

**CONGRESSMAN JOHN BARROW'S**  
**Grants Assistance Information Newsletter**  
**GEORGIA'S 12<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT**  
**JULY 2014**  
**Part 1**

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**SEE PART 2 of this newsletter for Agencies from Institute of Library and Museum Services – Veterans Administration**

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## **Special Federal Program Notices**

### **Government Contracting Classroom**

Did you know the federal government buys nearly \$100 billion worth of goods and services from small businesses each year?

Government contracts can offer significant opportunities for small businesses, but selling to the government requires a very different approach than selling to the commercial sector.

SBA has created a series of free online contracting courses designed to help prospective and existing small businesses understand the basics about contracting with government agencies. Whether you are just getting started or looking for ways to compete in the government contracting marketplace the courses offer a tremendous resource for interested parties.

#### **About the Courses**


These self-paced courses include audio and take about 30 minutes to complete. You can exit a course at any time. Before entering a course, you may be prompted to complete a registration form, which includes a few short questions and takes less than a minute.

An example:

#### **Webinar: Overview of the 8(a) Business Development Program**

Interested in the 8(a) Business Development Program? Join our webinar and knowledgeable panelists to make sure you are getting the most out of the benefits of the program. Ask questions and learn how to take your business to the next level on **July 23 at 2pm ET**.

➤ [Click to register](#)

Helpful Tips for applying to the 8(a) Business Development Program 

More options can be found at:

<http://www.sba.gov/gclassroom>

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

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

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### ***What is Sequestration?***

Sequestration, sometimes called the sequester, is a process that automatically cuts the federal budget across most departments and agencies.

Congress included the threat of sequestration in the [Budget Control Act of 2011](#) as a way to encourage compromise on deficit reduction efforts.

Congress couldn't agree on a budget by the deadline set in the Budget Control Act, so mandatory budget cuts were scheduled to go into effect on January 2, 2013.

Congress stopped the cuts from happening by passing the [American Taxpayer Relief Act](#) on January 2. This law pushed the budget cuts back until March 1, 2013.

Since Congress did not agree on a budget to reduce the deficit by March 1, sequestration has begun and \$85 billion in spending cuts are currently going into effect.

These reports give detailed information about the amount that programs may be cut and which programs are exempt from sequestration:

- [White House Office of Management and Budget Sequestration Reports to the President and Congress](#)

- [Congressional Budget Office Report on Estimated Impact of Automatic Budget Enforcement Procedures Specified in the Budget Control Act](#)
  - [Congressional Research Service Report on Budget “Sequestration’ and Selected Program Exemptions and Special Rules”](#) (PDF)
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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.

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## 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](http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS)

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## 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.](#)

The screenshot shows a website interface with a blue navigation bar at the top containing links for Home, About Us, Map, Case Studies, Grants, Resources, and Get Involved. A Google Search box is located in the top right corner. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column features a section titled 'Tools and Key Resources' with a sub-section 'Rural Communities' containing several links to PDF guides. The right column contains two vertical blue boxes: 'Key Resources Links' with a list of categories including Partnership Publications, Clean Air and Water, Community Planning, Economic Development & Brownfields Redevelopment, Energy Efficiency, Equity & Environmental Justice, Housing Choices, Performance Measures/Data, Rural Communities, and Transportation Choices; and 'Links to Partnership Agencies' with icons and names for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, Department of Transportation, and Environmental Protection Agency.

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### 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.

#### Key Resources Links

- Partnership Publications
- Clean Air and Water
- Community Planning
- Economic Development & Brownfields Redevelopment
- Energy Efficiency
- Equity & Environmental Justice
- Housing Choices
- Performance Measures/Data
- Rural Communities
- Transportation Choices

#### Links to Partnership Agencies

- 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>



Related Topics

- [Broadband](#)
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## USDA Programs and Services

### 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](http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS)

## Programs:

### Utilities Programs

### Assistance to High Energy Cost Rural Communities Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                | Grants Notice                                       |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>   | RD-RUS-HECG2014                                     |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>    | Assistance to High Energy Cost<br>Rural Communities |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>         | Discretionary                                       |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>      | Grant   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b> | Business and Commerce<br>Community Development      |

Energy

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

10.859 -- Assistance to High Energy  
Cost Rural Communities

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Jun 25, 2014

**Creation Date:**

Jun 24, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Aug 1, 2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Aug 1, 2014

**Archive Date:**

Aug 31, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$7,000,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$3,000,000

**Award Floor:**

\$50,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

For profit organizations other than  
small businesses  
County governments  
Small businesses  
State governments  
Independent school districts  
Public housing authorities/Indian  
housing authorities  
Others (see text field entitled  
"Additional Information on  
Eligibility" for clarification)  
Special district governments  
Native American tribal governments  
(Federally recognized)  
Native American tribal organizations  
(other than Federally recognized  
tribal governments)  
City or township governments  
Private institutions of higher  
education  
Public and State controlled  
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  
Individuals

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Also open to sole proprietorships,  
legally-organized for-profit or  
nonprofit organizations such as, but  
not limited to, a corporation,

association, partnership (including a limited liability partnership), cooperative, or trust. Applicant must be located in the United States, a U.S. Territory or other area authorized by law to participate in programs of the Rural Utilities Service or under the Rural Electrification Act.

**Agency Name:**  
**Description:**

Utilities Programs  
The Rural Utilities Service (RUS), an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), announces the availability of up to \$7 million in Fiscal Year 2014 for competitive grants to assist communities with extremely high energy costs. The grant funds may be used to acquire, construct, or improve energy generation, transmission, or distribution facilities serving communities with average annual residential expenditure for home energy exceeding 275 percent of the national average. On-grid and off-grid renewable energy projects and implementation of energy efficiency, and energy conservation projects are also eligible. Grant funds may not be used for the preparation of the grant application, or for: payment of utility bills, fuel purchases, routine maintenance or other routine operating costs, or for the purchase of any equipment, structures, or real estate not directly associated with provision of community energy services. This notice describes the eligibility and application requirements, the criteria that will be used by RUS to award funding, and information on how to obtain application materials.

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

[Grant Program Homepage](#)

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically,

please contact:

Karen Larsen Management Analyst

Phone 2027208787

[email address](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258500>

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

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** USDA-NIFA-SBIR-004553  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Small Business Innovation Research Program - Phase I  
**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Agriculture  
**Category Explanation:**  
**Expected Number of Awards:**  
**CFDA Number(s):** 10.212 -- Small Business Innovation Research  
**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No  
**Posted Date:** Jun 20, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Jun 20, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Oct 2, 2014  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Oct 2, 2014  
**Archive Date:** Nov 1, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$18,300,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$100,000  
**Eligible Applicants:** Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Each applicant submitting an application must qualify as a small business concern for R/R&D purposes at the time of award (see definitions in section 2.0). A potential grantee that is a subsidiary must show that the parent company is also a small business entity and the parent company must provide documentation supporting their small business status (the documentation should be included in Field 12, Other Attachments, of the Research and Related (R&R) Other



Project Information form). If the parent company is not a small business entity, then the subsidiary is not eligible to submit an SBIR application. In addition, the primary employment of the Project Director (PD) must be with the small business concern at the time of award and during the conduct of the proposed research, unless otherwise approved in writing by NIFA. Eligible primary employment means that more than one-half of the PD's time is spent in the employ of the small business. Primary employment with the small business precludes the applicant as a full-time employee with another organization. This requirement applies to Phase I awards and any deviations from this requirement must be approved in writing by the USDA Authorized Departmental Officer (ADO) after consultation with the appropriate National Program Leader (NPL). While the PD must work more than one-half of his/her time for the small business during the entire grant period, there is no time requirement for the PD's work on the proposed research.

**Agency Name:**

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

**Description:**

Funds may be awarded up to \$100,000 for a Phase I project. 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 I](#)

**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=258169>

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**Modifications:**

**Reminders:**

Utilities Programs  
Section 533 Housing Preservation Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice                               |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | USDA-RD-HCFP-HPG-2014                       |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Section 533 Housing Preservation Grant      |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary                               |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant                                       |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Community Development                       |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 85  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 10.433 -- Rural Housing Preservation Grants |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 11, 2014                                |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 11, 2014                                |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Jul 24, 2014                                |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Jul 24, 2014                                |

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| <b>Archive Date:</b>                          | Aug 23, 2014   |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>       | \$3,905,553  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                         | \$50,000   |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                           | \$0  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                   | Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education<br>Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)<br>Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities<br>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)<br>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)<br>City or township governments<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b> | Faith-Based and Community Organizations<br>Utilities Programs  |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                           | The Rural Housing Service (RHS)  |
| <b>Description:</b>                           | announces that it is soliciting applications under its Housing Preservation Grant (HPG) program. The HPG program is a grant program which provides qualified public agencies, private nonprofit organizations, which may include but not be limited to Faith-Based and Community Organizations, and other eligible entities grant funds to assist very low- and low-income homeowners in repairing and rehabilitating their homes in rural areas. In addition, the HPG program assists rental property owners and cooperative housing complexes in repairing and rehabilitating their units if they agree to make such units available to low- and very low-income persons. This action is taken to comply with Agency regulations found in 7 CFR part 1944, subpart |

N, which require the Agency to announce the opening and closing dates for receipt of preapplications for HPG funds from eligible applicants. The intended effect of this Notice is to provide eligible organizations notice of these dates.

[web-site](#)

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

Bonnie Edwards-Jackson, Finance and Loan Analyst, Multi-Family Housing Preservation and Direct Loan Division, Rural Housing Service Phone: 202-690-0759

[eMail address](#)

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

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=257434>

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**Risk Management Education**

Natural Resources Conservation Service  
Regional Conservation Partnership Program Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                | Grants Notice                                   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>   | USDA-NRCS-NHQ-RCPP-14-01                        |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>    | Regional Conservation Partnership Program       |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>         | Mandatory                                       |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>      | Other   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b> | Agriculture<br>Environment<br>Natural Resources |

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| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 150  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         |  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | May 27, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | May 27, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Jul 14, 2014 Closed date is for submission of Pre-proposal applications only. Selected applicants will be notified to submit full proposals. |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Jul 14, 2014 Closed date is for submission of Pre-proposal   |

applications only. Selected applicants will be notified to submit full proposals.

