

Grant Opportunities, Week of July 6, 2020

[Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program](#)

Applications Due: July 15

FEMA will competitively award \$10 million to eligible states and local governments to close known preparedness capability gaps, encourage innovative regional solutions to issues related to catastrophic incidents, and build on existing regional preparedness efforts, including pandemic preparedness.

[Youth Engagement, Education, and Employment](#)

Applications Due: September 15

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's National Wildlife Refuge System is accepting proposals from non-profit, state, and local government youth and veteran serving organizations with the interest and capacity to work cooperatively to develop introductory educational experiences in natural resource careers to young people and veterans, including culturally, ethnically and economically diverse students, and underserved communities that traditionally have low participation in outdoor recreation activities through hands-on experience and mentoring at a variety of USFWS programs including but not limited to, national wildlife refuges, fish hatcheries, and ecological services offices.

[Choice Neighborhoods Planning Grants Program](#)

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), **9/07/2020**

Five-percent match required. Up to \$5 million in Planning or Action grants for communities with severely distressed public or HUD-assisted housing to develop neighborhood transformation plans.

[Appalachian Regional Commission - State\(s\) Program](#)

Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) **Ongoing**

One-to-one match required. Research on topics that directly impact economic development in the Appalachian Region.

[Brownfields Assessment Grants](#)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), **7-28-2020**

Developing inventories of brownfield sites, prioritizing sites, conducting community involvement activities, conducting planning, conducting site assessments, developing site-specific cleanup plans, and developing reuse plans related to brownfield sites.

[Brownfields Cleanup Grants](#)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), **7-28-2020**

Federal financial assistance for brownfields revitalization, including grants for assessment, cleanup, and revolving loan funds.

[Community Development Program Grants \(Ohio\)](#)

Ohio Development Services Agency, **9/11/2020**

Competitive set-aside funding for CDBG-eligible Neighborhood Revitalization, Downtown Revitalization and Critical Infrastructure projects.

[Community Housing Impact and Preservation Program \(CHIP Ohio\)](#)

Ohio Development Services Agency, **7/31/2020**

Provide funding to local governments to improve and provide affordable housing for low- and moderate-income citizens.

[CommunityWINS Grant](#)

The United States Conference of Mayors, **2020-10-09**

Competitive award for non-profits that cities nominate and partner with on community development projects.

[Rudy Bruner Award for Urban Excellence \(RBA\)](#)

Bruner Foundation, **12/11/2020**

\$10,000 and \$50,000 awards for urban places that are distinguished by quality design along with their social and economic contributions.

[Bike & Build Grant Program](#)

Bike and Build, **8/28/2020**

Small grants of \$500 to \$5,000 to non-profit organizations, particularly groups with young adults, that mobilize affordable housing in their communities.

[Transportation Alternatives \(TAP Ohio\)](#)

Ohio Department of Transportation, **7-29-2020**

Funding for alternative-transportation projects such as off-road pedestrian and bicycle facilities; improved access to public transportation and enhanced mobility; community improvement and environmental mitigation; recreational trail program projects; and safe routes to school projects.

[Fire Prevention and Safety Grant \(FP&S\)](#)

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), **12-29-2020**

Enhance the safety of the public and firefighters with respect to fire and fire-related hazards.

[Fire Department Training Reimbursement Grant \(Ohio\)](#)

Ohio Department of Commerce, **2020-09-25**

Reimbursement for fire training classes, including the cost of training manuals and student workbooks, for communities under 25,000 population.

[Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response \(SAFER\)](#)

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), **2020-12-29**

Funding to help fire departments and volunteer firefighter interest organizations hire or recruit trained, "front line" firefighters.

[Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation Grants](#)

Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation, **8-19-2020**

Providing lifesaving equipment and prevention education tools first responders and public safety organizations.

[FHWA Innovative Finance Support](#)

U.S. Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) **ongoing**

Upcoming virtual peer-exchange workshop series with experts on Value Capture techniques: transportation impact fees, special assessments districts, tax increment finance, etc., to fund infrastructure projects.

[Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Grant \(CESF\) Ohio](#)

Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services **Rolling**

Technology, training, and products for criminal justice professionals and communities.

[Neighborhood Small Business Relief Fund \(COVID 19 Relief\)](#)

Amazon **Rolling application**

Help small local businesses address the economic challenges of reduced foot traffic.

[Appalachian Ohio Emergency Response Fund](#)

Foundation for Appalachian Ohio **Rolling application**

Supporting necessities and the health and safety of vulnerable populations during the COVID-19 outbreak.

[Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities \(WORC\): A Grant Initiative for the Appalachian and Delta Regions](#)

U.S. Department of Labor (DOL), **2020-07-29**

Helping communities diversify their economies by investing in local strategies developed by regional partners.

[PeopleForBikes Community Grant Program](#)

PeopleForBikes **10/16/2020**

Supports bicycle infrastructure projects and targeted advocacy initiatives.

[Columbus and Franklin County Community Gardens](#)

The Columbus Foundation **10/30/2020**

Financial and material resources for community gardens, pollinator gardens, and beautification.

[Nationwide Foundation Fund](#)

Nationwide Foundation **8/31/2020**

General operating support; project and/or program support; capital support (limited; case-by-case basis)

[Cultural Heritage Tourism Grants \(Ohio\)](#)

Ohio Humanities **Rolling**

One-to-one match. Up to \$20,000 for promotion of cultural heritage sites.

[EPA State Environmental Justice Cooperative Agreement Program](#)

US Environmental Protection Agency, **June 30**

Help local environmental justice communities address COVID-19 concerns faced by low-income and minority communities.

[Ohio Water Development Authority Research and Development Grant](#)

Ohio Water Development Authority **10/02/2020**

One-to-one match required. Projects related to wastewater, drinking water, water resource management, solid waste management and energy resource development.

[Ohio Water Development Authority Research and Development Grant](#)

Ohio Water Development Authority, **7/31/2020**

One-to-one match required. Priority will be given to research and development projects that have statewide environmental and/or natural resource applications.

[Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs](#)

U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC) **Rolling**

Support construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and EAA programs.