - identifies various training webcast relating to grants.
- ▶ **Important SAM Alert.** - Application registration and submission

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To participate in the HUD grants program, you will need to be registered with Grants.gov, obtain a DUNS number and Register with CCR.

- ▶ **NEWS Alert! The Grants.gov PMO has discovered an issue with the newest version of Adobe Reader XI**

Applicants may encounter the following error that will prevent them from submitting their application:
"At least one required Field was empty. Please fill in the required field (highlighted) before continuing."

While we continue to investigate this issue, we recommend that if applicants encounter this issue, they submit their application using any version below Adobe Reader XI. Please refer to our [compatibility table](#) for additional information about supported versions of Adobe Reader.

Below are direct links to the Grants.gov website where the WebEx presentations can be viewed:

- ▶ [For Applicants](#)
- ▶ [For Grantors](#)
- ▶ [For E-Biz POCs](#)

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- ▶ 2013 General Section
- ▶ 2012 General Section
- ▶ Amendment to Application Submission Requirements and Other Technical Corrections
- ▶ Preferred Sustainable Status Communities Points of Contact **NEW**
- ▶ SuperNOFA - Archive
- ▶ Other HUD Grants Available
- ▶ American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

2012 Notices

- ▶ Policy Requirements and General Section
- ▶ Continuum of Care Registration

2012 Notices - Funds Available

- ▶ TI: Rental Assistance Demonstration Small Grant Program **NEW**
- ▶ TI: Sustainable Construction in Indian Country Small Grant

2013 Notices

- ▶ Policy Requirements and General Section

2013 Notices - Funds Available

- ▶ Border Community Capital Initiative (BCCI) **NEW**
- ▶ Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants (Section 4)
- ▶ Capacity Building for Sustainable Communities
- ▶ Choice Neighborhood Implementation Program
- ▶ Choice Neighborhood Planning Grant Program
- ▶ Comprehensive Housing Counseling
- ▶ Fair Housing Initiative Programs
- ▶ Fair Housing Organization Initiative Continuing Development Component

HUD - Notice of Funds Available

For detailed information [click here](#)

FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

- [General Section](#)
 - [FONSI](#)
 - [New Application Attachment Filename Requirement](#)
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Programs

Family Self-Sufficiency Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5900-N-04
Funding Opportunity Title:	Family Self-Sufficiency Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	730
CFDA Number(s):	14.896 -- Family Self-Sufficiency Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jun 25, 2015
Creation Date:	Jun 25, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 27, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 27, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	Aug 26, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$75,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$69,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants are PHAs (including Moving to Work (MTW) PHAs) and Indian tribes/TDHEs currently administering an FSS program, that have served at least the minimum number of families required by this NOFA (as described in Section III.C.4.f below; "Eligibility Requirement:

Number of FSS families served"), have met the threshold requirements of this NOFA as outlined in Section III.C.2 of this NOFA "Threshold Requirements" and have met the timely receipt requirements as outlined in Section IV.D of this NOFA "Application Submission Dates and Times". Due to the limited funding available under this NOFA, applicants will only be eligible for funding under this NOFA if they meet one of the following criteria: the applicant was funded under any of the FY 2012, FY 2013, and/or the FY 2014 FSS NOFAs, or the applicant received an FSS program through a transfer or consolidation from a PHA that was funded under such NOFAs. See Appendix D for a list of applicants who meet the criteria set forth in the bullet points above. If funding remains after all eligible applicants are funded for renewal positions (i.e., positions funded under any of the FY 2012, FY 2013, and/or FY 2014 FSS NOFAs), funding will be made available to eligible applicants for a funding increase for part-time renewal positions that are increasing to a full-time position and for new FSS coordinator positions (positions that were not funded in FY 2012, FY 2013, or FY 2014) as described in Section V.B.1 "Funding Priority Categories" of this NOFA. Individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Department of Housing and Urban
Development

Description:

The purpose of the FSS program is to promote the development of local strategies to coordinate the use of assistance under the HCV and PH programs with public and private resources to enable participating families to increase earned income and financial literacy, reduce or eliminate the need for welfare assistance, and make progress toward economic independence and self-sufficiency. PHAs or tribes/Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) that administer FSS programs enter into five-year contracts with

new families on an ongoing basis. The FSS contract spells out the terms and conditions governing participation and the responsibilities of both the PHA (or tribe/TDHE) and the family. As required by the FSS statute and regulations, each FSS program reflects local needs and resources. PHAs are not permitted to limit FSS participation to those families most likely to succeed because of current education level or job history.

Link to Additional Information:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/administration/grants/fund_savail

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=277470>

Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grant Program Pre Application Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5900-N-15
Funding Opportunity Title:	Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grant Program Pre Application
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	4
CFDA Number(s):	14.906 -- Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jun 16, 2015
Creation Date:	Jun 16, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 16, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	Aug 15, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$700,000
Award Floor: \$300,000
Eligible Applicants: Special district governments
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
County governments
State governments
Small businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
For profit organizations other than small businesses
City or township governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Independent school districts
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applications to supplement existing projects are eligible to compete with applications for new awards. Federal agencies are not eligible to submit applications. The 2015 General Section identifies threshold requirements that must be met for an organization to receive an award. If your organization received an award under the FY2014 Healthy Homes Technical Studies Grant Program cycle, you are not eligible to apply unless you apply with a different Principal Investigator (PI). Individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name: Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description: To fund technical studies to improve existing methods for detecting and controlling key housing-related health and safety hazards; to develop new methods to detect and control these hazards; and to improve our knowledge of key housing-related health and safety hazards.

Link to Additional Information: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/progr>

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