**Archive Date:** Aug 13, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$400,000,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$20,000,000

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** OTHER: See Section III.A. Partner Eligibility for additional eligible applicants 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 and implement conservation practices and activities to deliver environmental benefits locally, regionally, and nationally. Through the new Farm Bill, NRCS has been given the authority to enhance regional cooperation to more effectively implement and maintain conservation activities, thereby promoting the restoration and sustainable use of soil, water, wildlife, and related natural resources on regional or watershed scales. Through the Regional

Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP), NRCS will co-invest in mobilizing creative and workable solutions to agricultural production and resource management challenges. These solutions will benefit not only individual farming, ranching, and forest operations, but also local economies and the communities and resource users in a watershed or other geographic area that depend on the quality of the natural resources. Through RCPP, NRCS will increase the opportunity for partners to bring innovative ideas and resources to accelerate conservation on private lands. RCPP partners will have the opportunity to join in this mission by developing project applications, as described in this notice, to address specific natural resource objectives in a proposed area or region. Partners will commit to activities to promote, implement, and evaluate the outcomes of conservation. RCPP combines the authorities of four former conservation programs – the Agricultural Water Enhancement Program, Chesapeake Bay Watershed Program, Cooperative Conservation Partnership Initiative (CCPI), and Great Lakes Basin Program. Assistance is delivered in accordance with the rules 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 areas, the Watershed Operations and Flood Prevention Program. The purpose of this notice is to announce the availability of nearly \$400 million in CCC funding for RCPP and to solicit applications

from potential partners who seek to enter into partnership agreements with NRCS under RCPP. Partners will work with producers and landowners to promote the restoration and sustainable use of natural resources on regional or watershed scales. 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, Republic of Palau, Federated States of Micronesia, Republic of Marshall Islands, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands).  
CFDA number 10.930

**Link to Additional Information:  
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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-004468

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Agriculture and Food Research  
Initiative: Water for Agriculture  
Challenge Area

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Agriculture  
Environment

**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 24, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Feb 24, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014 (see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014 (see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014.

**Archive Date:** Sep 12, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$6,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$1,000,000  
**Award Floor:** \$0  
**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](#)

**Contact Information:**

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NIFA Help Desk Phone: 202-401-5048 Business hours are M-F, 7:00 am -5:00 pm ET, excluding Federal holidays

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251746>

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

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004412  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Agriculture<br>Community Development<br>Energy<br>Environment<br>Food and Nutrition<br>Natural Resources |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Dec 23, 2013   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Dec 23, 2013   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas   |

within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

**Archive Date:** Oct 29, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$82,000,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$500,000

**Award Floor:** \$0

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. 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:**

[Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program](#)

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### Programs:

John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue Assistance Grant Program (Prescott Grant Program)  
for Fiscal Year 2015 Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

NOAA-NMFS-PRPO-2015-  
2004151

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| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue Assistance Grant Program (Prescott Grant Program) for Fiscal Year 2015   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Education<br>Environment<br>Science and Technology and other<br>Research and Development   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 11.439 -- Marine Mammal Data Program   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jul 2, 2014  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jul 2, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Oct 8, 2014  |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Oct 8, 2014  |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Nov 7, 2014  |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        |  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$100,000  |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$0  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | All eligible applicants must currently be an active, authorized participant or researcher in the National Marine Mammal Stranding Network. Eligible applicants must be: 1) Stranding Agreement (SA) holders or their designee organizations; or 2) holders of researcher authorization letters issued by a NMFS Regional Administrator and/or an MMPA and/or ESA scientific research or enhancement permit (when applicable); or 3) an eligible Federal, state, or local government personnel or tribal personnel (pursuant to Section 109(h) of the MMPA (16 U.S.C. 1379(h)); or 4) diagnostic laboratories performing services for the stranding network. Federal agencies in the DOC or Department of the Interior (DOI) are not eligible |

to receive Federal assistance under this notice. \*Please review the entire Eligibility Section for more information.

**Agency Name:**  
**Description:**

Department of Commerce  
NOAA NMFS' Marine Mammal Health and Stranding Response Program is directed under the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA) to facilitate the collection and dissemination of reference data on stranded marine mammals and health trends of marine mammal populations in the wild. The John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue Assistance Grant Program is administered by NOAA to provide Federal assistance to eligible members of the National Marine Mammal Stranding Network to: 1) support basic needs of organizations for response, treatment, and data collection from living and dead stranded marine mammals, 2) fund scientific research objectives designed to answer questions about marine mammal strandings, health, or rehabilitation techniques utilizing data from living and dead stranded marine mammals, and 3) support facility operations directly related to the recovery, treatment, and data collection from living and dead stranded marine mammals. This document describes how to submit proposals for funding in fiscal year (FY) 2015 and how NMFS will determine which proposals will be funded. This document should be read in its entirety, as some information has changed from the previous year.

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

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Telephone: 301-427-8402  
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Marine Fisheries Initiative (MARFIN) Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | NOAA-NMFS-SE-2015-2004143   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Marine Fisheries Initiative<br>(MARFIN)   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Education<br>Environment<br>Science and Technology and other<br>Research and Development  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 6   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 11.433 -- Marine Fisheries Initiative   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jul 2, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jul 2, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Oct 2, 2014   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Oct 2, 2014   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Nov 1, 2014   |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$2,000,000   |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$525,000   |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$100,000   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | City or township governments<br>Nonprofits that do not have a<br>501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other<br>than institutions of higher education<br>Public and State controlled<br>institutions of higher education<br>Individuals<br>Native American tribal governments<br>(Federally recognized)<br>State governments<br>County governments<br>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

**Agency Name:**

Department of Commerce

**Description:**

The Marine Fisheries Initiative (MARFIN) is a competitive Federal assistance program that funds projects seeking to optimize research and development benefits from U.S. marine fishery resources through cooperative efforts involving the best research and management talents to accomplish priority activities. Projects funded under MARFIN provide answers for fishery needs covered by the NMFS Strategic Plan, available from National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), particularly those goals relating to: rebuilding over-fished marine fisheries, maintaining currently productive fisheries, and integrating conservation of protected species and fisheries management. Funding priorities for MARFIN are formulated from recommendations received from non-scientific and technical experts and from NMFS research and operations officials. With the long-term planning capabilities available through the Southeast Data Assessment and Review (SEDAR) process, the priorities are selected to coordinate assessment needs with this solicitation. There is no preference between short-term and long-term projects.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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Cooperative Research Program (CRP) Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | NOAA-NMFS-SE-2015-2004136  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Cooperative Research Program (CRP)   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Environment<br>Science and Technology and other<br>Research and Development  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 8  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 11.454 -- Unallied Management<br>Projects  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 22, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 22, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Sep 2, 2014  |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Sep 2, 2014  |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Oct 2, 2014  |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$2,000,000  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$300,000  |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$25,000   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Eligible applicants may be institutions of higher education, nonprofits, commercial organizations, individuals, and state, local, and Indian tribal governments. Federal agencies or institutions are not eligible. Foreign governments, organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments, and international organizations are excluded for purposes of this solicitation since the objective of the CRP is to optimize research and development benefits from U.S. |

marine fishery resources. Applicants who are not commercial or recreational fisherman must have commercial or recreational fishermen participating in their project. There must be a written agreement with a fisherman describing the involvement in the project activity and the estimated dollar amount to be provided to that fisherman in compensation for his involvement.

**Agency Name:**

Department of Commerce

**Description:**

The Cooperative Research Program (CRP) provides opportunity to compete for financial assistance for projects which seek to increase and improve the working relationship between fisheries researchers from the NMFS, state fishery agencies, universities, and the U.S. fishing industry (recreational and commercial) in the Gulf of Mexico (FL, AL, MS, LA, TX), South Atlantic (FL, NC, SC, GA) and Caribbean (USVI and Puerto Rico). The program is a means of involving commercial and recreational fishermen in the collection of fundamental fisheries information in support of management and regulatory options. This program addresses NOAA's mission goal to "Protect, Restore, and Manage the Use of Coastal and Ocean Resources through an Ecosystem Approach to Management."

**Link to Additional Information:**

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National Institute of Standards and Technology  
Business-to-Business Network Pilots Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** 2014-NIST-MEP-B2BN-01  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Business-to-Business Network Pilots  
**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):** 11.611 -- Manufacturing Extension Partnership

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Jun 20, 2014

**Creation Date:**

Jun 20, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Aug 4, 2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Aug 4, 2014

**Archive Date:**

Sep 3, 2014

**Eligible Applicants:**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible applicants are existing Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership (MEP) Centers. Applicants are strongly encouraged to form teaming arrangements involving multiple MEP Centers and service providers such that multiple Centers share appropriate infrastructure (hardware, software, expertise, knowledge and/or services as examples) to address scouting needs on a regional level. An eligible organization may work individually or include proposed subawardees and/or contractors or other collaborators in a project proposal, effectively forming a team or consortium.

**Agency Name:**

National Institute of Standards and Technology

**Description:**

NIST invites proposals from eligible applicants to deploy and maintain one or more Business-to-Business

Network (B2B Network) pilot projects. The B2B Network pilots shall have the human and information infrastructure needed to conduct real-time business opportunity scouting, technology scouting, supplier scouting and market scouting including the active content management and human interactions needed to establish and maintain data quality, identify opportunities and make matches on behalf of companies.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[2014-NIST-MEP-B2BN-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)

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**Modifications:**

**Reminders:**

FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)  
Modification 3

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

NOAA-NFA-NFAPO-2014-2003949

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency  
Announcement (BAA)

**Opportunity Category:**

Other

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement  
Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Environment  
Science and Technology and other  
Research and Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

11.469 -- Congressionally Identified

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| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Awards and Projects<br>No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Dec 9, 2013  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Mar 25, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Sep 30, 2015   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Sep 30, 2015   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Oct 30, 2015   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Eligible applicants may be institutions of higher education, nonprofits, commercial organizations, international or foreign organizations or governments, individuals, state, local and Indian Tribal governments. Eligibility also depends on the statutory authority that permits NOAA to fund the proposed activity. Refer to the CFDA in order to determine an applicant's eligibility. If the applicant is a university that has a NOAA Joint or Cooperative Institute (CI), the institution is encouraged to submit an application that will be associated with the CI. The application must specify the name of the CI, its most recent award number, and the NOAA-approved research theme applicable to the work to be performed in the project narrative. The application will use the facilities and administrative rate (F&A or Indirect Cost Rate) associated with most recent CI award. |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Department of Commerce   |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | The purpose of this notice is to request applications for special projects and programs associated with NOAA's strategic plan and mission goals, as well as to provide the general public with information and guidelines on how NOAA will select proposals and administer discretionary Federal assistance under this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA). This BAA is a mechanism to   |

encourage research, education and outreach, innovative projects, or sponsorships that are not addressed through our competitive discretionary programs. It is not a mechanism for awarding congressionally directed funds or existing funded awards. Funding for potential projects in this notice is contingent upon the availability of Fiscal Year 2014 and Fiscal Year 2015 appropriations. Applicants are hereby given notice that funds have not yet been appropriated for any potential activities in this notice. Publication of this announcement does not oblige NOAA to review an application, or to award any specific project, or to obligate any available funds.

**Link to Additional Information:  
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**Economic Development Administration  
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs  
And Modification 1**

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>   | EDAP2014   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>    | FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>         | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>      | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b> | Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)<br>Regional Development  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>         | 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  
Yes

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**  
**Posted Date:**  
**Creation Date:**  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Nov 25, 2013  
Nov 26, 2013  
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](http://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

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

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

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**Eligible Applicants:**

application deadlines under this announcement  
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:**

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**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Economic Development Administration  
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**Link to Additional Information:  
Contact Information:**

[EDA Website](#)

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If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact your state representative. Please direct any questions to the EDA representative for your state. A complete list of EDA representatives is available on EDA's website at <http://eda.gov/contacts.htm>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248297>

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

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| 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.

### **Link to Additional Information**

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

David Ives [Planning and Local TA email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=189193>

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Economic Development Administration  
FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

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| Document Type:              | Modification to Previous Grants Notice |
| Funding Opportunity Number: | EDAP2013                               |
| Opportunity Category:       | Discretionary                          |
| Posted Date:                | Nov 26, 2012                           |

Creation Date: Nov 27, 2012

Original Closing Date for Applications: The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov) (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at 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 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

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Archive Date:

Mar 31, 2014

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:

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Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:



CFDA Number(s): 11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities

11.307 -- Economic Adjustment 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)

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Private institutions of higher education

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

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### **Agency Name**

Economic Development Administration

### **Description**

EDA provides strategic investments that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Under this FFO, EDA solicits applications from both rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs. Grants made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets to support the implementation of economic

development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

### Link to Additional Information

[EDA's website](#)

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

Kerstin Millius  
Senior Program Analyst [Kerstin Millius](#)

### Synopsis Modification History

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

| File Name                         | Date         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| <a href="#">Original Synopsis</a> | Nov 26, 2012 |

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=208353>

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Modifications:

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Corporation for National and Community Service

[General Program Overview](#)

AmeriCorps provides resources, both human and financial, to organizations that engage Americans in intensive service to meet our country's critical needs.

Grantees use the funding to support AmeriCorps members for intensive service in their community. AmeriCorps grants partially cover the expense of operating an AmeriCorps program and do not cover general organizational expenses. A cash and in-kind match is required.

The main website can be accessed here: <http://www.nationalservice.gov>



For access to further funding information: [click here](#)

<http://www.nationalservice.gov/build-your-capacity/grants/funding-opportunities>

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## National Service In Georgia - 2012-2013

**Meeting Community Needs in Georgia:** More than **5,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Georgia. Serving at more than **650** 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 **\$18,820,000** to support Georgia communities through national service initiatives. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional **\$4,150,000** in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars.

## AmeriCorps

This year, AmeriCorps will provide more than **1,500** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Georgia. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the **Georgia Commission for Service and Volunteerism**, 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 **15,000 Georgia** residents have served more than **20 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$42,720,000**.

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

### Senior Corps

More than **3,500** seniors in Georgia 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 **2,600** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **1,000** 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 **150** groups across Georgia.

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

### 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 grant-making 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 Georgia, 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 **\$170,000** in expanding the impact of **2** nonprofits in Georgia.

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

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](http://NationalService.gov) or [Serve.gov](http://Serve.gov) or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

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### Justice AmeriCorps Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | CNCS-GRANTS-06232014  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Justice AmeriCorps  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Law, Justice and Legal Services   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   | The mission of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is to improve lives, strengthen communities, and foster civic participation through service and volunteering. CNCS through its AmeriCorps and Senior Corps programs and the Social Innovation Fund has helped to engage millions of citizens in meeting community and national challenges through service and volunteer action. This AmeriCorps State and National (AmeriCorps) Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity Notice (Notice) is to provide legal aid to certain unaccompanied minors and to improve the effective and efficient adjudication of immigration removal proceedings involving those children. |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 94.006 -- AmeriCorps  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 23, 2014  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 23, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Jul 22, 2014 Submitting a notification of your organization's Intent to Apply is strongly encouraged. The deadline for Intent to Apply submission is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 15, 2014. Reference the Notice for the instructions to submit your Intent to Apply. The deadline for eGrants  |

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

application submission is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 22, 2014. Jul 22, 2014 Submitting a notification of your organization's Intent to Apply is strongly encouraged. The deadline for Intent to Apply submission is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 15, 2014. Reference the Notice for the instructions to submit your Intent to Apply. The deadline for eGrants application submission is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 22, 2014.

**Archive Date:  
Eligible Applicants:**

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
County governments  
Special district governments  
City or township governments  
Private institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
State governments  
Public or private nonprofit organizations, including faith-based and other community organizations; institutions of higher education; government entities within states(e.g., cities, counties);; or a partnership or consortia consisting of the aforementioned are eligible to apply. Intermediaries are encouraged to apply. Single-State applicants: If your organization proposes to operate a program in just one state, please contact your State Commission, which can be found here:  
<http://www.americorps.gov/about/contact/statecommission.asp> You will need to apply to your respective State Commission and not directly to CNCS unless otherwise instructed by the State Commission. Multi-

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

State applicants: If your organization proposes to operate a program in more than one state, you are eligible to apply for a national grant. You will apply directly to the Corporation.

Corporation for National and Community Service

This Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity (Notice) will support a program jointly sponsored by the Department of Justice's Executive Office of Immigration Review (EOIR) and the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) to improve the efficient and effective adjudication of immigration court proceedings involving unaccompanied children.

The purpose of this program is to use the AmeriCorps service model to improve the efficient and effective adjudication of immigration court proceedings involving unaccompanied children. Grants awarded in response to this Notice will enable grantees to enroll lawyers and paralegals to serve as AmeriCorps members ("AmeriCorps members" or "members") providing legal services to this vulnerable population. Specifically, the program is intended to provide legal services to children under the age of 16 who: (1) are not in the custody of the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) or the Department of Homeland Security; (2) have received a Notice to Appear in removal proceedings before EOIR; and, (3) have not had their cases consolidated with removal proceedings against a parent or legal guardian (Unaccompanied Children or Unaccompanied Child). The legal representation shall be limited to immigration or custody proceedings

before EOIR Immigration Courts; appellate proceedings before the Board of Immigration Appeals; proceedings before United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), including applications for asylum, Special Immigrant Juvenile (SIJ) status, and/or T or U nonimmigrant status; and state court proceedings seeking orders necessary to support applications for SIJ status (Immigration Proceedings). Immigration Proceedings shall not include any claims, litigation, or other proceedings before federal district courts, courts of appeals, or the Supreme Court. Proposed programs must provide legal services to Unaccompanied Children in Immigration Proceedings to increase the effective and efficient adjudication of immigration court cases involving those children. In addition, programs should facilitate the identification of Unaccompanied Children who have been victims of human trafficking or abuse and decrease the risk that those children may be trafficked upon return to their country of nationality or last habitual residence; screen Unaccompanied Children for abuse, trafficking, and trauma; refer suspected cases of abuse, trafficking, and trauma to appropriate law enforcement authorities and/or appropriate support services; build pro bono capacity to support the populations of unaccompanied children in the immigration court location(s) in which members will serve; and strengthen national service so that participants engaged in CNCS-supported programs consistently find satisfaction, meaning and opportunity. Please



**Link to Additional Information:**

**Contact Information:**

direct questions about this Notice to  
americorpsgrants@cns.gov.

[Full description of the competition.](#)

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

please call 202/606-7508

[direct email for this competition](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258377>

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Social Innovation Fund Pay for Success Grant Competition

Modification 1

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

CNCS-GRANTS-06272014

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Social Innovation Fund Pay for  
Success Grant Competition

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Community Development  
Education  
Employment, Labor and Training  
Food and Nutrition  
Health  
Housing  
Income Security and Social Services  
Law, Justice and Legal Services  
Regional Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

5

**CFDA Number(s):**

94.024 -- Social Innovation Fund  
Pay for Success

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Yes

**Posted Date:**

Jun 27, 2014

**Creation Date:**

Jun 30, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Jul 31, 2014 5:00 PM Eastern  
Standard Time

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Jul 31, 2014 5:00 PM Eastern  
Standard Time

**Archive Date:**

Aug 1, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$11,160,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$3,600,000

**Award Floor:**

\$250,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

County governments  
Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)  
Private institutions of higher education  
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  
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)  
City or township governments  
Special district governments  
Corporation for National and Community Service

**Agency Name:**

**Description:** The SIF Pay for Success Grants Competition (“PFS Competition”) seeks to advance and evaluate emerging models that align payment for social services with verified social outcomes. Consistent with the broader mission of the SIF, the PFS Competition intends to encourage the implementation of PFS projects in order to enhance the reach and impact of innovative community-based solutions in low-income communities. Grantees must match the grant funds they receive one-to-one in cash from with non-federal sources and in services provided.

**Link to Additional Information:** [website with all information about grant competition](#)

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  
  
call (202) 606-3223  
[direct email for this competition](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258690>

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Reminders:

2015 RSVP Competition Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | CNCS-06-05-2014   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | 2015 RSVP Competition   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Consumer Protection<br>Disaster Prevention and Relief<br>Education<br>Environment<br>Health<br>Housing<br>Other (see text field entitled<br>"Explanation of Other Category of<br>Funding Activity" for clarification)<br>Transportation   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   | Supporting service opportunities for<br>volunteers age 55 and over.   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 94.002 -- Retired and Senior<br>Volunteer Program   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 5, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 5, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Sep 9, 2014   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Sep 9, 2014   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Oct 9, 2014   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | State governments<br>County governments<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status<br>with the IRS, other than institutions<br>of higher education<br>City or township governments<br>Private institutions of higher<br>education<br>Independent school districts<br>Native American tribal governments<br>(Federally recognized)<br>Public housing authorities/Indian<br>housing authorities<br>Native American tribal organizations<br>(other than Federally recognized<br>tribal governments)<br>Special district governments |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Corporation for National and<br>Community Service   |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | Established in 1971 and now one of  |

the largest senior volunteer programs in the nation, RSVP offers a diverse range of volunteer activities that serve communities to create measurable impact, benefit volunteers through the service experience, and create community capacity. RSVP volunteers serve with commitments ranging from a few hours to 40 hours per week. Click here for RSVP Program Regulations. Through this competition CNCS seeks to increase the impact of national service in 341 specific communities across the country. CNCS intends to fund RSVP grants that support volunteers 55 years and older serving in a diverse range of activities that meet specific community needs and that respond to National Performance Measures. RSVP grant applications must:

- Serve the entire geographic service area associated with the funding opportunities listed in Appendix A;
- Support the minimum number of volunteers listed in Appendix A;
- Meet the National Performance Measure requirements and other criteria established in this Notice; and
- Minimize, to the extent possible, disruptions to the current volunteers associated with any incumbent project.

Please see Appendix C for more information on how new and incumbent applicants must describe how they plan to minimize the disruption of volunteers if they propose graduating volunteer stations that are included in an incumbent project.

[Notice of Funding](#)

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

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

Senior Corps RSVP

[Senior Corps mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=256837>

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**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 \(PTACs\)](#)

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.

[http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing\\_business/index.htm](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](http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx)

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### 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.

[ARMY](#)

*Navy*

- [MSC](#)
- [NAVAIR](#)
- [NAVAIR NAWCTSD](#)
- [NAVFAC](#)
- [NAVSUP](#)
- [NAVSUP WSS](#)
- [SPAWAR](#)
- [SSP](#)
- [USMC I&L](#)

*Air Force*

- [Air Force OSBP](#)
- [Hanscom AFB](#)

[Defense Logistics Agency](#)

**Research:**

Air Force -- Research Lab  
AFRL/RXM Manufacturing Technology Open BAA Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258475>

Defense Logistics Agency  
Procurement Technical Assistance Program (PTAP) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258791>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency  
DARPA - MTO - BAA0718  
Hyper-wideband Enabled RF Messaging (HERMES) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258736>

**Modifications:**



Defense Logistics Agency  
Procurement Technical Assistance Program (PTAP)  
Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=238300>

Office of Naval Research  
NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND  
Transport injured, ill, and orphaned wildlife from San Diego Bay to rehabilitation center  
Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=255184>

Office of Naval Research  
Naval Supply Systems Command  
BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT (BAA) FOR RESEARCH INITIATIVES AT THE NAVAL  
POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL  
Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=235221>

**Reminders:**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command  
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research  
Modification 3

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | W911NF-12-R-0011   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant<br>Other<br>Procurement Contract                              |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Science and Technology and other Research and Development                                    |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 1000   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | May 31, 2012   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Sep 5, 2013  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Mar 31, 2017   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Mar 31, 2017   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Apr 30, 2017   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any                        |

clarification in text field entitled  
"Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Description:**

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[ARL BAA home web page](#)

**Contact Information:**

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

Ernest Dixon III Procurement Analyst Phone 919-549-4270

[BAA Mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173578>

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Department of the Army -- Materiel Command  
Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research  
Modification 4

**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

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Procurement Contract  
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:**

May 31, 2012

**Creation Date:**

Sep 5, 2013

**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

**Description:**

entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" 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.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[ARL BAA web page](#)

**Contact Information:**

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Phone 919-549-4270  
[BAA Mailbox](#)

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

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Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command  
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

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| Document Type:                          | Grants Notice   |
| Funding Opportunity Number:             | W911NF-12-R-0011  |
| Opportunity Category:                   | Discretionary   |
| Posted Date:                            | May 31, 2012  |
| Creation Date:                          | May 31, 2012  |
| Original Closing Date for Applications: | Mar 31, 2017  |
| Current Closing Date for Applications:  | Mar 31, 2017  |
| Archive Date:                           | Apr 30, 2017  |
| Funding Instrument Type:                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant<br>Other<br>Procurement Contract |

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and Development  
Category Explanation:  
Expected Number of Awards: 1000  
Estimated Total Program Funding:  
Award Ceiling:  
Award Floor:  
CFDA Number(s): 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research  
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

### **No 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:**

#### **Agency Name**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

#### **Description**

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#### **Link to Additional Information**

[ARL BAA home web page](#)

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## 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](http://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:

**ED.gov** U.S. Department of Education

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Funding Policy Research News About ED

## 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.

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### 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...

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

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#### Other grant information

- [IES funding:](#) funding opportunities from ED's Institute for Education Sciences
- [Grants.gov:](#) federal government grant competitions

#### How Do I Find... ?

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- Pell grants
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Programs:

**Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Innovative Approaches to Literacy (IAL)  
Program CFDA Number 84.215G Grant**

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** ED-GRANTS-061714-001  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Innovative Approaches to Literacy (IAL) Program CFDA Number 84.215G

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Education  
**Category Explanation:**  
**Expected Number of Awards:** 31  
**CFDA Number(s):** 84.215 -- Fund for the Improvement of Education

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No  
**Posted Date:** Jun 17, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Jun 17, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 17, 2014 Applications Available: June 17, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: July 17, 2014.  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 17, 2014 Applications Available: June 17, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: July 17, 2014.

**Archive Date:** Aug 16, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$24,341,646  
**Eligible Applicants:** Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
Private institutions of higher education  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 1. Eligible Applicants: To be considered for an award under this competition, an applicant must: (a) Be one of the following: (1) A high-need LEA (as defined in this notice); (2) An NNP (as defined in this notice) that serves children and students within the attendance boundaries of one or more high-need LEAs; (3) A consortium of NNPs

that serves children and students within the attendance boundaries of one or more high-need LEAs; (4) A consortium of high-need LEAs; or (5) A consortium of one or more high-need LEAs and one or more NNPs that serve children and students within the attendance boundaries of one or more high-need LEAs. (b) Coordinate with school libraries in developing project proposals.

**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 IAL program supports high-quality programs designed to develop and improve literacy skills for children and students from birth through 12th grade in high-need local educational agencies (high-need LEAs, as defined in this notice) and schools. The U.S. Department of Education (Department) intends to support innovative programs that promote early literacy for young children, motivate older children to read, and increase student achievement by



using school libraries as partners to improve literacy, distributing free books to children and their families, and offering high-quality literacy activities. Many schools and districts across the Nation do not have school libraries that deliver high-quality literacy programming to children and their families. Additionally, many schools do not have qualified library media specialists and library facilities. Where facilities do exist, they often lack adequate books and other materials and resources. In many communities, high-need children have limited access to appropriate age- and grade-level reading material in their homes. The IAL program supports the implementation of high-quality plans for childhood literacy activities and book distribution efforts that are supported by evidence of strong theory (as defined in this notice).

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.215G. Applications for grants under the Innovative Approaches to Literacy Program, CFDA number 84.215G, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at [www.Grants.gov](http://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 application for the IAL program at [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov). You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for

**Link to Additional Information:**

84.215, not 84.215G).  
[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Innovative Approaches to Literacy \(IAL\) Program CFDA Number 84.215G; Notice Inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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U.S. Department of Education 400 Maryland Avenue SW., Room 3E334 Washington, DC 20202-6200.  
Telephone: (202) 260-8268 or by email: melvin.graham@ed.gov.  
[e-Mail: Program Manager](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=257930>

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Modifications:

Reminders:

**Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Program CFDA Number 84.336S Grant**

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                         | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>            | ED-GRANTS-052814-001  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>             | Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Program CFDA Number 84.336S |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                  | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>               | Grant   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>          | Education   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                  |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>             | 20  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                        | 84.336 -- Teacher Quality Partnership Grants  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>  | Yes   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Jul 14, 2014 Applications Available: May 28, 2014. Deadline for Notice of                                 |

Intent to Apply: June 27, 2014. The Department will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this competition. Therefore, the Secretary strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. The Secretary requests that this email notification be sent to Christine Miller at [TQPartnership@ed.gov](mailto:TQPartnership@ed.gov). Applicants that fail to provide this email notification may still apply for funding. Date of Pre-Application Webinars (all times are Washington, DC time): Tuesday, June 10, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. and Thursday, June 12, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. Further information will be available at: [www2.ed.gov/programs/tqpartnership/aplicant.html](http://www2.ed.gov/programs/tqpartnership/aplicant.html). Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: July 14, 2014.

Aug 13, 2014

\$35,000,000

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

**Archive Date:**

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

**Eligible Applicants:**

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

All applicants must meet the following general application requirements in order to be considered for funding. Except as specifically noted in this section, the general application requirements are from section 202 of the HEA (20 U.S.C. 1022a). Each eligible partnership desiring a grant under this program must submit an application that contains-- (a) A needs assessment of the partners in the eligible partnership with respect to the preparation, ongoing training, professional development, and retention of general education and special

education teachers, principals, and, as applicable, early childhood educators; (b) A description of the extent to which the program to be carried out with grant funds, as described in Absolute Priority 1 or Absolute Priority 2, or both, in this notice, and, if the applicant chooses to do so, a Partnership Grant for the Development of Leadership Program, as described in section 202(f) of the HEA, will prepare prospective and new teachers with strong teaching skills; (c) A description of how such program will prepare prospective and new teachers to understand and use research and data to modify and improve classroom instruction; (d) A description of-- (1) How the eligible partnership will coordinate strategies and activities assisted under the grant with other teacher preparation or professional development programs, including programs funded under the ESEA and IDEA and through the National Science Foundation; and (2) How the activities of the partnership will be consistent with State, local, and other education reform activities that promote teacher quality and student academic achievement; (e) An assessment that describes the resources available to the eligible partnership, including-- (1) The integration of funds from other related sources; (2) The intended use of the grant funds; and (3) The commitment of the resources of the partnership to the activities assisted under this program, including financial support, faculty participation, and time commitments, and to the continuation of the activities when the grant ends. (f) A description of-- (1) How the eligible partnership will meet the purposes of the TQP Grant Program as specified in section 201 of the HEA; (2) How the partnership will carry out the activities required under Absolute Priority 1 or Absolute Priority 2, or both,

as described in this notice, based on the needs identified in paragraph (a), with the goal of improving student academic achievement; (3) If the partnership chooses to use funds under the TQP Grant Program for a project or activities under section 202(f) of the HEA [Partnership Grants for the Development of Leadership Programs] or section 202(g) of the HEA [Partnership with Digital Education Content Developer], how the partnership will carry out such project or required activities based on the needs identified in the needs assessment described in paragraph (a), with the goal of improving student academic achievement;

**Description:**

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<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 Teacher Quality Partnership (TQP) Grant Program aims to increase student achievement by improving the quality of new prospective teachers by enhancing the preparation of prospective teachers and the professional development activities for current teachers; holding teacher preparation programs at institutions of higher education (IHEs) accountable for preparing highly qualified teachers; and recruiting effective individuals, including

minorities and individuals from other occupations, into the teaching force.

Background: The TQP Grant Program supports partnerships among (i) IHEs, (ii) high-need local educational agencies (LEAs), and (iii) high-need schools served by such LEAs or high-need early childhood education (ECE) programs. These partnerships must implement (a) teacher preparation programs at the pre-baccalaureate or "fifth-year" level that include specific reforms in IHEs' existing teacher preparation programs; (b) teacher residency programs for individuals with strong academic or professional backgrounds but without teaching experience; or (c) both. In this competition, we are especially interested in supporting partnership programs that prepare teachers to teach subjects in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). In his 2011 State of the Union address, the President called for a new effort to prepare 100,000 STEM teachers over the next decade with strong teaching skills and deep content knowledge. The President's goal has been incorporated into an Administration-wide priority, as part of both the Federal STEM Education 5-Year Strategic Plan \1\ released in May 2013 and as a Cross Agency Priority Goal \2\ announced earlier this year. In addition, answering the President's call to action, nearly 200 organizations have formed a coalition called 100Kin10, all committed to the goal of increasing the supply of excellent STEM teachers; hiring, developing, and retaining excellent STEM teachers; and building the 100Kin10 movement.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.336S. Applications for grants under the TQP Grant Program, CFDA number 84.336S, must be submitted electronically using the Government wide Grants.gov Apply site at [www.Grants.gov](http://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 application for the TQP Grant Program at [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov). You must search for the downloadable application package for this program [competition] by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.336, not 84.336S). [Office of Innovation and Improvement \(OII\): Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Program CFDA Number 84.336S; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>   | ED-GRANTS-041014-006  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>    | Institute of Education Sciences (IES):<br>Special Education Research CFDA<br>Number 84.324A |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>         | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>      | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b> | Education   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>         |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>    |   |

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| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 84.324 -- Research in Special Education   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Apr 10, 2014  |
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| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Sep 6, 2014   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | County governments<br>Special district governments<br>For profit organizations other than small businesses<br>Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)<br>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education<br>State governments<br>Private institutions of higher education<br>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education<br>City or township governments |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | 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.   |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Department of Education   |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register   |



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**Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers:** 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov). Through this site you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload

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**Link to Additional Information:**

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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**Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Special Education Research Training  
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**Document Type:**

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**Funding Opportunity Number:**

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**Funding Opportunity Title:**

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|  | Special Education Research Training<br>CFDA Number 84.324B  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Education   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 84.324 -- Research in Special<br>Education  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
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| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Apr 10, 2014  |
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| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:<br>June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of<br>Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.<br>Deadline for Transmittal of<br>Applications: August 7, 2014.   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Sep 6, 2014   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Private institutions of higher education<br>Public and State controlled institutions<br>of higher education<br>Special district governments<br>City or township governments<br>Others (see text field entitled<br>"Additional Information on<br>Eligibility" for clarification)<br>State governments<br>County governments<br>For profit organizations other than<br>small businesses<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status<br>with the IRS, other than institutions of<br>higher education<br>Nonprofits that do not have a<br>501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other<br>than institutions of higher education |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Eligible Applicants: Applicants that<br>have the ability and capacity to<br>conduct scientifically valid research<br>are eligible to apply. Eligible<br>applicants include, but are not limited   |

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to, nonprofit and for-profit organizations and public and private agencies and institutions, such as colleges and universities.

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Purpose of Program: The central purpose of the Institute's research grant programs is to provide interested individuals and the general public with reliable and valid information about

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**Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers:** 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B,

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**Link to Additional Information:**

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Special Education Research Training CFDA Number 84.324B; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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**Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B Grant**

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** ED-GRANTS-041014-002  
**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 10, 2014  
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**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:  
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of  
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.  
Deadline for Transmittal of  
Applications: August 7, 2014.  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:  
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of  
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.  
Deadline for Transmittal of  
Applications: August 7, 2014.  
**Archive Date:** Sep 6, 2014  
**Eligible Applicants:** Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status  
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higher education  
City or township governments  
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  
Nonprofits that do not have a  
501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other



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Special district governments  
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State governments  
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**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:**

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**Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers:**  
84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.  
Applications for grants under the

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**Link to Additional Information:**

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | ED-GRANTS-041014-003  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Institute of Education Sciences (IES):<br>Education Research and Development<br>Center Program CFDA Number<br>84.305C   |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Education   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 84.305 -- Education Research,<br>Development and Dissemination  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
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| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Apr 10, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:<br>June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of<br>Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.<br>Deadline for Transmittal of<br>Applications: August 7, 2014. |
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| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Sep 6, 2014   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | State governments<br>Public and State controlled institutions   |

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policy. The Institute's National Center for Special Education Research (NCSE) will hold two competitions: one competition for special education research and one competition for special education research training.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers: 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at [www.Grants.gov](http://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, Education Research Training, Special Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, and the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions at [www.Grants.gov](http://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

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**Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Statistical and Research Methodology in  
Education CFDA Number 84.305D Grant**

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

ED-GRANTS-041014-004

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Institute of Education Sciences (IES):  
Statistical and Research Methodology  
in Education CFDA Number 84.305D

**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 10, 2014

**Creation Date:**

Apr 10, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:  
June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of  
Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.



**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.  
Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available: June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.  
Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: August 7, 2014.  
Sep 6, 2014

**Archive Date:**

**Eligible Applicants:**

City or township governments  
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For profit organizations other than small businesses

**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  
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. The Director of the Institute of Education Sciences (Institute) announces the Institute's FY 2015 competitions for grants to support education research and special education research. The Director takes this action under the Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002. The Institute's purpose in awarding these grants is to provide national leadership in expanding fundamental knowledge and understanding (1) of developmental and school readiness outcomes for infants and toddlers with or at risk for disability, and (2) of education outcomes for all students from early childhood education through postsecondary and adult education. Purpose of Program: The central purpose of the Institute's research grant programs is to provide interested individuals and the general public with reliable and valid information about education practices that support learning and improve academic achievement and access to education opportunities for all students. These interested individuals include parents, educators, students, researchers, and policymakers. In carrying out its grant programs, the Institute provides support for programs of research in areas of demonstrated national need. Competitions in This Notice: The Institute will conduct seven research competitions in FY 2015 through two of its National Education Centers: The Institute's National Center for Education Research (NCER) will hold

five competitions: One competition for education research, one competition for education research training, one competition for education research and development centers, one competition for statistical and research methodology in education, and one competition for partnerships and collaborations focused on problems of practice or policy. The Institute's National Center for Special Education Research (NCSER) will hold two competitions: one competition for special education research and one competition for special education research training.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Numbers: 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B.

Applications for grants under the Education Research, Education Research Training, Education Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions, Special Education Research, and Special Education Research Training, CFDA Numbers 84.305A, 84.305B, 84.305C, 84.305D, 84.305H, 84.324A, and 84.324B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at [www.Grants.gov](http://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, Education Research Training, Special Education Research Training, Education

Research and Development Centers, Statistical and Research Methodology in Education, and the Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy competitions at [www.Grants.gov](http://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 \(IES\): Statistical and Research Methodology in Education CFDA Number 84.305D: Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253675>

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

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

ED-GRANTS-041014-005

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

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

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement  
Grant

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| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Education   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 84.305 -- Education Research,<br>Development and Dissemination  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Apr 10, 2014  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Apr 10, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:<br>June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of<br>Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.<br>Deadline for Transmittal of<br>Applications: August 7, 2014.   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Aug 7, 2014 Applications Available:<br>June 5, 2014. Deadline for Notice of<br>Intent to Apply: June 5, 2014.<br>Deadline for Transmittal of<br>Applications: August 7, 2014.   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Sep 6, 2014   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Private institutions of higher education<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status<br>with the IRS, other than institutions of<br>higher education<br>Public and State controlled institutions<br>of higher education<br>County governments<br>State governments<br>Nonprofits that do not have a<br>501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other<br>than institutions of higher education<br>Others (see text field entitled<br>"Additional Information on<br>Eligibility" for clarification)<br>Special district governments<br>City or township governments<br>For profit organizations other than<br>small businesses |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Eligible Applicants: Applicants that<br>have the ability and capacity to<br>conduct scientifically valid research<br>are eligible to apply. Eligible<br>applicants include, but are not limited<br>to, nonprofit and for-profit<br>organizations and public and private<br>agencies and institutions, such as<br>colleges and universities.   |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Department of Education   |

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**Link to Additional Information:**

[Institute of Education Sciences \(IES\): Partnerships and Collaborations Focused on Problems of Practice or Policy CFDA Number 84.305H; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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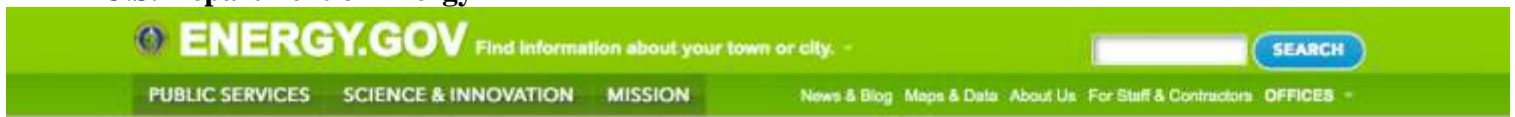
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### GRANTS & CONTRACTS

Much of the work of the Department of Energy's [Office of Science \(SC\)](#) is supported through grants and contractual vehicles. This work is processed through the Office of Science [Grants and Contracts Division \(GCD\)](#) which serves as the principal acquisition, financial assistance (grants and cooperative agreements) and contract/grant management advisor to the Director of Science. The GCD provides independent analyses, advice and recommendations on procurement and assistance actions initiated by SC; identifies problem areas, opportunities and management issues and makes recommendations; serves as SC focal point in developing positions and responses to proposed Federal and DOE procurement and assistance regulations and business management policies and procedures; provides advice and guidance and serves as the SC focal point with DOE field offices, laboratories, universities, contractors, grantees and other Government agencies on SC policies and strategies with respect to acquisition, financial assistance and contract/grant management issues.

The Department's [Office of Nuclear Energy](#) re-established, in FY 1996, a competitive peer-reviewed program to provide grants allowing nuclear engineering faculty and students to conduct innovative research in nuclear engineering and related areas. The awards run from one to three years and are granted in eight separate technical areas related to nuclear engineering: reactor physics, reactor engineering, reactor materials, radiological engineering, radioactive waste management, applied radiation science, nuclear safety and risk analysis, and innovative technologies for next generation reactors, space power and propulsion, or radiation sources. This type of research is vital to the academic community to help promote excellence in nuclear engineering and provide resolution to issues confronting nuclear engineering in general.

The [Office of Nuclear Energy](#) provides tuition, stipends, and practicums to outstanding graduate students studying nuclear engineering and health physics and undergraduate scholarships and practicums to students pursuing a nuclear engineering course of study to ensure that our country will have an adequate supply of trained nuclear scientists and engineers. As an element of this activity, the University Partnership Program pairs minority institutions with institutions offering a nuclear engineering degree to enable more minorities to enter the field of nuclear engineering.

<http://www.doe.gov/grants-contracts>

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### Programs:

Golden Field Office

RFI: Fuel Cells for Continuous On-Board Recharging Application for Battery Electric Light-Duty Vehicles Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258841>

Golden Field Office

RFI Wind Energy Bat and Eagle Impact Minimization Technologies and Field Testing Opportunities Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258555>

Golden Field Office  
Sunshot Catalyst Prize Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=257994>

PAMS  
Department of Energy - Office of Science  
Office of Science  
High-Energy-Density Laboratory Plasma Science Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258929>

**Modifications:**

**Reminders:**

**National Energy Technology Laboratory  
Notice of Intent to Issue FOA Grant**

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | DE-FOA-0001097   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Notice of Intent to Issue FOA  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Energy   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 11   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Mar 24, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Mar 24, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.  |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.  |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Jul 14, 2014   |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$4,500,000  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$1,000,000  |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$250,000  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | National Energy Technology Laboratory  |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy's (EERE) Vehicle  |

Technologies Office (VTO) intends to issue a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled "Alternative Fuel and Advanced Vehicle Deployment Initiatives" to decrease the nation's dependence on petroleum and reduce greenhouse gas emissions by accelerating the deployment of alternative fuels. This FOA intends to select projects that will create and implement high impact and highly innovative approaches to increase the acceptance and deployment of alternative fuels, within the following areas of interests: 1) Alternative Fuel Vehicle Demonstration and Enhanced Driver Experience Project; 2) Alternative Fuel Training activities for first responders, public safety officials, and critical service providers; and 3) Incorporating Alternative Fuels into Emergency Response and Preparedness Operations.

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

<https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>  
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252945>

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Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978  
Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

DE-FOA-0001047

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978 Technology Incubator for Wind

**Opportunity Category:** Energy Innovations  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Discretionary  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Cooperative Agreement  
**Category Explanation:** Energy  
**Expected Number of Awards:**  
**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**  
**Posted Date:** Mar 12, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Mar 14, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).  
**Archive Date:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Eligible Applicants:** Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office  
**Description:** The purpose of this modification is to revise the Notice of Intent to include eligibility language for ALL Applicants and specifically for DOE Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs). The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office (WWPTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled? Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations? EERE is an organization focused on achieving aggressive and well-defined mid-to-long term clean energy goals for the United States of America. In that context, EERE has established multi-year plans and roadmaps. EERE focuses the majority of its resources on a limited number of "highest probability of success" pathways/approaches to ensure that the program initiatives are supported at a critical mass (both in terms of dollars and time) for maximum impact. This roadmap-based approach is one of EERE's greatest strengths, which can create challenges in

recognizing and exploring unanticipated, game changing pathways/approaches which may ultimately be superior to the pathways/approaches on our existing roadmaps. To enhance the responsiveness of the roadmap approach, EERE is issuing "Incubator" Funding Opportunity Announcements within its existing Offices and programs to support innovative technologies and solutions that could help meet existing goals but are not represented in a significant way in the Offices' existing Multi-Year Program Plans (MYPPs) or current portfolios. The Incubator programs will allow EERE to assess new technologies for their potential to be on ramped to future MYPPs. Successful incubator projects will reduce the risk associated with potentially breakthrough approaches and technologies so that they could be viable candidates for inclusion in future program roadmaps. The planned Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations? FOA continues the work of the Wind Program within EERE, and supports the long-term goals of WWPTO, which include: Lower the Levelized Cost of Energy (LCOE) of land-based utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs<sup>1</sup> of 7.2 ¢/kWh (cents per kilowatt hour) to 4.2 ¢/kWh by 2030 ?Lower LCOE of fixed-bottom offshore utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs<sup>1</sup> of 22.5 ¢/kWh to 13.7 ¢/kWh by 2030. The FOA encompasses applications for any and all ideas that have a significant potential to advance the mission of the Wind Program. All high-impact applications will be considered. The purpose of this Notice is to provide potential applicants advance notice that the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office, on behalf of EERE intends to issue a FOA titled, ?Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations?.

**NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH THIS NOTICE.**

Please do not submit questions or respond

to this Notice of Intent. Prospective applicants to the FOA should begin developing partnerships, formulating ideas, and gathering data in anticipation of the issuance of this FOA. It is anticipated that this FOA will be posted to EERE Exchange no later than March 2014. This Notice is issued so that interested parties are aware of the EERE's intention to issue this FOA in the near term. All of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. EERE will not respond to questions concerning this Notice. Once the FOA has been released, EERE will provide an avenue for potential Applicants to submit questions.

<https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>

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

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252451>

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Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program Grant

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                        | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>           | DE-FOA-0000995  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>            | FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                 | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>              | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>         | Science and Technology and other Research and Development                                   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                 |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>            |   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                       | 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program                                    |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b> | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                          | Oct 1, 2013   |

**Creation Date:** Oct 1, 2013  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Archive Date:** Dec 31, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$400,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$0  
**Award Floor:** \$0  
**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 types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.

**Agency Name:** Office of Science  
**Description:** The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby announces its continuing interest in receiving grant applications for support of work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, and Nuclear Physics. On September 3, 1992, DOE published in the Federal Register the Office of Energy Research Financial Assistance Program (now called the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program), 10 CFR 605, as a Final Rule, which contained a solicitation for this program. Information about submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation and selection processes and other policies and procedures are specified in 10 CFR 605.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[FedConnect](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244053>

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# Grants and Other Funding Opportunities

## Current grant and other funding opportunities

- See lists of all current EPA grants on [Grants.gov](#) and on [EPA's grants website](#)
- [EPA programs listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance \(CFDA\)](#). The CFDA lists federal programs available to state and local governments, tribes, territories, public, quasi- public, and private profit and nonprofit organizations and institutions, specialized groups, and individuals.

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## How to get a grant

- [View a PowerPoint presentation on competing for EPA assistance grants \(PDF\)](#)
- [Grants 101 tutorial](#)
- For more information, see the links in the "How do I...?" box on the right

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## EPA grant programs and other funding opportunities

- [Fellowships and other student programs](#): Grants, fellowships, and research associateships
- [Air Grants](#): includes competitive grant funding announcements for projects and programs relating to air quality, transportation, climate change, indoor air and other related topics.



Every year, EPA awards grants through the [P3 award competition](#) to college teams across the country who participate in the [National Sustainable Design Expo](#). Above, Harvard, Wellesley, MIT, and Qinghai Normal University students developed a 3-in-1 solar cooker, heater, and electricity generator to help bring clean energy to the rural Himalayas. [Read more about this project.](#)

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- [Apply for a grant?](#)
- [Write a proposal?](#)
- [Get grant management training?](#)
- [Find the closest EPA grants management office?](#)
- [Receive a payment?](#)

<http://www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm>

### Programs:

National Priorities: Systems-Based Strategies to Improve The Nation's Ability to Plan And Respond to Water Scarcity and Drought Due to Climate Change Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

EPA-G2014-ORD-L1

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

National Priorities: Systems-Based Strategies to Improve The Nation's Ability to Plan And Respond to



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| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Water Scarcity and Drought Due to Climate Change   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Discretionary<br>Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Environment  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 4  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 66.511 -- Office of Research and Development Consolidated Research/Training/Fellowships  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 23, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 23, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 5, 2014 Please see the announcement including Section IV for additional submission information.  |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Aug 5, 2014 Please see the announcement including Section IV for additional submission information.  |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Sep 4, 2014  |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$4,000,000  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$1,000,000  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Please see Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.  |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Environmental Protection Agency  |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is seeking applications that take a systems view to investigate how drought (seasonal and prolonged), exacerbated, by climate change, may impact surface water and groundwater quality and availability. EPA is interested in characterizing and predicting water quality as it relates to drought and subsequent drought related events, such as changes in surface runoff and wildfire. The Agency is also seeking information on changes in water quality that are driven by other |

variations in the hydrologic cycle (extreme events or climate change). For example, flooding following drought and wildfires, timing and intensity of spring runoff, etc. EPA is also interested in research that investigates management options for communities to plan and adapt to these changing scenarios. The goal of this Request for Applications (RFA) is to provide information on these complex interactions and devise innovative and sustainable management strategies for communities, municipalities, water managers, natural resource managers, and other stakeholders to protect our nation's ground and surface water resources from potential decrease in water quality and availability.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[National Priorities: Systems-Based Strategies to Improve The Nation's Ability to Plan And Respond to Water Scarcity and Drought Due to Climate Change](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258328>

**Modifications:**

**Reminders:**

Air Pollution Monitoring for Communities Grant  
And Modification 1

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | EPA-G2014-STAR-K1   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Air Pollution Monitoring for Communities  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary   |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Cooperative Agreement<br>Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Environment   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 6   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 66.509 -- Science To Achieve Results (STAR) Research Program  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 9, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 11, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Oct 7, 2014 Please see the announcement, including Section IV, for additional submission information.   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Oct 7, 2014 Please see the announcement, including Section IV, for additional submission information.   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Nov 6, 2014   |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$45,000,000  |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$750,000   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Please see Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.   |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Environmental Protection Agency   |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Science to Achieve Results (STAR) program, is seeking applications proposing research on empowering communities and individuals to take action to avoid air pollution exposure, using low-cost portable air pollution sensors. Specifically of interest is research on using low-cost portable sensors to understand and avoid air pollution exposure, on the ways communities and individuals interact with air pollution sensors |

and their data, on methods for understanding and managing the quality of data from air pollution sensors, and on how sensors and sensor networks compare to existing state-of-the-art air quality monitoring methods.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[Air Pollution Monitoring for Communities](#)

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| HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CZ-0807 | <a href="#">National Center for Legal and Judicial Excellence in Child Welfare</a> | ACF    | 01/02/2014   |
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Service Area Competition Grant

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National Institutes of Health

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### **Modifications:**

Administration for Children and Families  
Early Head Start Expansion and EHS-Child Care Partnership Grants  
Modification 1

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                          | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>             | HHS-2015-ACF-OHS-HP-0814   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Early Head Start Expansion and<br>EHS-Child Care Partnership Grants  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Income Security and Social Services  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 300  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 93.600 -- Head Start   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 6, 2014  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 18, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 20, 2014 Electronically<br>submitted applications must be<br>submitted no later than 11:59 p.m.,<br>ET, on the listed application due<br>date. |

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Aug 20, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.

**Archive Date:** Sep 19, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$650,000,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$54,933,590

**Award Floor:** \$750,000

**Eligible Applicants:** For profit organizations other than small businesses  
 Independent school districts  
 Small businesses  
 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  
 Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
 City or township governments  
 Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
 Private institutions of higher education  
 Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
 County governments  
 State governments

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Eligible applicants are any public or private non-profit agency, including community-based and faith-based organizations, or for-profit agencies pursuant to Section 645A(d) of the Head Start Act, 42 U.S.C. &sect; 9840A(d). Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>.

Applications from individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship for-profit organizations are not eligible and will be disqualified from competitive review and from funding under this announcement.

**Agency Name:**

Administration for Children and Families

**Description:**

Please note the published funding announcement has been modified. The High Poverty Zip Codes listed in the Appendix now include the states of Texas, Utah and Virginia. The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces the availability of approximately \$500 million to be competitively awarded for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive services to low-income infants and toddlers and their families through Early Head Start-Child Care (EHS-CC) Partnerships, or through the expansion of Early Head Start services. ACF solicits applications from public entities, including states, or private non-profit organizations, including community-based or faith-based organizations, or for-profit agencies that meet eligibility for applying as stated in section 645A of the Head Start Act. For more information, interested applicants should visit

<http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/hs/grants/ehs-ccp>.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2015-ACF-OHS-HP-0814>

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=256890>

Administration for Children and Families - OCS  
Assets for Independence Demonstration Program  
Modification 3

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

PPHF 2014: Immunization Capacity Building Assistance for Infrastructure Enhancements to Meet Interoperability Requirements financed in part by 2014 Prevention and Public Health Funds  
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Health Resources & Services Administration

Alliance for Innovation on Maternal and Child Health: Cooperative Agreement Expanding Access to Care for the Maternal and Child Health Population (Category 1: Collaborative Engagement)  
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258622>

**Reminders:**

National Institutes of Health

PAR-13-357 Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH  
Clinical Center (X02)

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

PAR-13-357

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

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

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Education

Health

Income Security and Social Services

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

93.172 -- Human Genome Research

93.173 -- Research Related to

Deafness and Communication

Disorders  
93.233 -- National Center on Sleep  
Disorders Research  
93.242 -- Mental Health Research  
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93.273 -- Alcohol Research  
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93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction  
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93.393 -- Cancer Cause and  
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93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research  
93.399 -- Cancer Control  
93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases  
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93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research  
93.839 -- Blood Diseases and  
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93.853 -- Extramural Research  
Programs in the Neurosciences and  
Neurological Disorders  
93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and  
Transplantation Research  
93.856 -- Microbiology and  
Infectious Diseases Research  
93.865 -- Child Health and Human  
Development Extramural Research  
93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance  
No

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

**Posted Date:**

**Creation Date:**

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

**Archive Date:**

Sep 20, 2013

Sep 23, 2013

Nov 20, 2014

Nov 20, 2014

Dec 21, 2014

**Eligible Applicants:**

City or township governments  
Native American tribal governments  
(Federally recognized)

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institutions (AANAPISISs); Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; 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

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are not allowed.  
National Institutes of Health  
The goal of this program is to support collaborative translational research projects aligned with NIH efforts to enhance the translation of basic biological discoveries into clinical applications that improve health. It encourages high quality science demonstrating the potential to result in understanding an important disease process or lead to new therapeutic interventions, diagnostics, or prevention strategies within the research interests and priorities of the participating NIH Institutes/Centers (ICs).

**Link to Additional Information:**

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National Institutes of Health  
Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Biomedical Technology Development  
Modifications 1 & 2

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

PAR-14-088

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Biomedical Technology Development

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Education

Health

Income Security and Social Services

**Category Explanation:**

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

93.121 -- Oral Diseases and Disorders Research  
93.172 -- Human Genome Research  
93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness and Communication Disorders  
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93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research  
93.859 -- Biomedical Research and



Research Training  
93.865 -- Child Health and Human  
Development Extramural Research  
93.866 -- Aging Research  
93.867 -- Vision Research

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Feb 5, 2014

**Creation Date:** Feb 19, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 7, 2017

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 7, 2017

**Archive Date:** Feb 7, 2017

**Eligible Applicants:** Small businesses

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 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:** The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to encourage applications to the newly authorized Direct-to-Phase II SBIR grant mechanism. Applications are invited from eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) that have demonstrated the scientific and technical merit and feasibility of the prototype stage of developing a biomedical technology that has commercial potential, R&D that is characteristic of Phase-I (R43) SBIR projects. The Direct-to-Phase II grant mechanism is intended to facilitate SBIR-type R&D, to expand R&D opportunities for applicant small business concerns (SBCs), and to enhance the pace of technology development and commercialization.

**Link to Additional Information:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-14-088.html>

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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.

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U.S. Department of Homeland Security  
Washington, DC 20472



Dear FEMA Grantee:

In August 2011, Congress passed the Budget Control Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-25) to limit federal spending and reduce our national debt. To enforce annual spending limits, that law requires across-the-board funding reductions to almost every federal program, project, and activity through a process called "sequestration."

As a consequence, all federal agencies, including FEMA, will have to implement steep funding cuts, beginning in the current fiscal year. Leadership throughout FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security have been working hard to determine how we might best mitigate the impact of possible sequestration budget reductions on our state, local, tribal, territorial, non-profit and private sector partners.

Nonetheless, the sequestration order issued on March 1, 2013 will result in FEMA's current Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 funding levels being reduced by approximately 5%. This will result in a reduction to FEMA's State and Local grant funding levels of approximately \$104 million.

The sequestration reductions will affect FY 2013 funding levels for all GPD grants, subject to FEMA's final FY 2013 appropriation. Sequestration will not affect grants or cooperative agreements awarded in previous fiscal years.

We recognize the hardships that sequestration is likely to cause and thank you for your cooperation as we work together to manage these unfortunate circumstances. We value the important work that you do and appreciate your dedication to the security and resilience of the Nation. As always, your thoughts, questions and concerns are welcome.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D. Kaufman', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

David J. Kaufman  
Acting Assistant Administrator  
Grant Programs Directorate

## 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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**Programs:**

Department of Homeland Security - FEMA  
Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP), National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (HSNTP/NDPC) Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** DHS-14-NPD-005-000-01  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP), National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (HSNTP/NDPC)  
**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Education  
Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)  
**Category Explanation:** Training  
**Expected Number of Awards:** 5  
**CFDA Number(s):** 97.005 -- State and Local Homeland Security National Training Program  
**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No  
**Posted Date:** Jun 23, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Jun 23, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 23, 2014  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 23, 2014  
**Archive Date:** Aug 22, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$76,000,000  
**Eligible Applicants:** Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
**Agency Name:** Department of Homeland Security - FEMA  
**Description:** The Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP), National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (NDPC) plays an important role in the implementation of the National Preparedness System (NPS) by supporting the building, sustainment, and delivery of core capabilities essential to achieving the National Preparedness Goal (NPG)

of a secure and resilient Nation.  
(<http://www.fema.gov/national-preparedness-goal>)

**Link to Additional Information:**

[www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=258335>

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**Modifications:**

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division

Center of Excellence (COE) - Center for Borders, Trade and Immigration Research (CBTIR) Center Lead

Modification 4

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253431>

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division

Center of Excellence (COE) - Center for Borders, Trade and Immigration Research (CBTIR) Center

Partner

Modification 7

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253432>

**Reminders:**

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division

BioWatch Program: 2014-2015 Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

DHS-2014-OHA-BIOWATCH

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

BioWatch Program: 2014-2015

**Opportunity Category:**

Continuation

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Disaster Prevention and Relief

Environment

Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

27

**CFDA Number(s):**

97.091 -- Homeland Security

Biowatch Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No  
**Posted Date:** Feb 25, 2014  
**Creation Date:** Feb 25, 2014  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2015  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2015  
**Archive Date:** Oct 30, 2015  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$29,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$4,500,000  
**Award Floor:** \$178,220  
**Eligible Applicants:** County governments  
State governments  
City or township governments  
**Additional Information on Eligibility:** State and Local Governments must be invited by DHS to apply. DHS will invite governmental organizations to apply for continuation funding under this FOA. In addition, as part of ongoing improvements in the BioWatch Program, DHS may evaluate requests for some direct support of laboratories that analyze samples collected under the Program. If necessary, this FOA will also award an unspecified number of supplemental awards to current recipients in the event of emergencies, Special Events with National Significance, and limited alterations to current recipients to ensure a secure and resilient nation with the capabilities to thwart terrorist attacks.  
**Agency Name:** Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division  
**Description:** The BioWatch Program is a cornerstone of the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) comprehensive strategy for countering biological terrorism. The BioWatch Program is an early warning system that is designed to detect the intentional release of select aerosolized biological agents. The BioWatch Program's mission is to provide and maintain a continuous bio-terrorism air monitoring system



in metropolitan areas and coordinate with state and local public health communities to prepare for and respond to a bioterrorist event. This mission is accomplished by serving as an early warning system which enhances the security of jurisdictions by providing the needed time to execute their comprehensive concept of operations plans to counter biological terrorism. The Biowatch Program is a critical part of an ongoing national effort to build and sustain preparedness which helps the United States to maintain momentum through targeted jurisdictional planning that highlights preventative actions necessary to allow for a proper and timely response and begin the process to recovery from a biological agent release. The BioWatch Evaluation Program (BWEPE) will be conducted under the BioWatch Quality Assurance Program effective April 1, 2013. This program will consist of independent external audits (Quality Assurance) by Signature Science and internal audits (Quality Control) by BioWatch Systems Program Office field personnel. This approach will initially be conducted with a focus on adherence to the BioWatch Field Operations Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), Version 1.3 and will eventually evolve to encompass the Field Operations Quality Assurance Program Plan (QAPP). In order to ensure a robust QA / QC program the jurisdictions may be subject to a QA external audit and a QC internal audit during the same cooperative agreement cycle (year).

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## Department of Housing and Urban Development

This is a screenshot of the HUD.GOV website's "Grants" page. The header includes the HUD.GOV logo, the department name, and Secretary Shaun Donovan's name. There are navigation links for "HOME", "PRESS ROOM", "HOMEOWNERS HELP", "STATE INFO", "PROGRAM OFFICES", "TOPIC AREAS", "ABOUT HUD", "RESOURCES", and "CONTACT US". The "Grants" section is highlighted. Below the header, there is a "Print Friendly Version" link and social media icons. The main content area contains a paragraph about HUD's grants program and a list of links: "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 Applicants", "Training - identifies various training webcast relating to grants.", and "Important SAM Alert - Application registration and submission:". Below this is a "Using Grants.gov" section with a note about registration and a "NEWS Alert! The Grants.gov PMD has discovered an issue with the newest version of Adobe Reader XI". A specific error message is quoted: "At least one required field was empty. Please fill in the required field (highlighted) before continuing." A recommendation is made to use older versions of Adobe Reader XI. At the bottom, there are direct links to Grants.gov for "Applicants", "Grantors", and "E-Biz POCs".

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U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development  
Secretary Shaun Donovan

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HUD > Program Offices > Chief Human Capital Officer > Grants > Funds Available

Funds Available

- 2013 General Section
- 2012 General Section
- Amendment to Application Submission Requirements and Other Technical Corrections
- Preferred Sustainable Status Communities Points of Contact
- 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

- T: Rental Assistance Demonstration Small Grant Program
- T: Sustainable Construction in Indian Country Small Grant

2013 Notices

- Policy Requirements and General Section

2013 Notices - Funds Available

- Border Community Capital Initiative (BCCI)
- 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

Resident Opportunity and Self Sufficiency (ROSS) Service Coordinators Program Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

FR-5800-N-03

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| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>              | Resident Opportunity and Self Sufficiency (ROSS) Service Coordinators Program  |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Grant  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Housing  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 110  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 14.870 -- Resident Opportunity and Supportive Services - Service Coordinators  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes  |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 18, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 18, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 18, 2014 The application deadline for receipt of HUD's ROSS-Service Coordinators applications via Grants.gov is 11:59:59 p.m. eastern time on the date listed above.   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Aug 18, 2014 The application deadline for receipt of HUD's ROSS-Service Coordinators applications via Grants.gov is 11:59:59 p.m. eastern time on the date listed above.   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Feb 13, 2015   |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$36,000,000   |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$738,000  |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$246,000  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | 1. Eligible applicants. Eligible applicants are PHAs (including newly established consolidated PHAs); tribes/TDHEs; tax exempt nonprofit organizations including grassroots faith-based and other community-based organizations that have resident support, PHA support or the support of tribes; Resident Associations (RAs); resident council (RCs); resident organizations (ROs); City-Wide Resident Organizations (CWROs); Intermediary Resident Organizations (IROs); Jurisdiction-Wide Resident Organizations; Regional Residential Organizations; |

Resident Management Corporations (RMCs); Site-Based Resident Organizations; Statewide Resident Organizations (SROs); and Tribal/TDHE resident groups. The term "Resident Association" or "RA" will generally be used to refer to all types of eligible resident organizations. Please see the section on "Definition of Terms" for a complete definition of each type of eligible resident organization. HUD's goal is to provide funding to sustain existing programs. HUD will give first renewal priority to FY2011 grantees and second renewal priority to grantees from FY08-10 which were not renewed in the FY11, 12, or 13 competitions. If funds are available after making awards under the renewal categories, HUD will fund eligible applicants under the; category. Under the; category, first priority will be given to applicants with no prior ROSS-SC funding. Second priority will be given to applicants wishing to serve PHAs that are currently being served by ROSS-SC grants that were funded under the FY2012 or FY2013 NOFAs. Please see Section V.B.3. & Order of Funding Priorities; for more information. Please also see the "Definition of Terms" section for further information about what constitutes a "new applicant," a "renewal applicant," and "new funding." 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 Public and Indian Housing Resident Opportunity and Self-Sufficiency (ROSS) Service

Coordinators (ROSS-SC) program is to provide grants to public housing agencies (PHAs), tribes/Tribally-designated housing entities (TDHEs), Resident Associations (RAs) and tax-exempt nonprofit organizations (including grassroots, faith-based and other community-based organizations) for the provision of a Service Coordinator to coordinate supportive services and other activities designed to help Public and Indian Housing residents attain economic and housing self-sufficiency. This program works to promote the development of local strategies to coordinate the use of assistance under the Public Housing program with public and private resources, for supportive services and resident empowerment activities. These services should enable participating families to increase earned income, reduce or eliminate the need for welfare assistance, make progress toward achieving economic independence and housing self-sufficiency or, in the case of elderly or disabled residents, help improve living conditions and enable residents to age in-place. A Service Coordinator ensures that program participants are linked to the supportive services they need to achieve self-sufficiency or remain independent. Funds in this program may not be used for the direct provision of supportive services. This program is similar to the Public Housing Family Self-Sufficiency program (PH FSS) however, the PH FSS program is open only to PHAs and tribes/TDHEs, has a requirement of an escrow account for its participants and provides one-year funding. In addition to be open to PHAs and

tribes/TDHEs, the ROSS SC program is also open to nonprofit and Resident Associations applicants, provides three-year funding, includes administrative expenses and training as eligible uses of the funds and requires a 25% match by statute. A PHA or tribe may receive grants in both programs. [http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program\\_offices/administratio n/grants/fundsavail](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/administratio n/grants/fundsavail)

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Modifications

Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs  
Modification 2

Reminders

**HUD Community Compass Technical Assistance and Capacity Building Grant**

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| <b>Document Type:</b>                        | Grants Notice  |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>           | FR-5800-N-12   |
| <b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>            | HUD Community Compass<br>Technical Assistance and Capacity<br>Building       |
| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                 | Discretionary  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>              | Cooperative Agreement  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>         | Housing  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                 |  |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>            | 15   |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                       | 14.259 -- Community Compass<br>Technical Assistance and Capacity<br>Building |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b> | No   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                          | Jun 3, 2014  |

**Creation Date:** Jun 3, 2014

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 23, 2014 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 23, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.

**Archive Date:** Feb 13, 2015

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$51,000,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$51,000,000

**Award Floor:** \$500,000

**Eligible Applicants:** County governments  
Private institutions of higher education  
For profit organizations other than small businesses  
State governments  
City or township governments  
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
Special district governments  
Small businesses

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 1. Eligible applicants also include: Indian tribes, tribally designated housing entities as defined at Section 4(22) of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996, and national or regional organizations representing Native American housing interests. Applicants who are national or regional organizations representing Native American interests should indicate such on the one-page application



summary.2. Any organization submitting an application under this NOFA may not be included as a subcontractor or consultant in any other application. Subcontractors and consultants may be included in more than one application. Any organization submitting an application where the organization or staff of the organization is listed as subcontractors or consultants on another application will be not be considered for an award.3. Selected providers will be deployed, as HUD deems most necessary across the country.4. Since the diversity and intensity of activities carried out and work products developed may be extensive, collaboration and coordination among providers is essential. For example, HUD may task two or more successful applicants to collaborate as a team in providing necessary direct technical and capacity building assistance to specific customers or in developing products and tools or group learning materials. Furthermore, HUD may select a successful applicant to conduct overall coordination for the TA network.5. Awardees tasked to provide technical assistance or capacity building to HOME grantees and/or CHDOs must have at least one (1) Certified HOME Program Specialist who has passed the Regulations Training exam with a score of 80 or higher available to conduct the work tasked, unless HUD determines that a HOME Certified Specialist is not necessary for the engagement. The Certified HOME Program Specialist(s) may be in-house staff of the applicant, subcontractor staff or consultant(s). The Certified HOME Program Specialist(s) must also have at least

five years of demonstrated experience in administering a HOME program, including finance and underwriting; or providing direct TA on HOME regulations.

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**Agency Name:**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

**Description:**

HUD's Community Compass program (Community Compass) funds technical assistance and capacity building activities for HUD's customers, including grantees, public housing authorities, and tribes. Community Compass builds on the previous Concept Plus program and is an outcomes-focused, cross-Departmental approach to HUD's technical assistance and capacity building activities. A complete list of the programs, objectives, and funding included can be found in Section I. Funding Opportunity Description of the NOFA.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program\\_offices/administratio n/grants/fundsavail](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/administratio n/grants/fundsavail)

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Choice Neighborhoods Planning Grants

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

FR-5800-N-13

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Choice Neighborhoods Planning

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| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Grants  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Discretionary   |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Grant   |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   | Housing   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              | 10  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         | 14.892 -- Choice Neighborhoods<br>Planning Grants   |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | Yes   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Jun 13, 2014  |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Jun 13, 2014  |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Aug 12, 2014 Electronically<br>submitted applications must be<br>submitted no later than 11:59:59<br>p.m., ET, on the listed application<br>due date.   |
| <b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>  | Aug 12, 2014 Electronically<br>submitted applications must be<br>submitted no later than 11:59:59<br>p.m., ET, on the listed application<br>due date.   |
| <b>Archive Date:</b>                           | Feb 13, 2015  |
| <b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>        | \$5,000,000   |
| <b>Award Ceiling:</b>                          | \$500,000   |
| <b>Award Floor:</b>                            | \$0   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Native American tribal organizations<br>(other than Federally recognized<br>tribal governments)<br>City or township governments<br>Nonprofits that do not have a<br>501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other<br>than institutions of higher education<br>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status<br>with the IRS, other than institutions<br>of higher education<br>County governments<br>Public housing authorities/Indian<br>housing authorities |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | Please see the information below.<br>Individuals, foreign entities, and sole<br>proprietorship organizations are not<br>eligible to compete for, or receive,<br>awards made under this<br>announcement.   |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Department of Housing and Urban<br>Development  |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | Choice Neighborhoods Planning   |

Grants will support the development of comprehensive neighborhood revitalization plans which, when implemented, are expected to achieve the following three core goals: 1. Housing: Transform distressed public and assisted housing into energy efficient, mixed-income housing that is physically and financially viable over the long-term; 2. People: Support positive outcomes for families who live in the target development(s) and the surrounding neighborhood, particularly outcomes related to residents; health, safety, employment, mobility, and education; and 3. Neighborhood: Transform distressed, high-poverty neighborhoods into viable, mixed-income neighborhoods with access to well-functioning services, high quality public schools and education programs, high quality early learning programs and services, public assets, public transportation, and improved access to jobs.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

FR-5800-N-01

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

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| <b>Opportunity Category:</b>                   | Other  |
| <b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>                | Other  |
| <b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>           | Housing  |
| <b>Category Explanation:</b>                   | THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.   |
| <b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>              |  |
| <b>CFDA Number(s):</b>                         |  |
| <b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>   | No   |
| <b>Posted Date:</b>                            | Feb 19, 2014   |
| <b>Creation Date:</b>                          | Feb 19, 2014   |
| <b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b> | Feb 19, 2015   |
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| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                    | Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)   |
| <b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>  | All applicants must have valid, active Registration in SAM prior to submission of applications for financial assistance, as required in 2 CFR 25.200. Each Program NOFA will describe additional applicant eligibility requirements. The Department does not provide direct services or products to individuals through its formula-based Programs or its competitive Program NOFA process. NOTE: HUD does not provide grants directly to individuals                    |
| <b>Agency Name:</b>                            | Department of Housing and Urban Development  |
| <b>Description:</b>                            | Requirements. The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all HUD FY 2014 Program NOFAs. The General Section provides summary information on the Department's priorities and strategic goals. Each Program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as |

nondiscrimination, environmental protection, and any additional program requirements or limitations.

To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the applicable Program NOFA.

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