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Weekly GRANTS ADVISORY

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The New Mexico Congressional Delegation Office is pleased to present a grant advisory that offers a list of time-sensitive grants that may offer federal funding options for organizations, nonprofits, local and tribal governments, as well as other groups in New Mexico. Available grants are sorted by topic area. The intent of this advisory is to alert Delegation Staff to upcoming grants that may address common needs among our constituents. Therefore, please use this resource to reach out to any entities that may be interested in the below funding opportunities. Interested parties may also submit requests for grant assistance via the following page on Senator Heinrich's website.

Grant Topics Covered: Agriculture, Criminal Justice, Economic Development, Education, Environment/Public Lands, Health, Housing, Indian Country, Museums/Libraries/the Arts, Science/Technology, Transportation, and Veterans.

Note: This email provides a select list of current federal grants offered through various federal agencies. This is not a complete list of all grant opportunities and more specific grant requests should be referred to the Delegation Office. For more information on program guidelines, please click on the links provided to be directed to the official grant announcement.

NEW GRANTS THIS WEEK

• Dental Clinician Educator Career Development Program

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to strengthen the primary care workforce by supporting the academic career development of dental faculty [Doctors of Dental Surgery (DDS), Doctors of Dental Medicine (DMD), Dental Hygienists (DH)] who teach primary care dentistry (general dentistry, pediatric dentistry or dental public health) and primary care physicians (MD, DO). **Eligible Applicants**: Eligible applicants include domestic accredited schools of dentistry, public or private nonprofit hospitals, or public or private nonprofit entities which the Secretary has determined are capable of carrying out such grant or contract such as an academic health center which holds its own accreditation for a primary care dental residency program. Domestic faith-based and community-based organizations federally recognized Indian tribes and tribal

organizations are also eligible to apply, if otherwise eligible. The applicant institutions must be accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) at the time of this application.

Funding Information: \$1,500,000 total funding

Deadline: February 14, 2022

• Media Projects

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to support collaboration between media producers and scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare documentary films, radio, and podcasts that engage public audiences with humanities ideas in creative and appealing ways. All projects must be grounded in humanities scholarship.

Eligible Applicants: State, Special district, County, City or township governments; Private 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; and Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$3,500,000 total funding

Deadline: January 12, 2022

YouthBuild

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to fund organizations to provide a pre-apprenticeship program model that encompasses education, occupational skills training, leadership development, and high-quality post-program placement opportunities to opportunity youth. YouthBuild is a community-based alternative education program for youth between the ages of 16 and 24 who left high school prior to graduation that also have other risk factors, including being an adjudicated youth, youth aging out of foster care, youth with disabilities, migrant farmworker youth, youth experiencing housing instability, and other disadvantaged youth populations.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants for these grants are public or private non-profit agencies. These organizations include rural, urban, or Native American/Tribal entities that have previously served opportunity youth in a YouthBuild or other similar program.

Funding Information: \$90,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 21, 2022

• NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program

Purpose: The main goal of the S-STEM program is to enable low-income students with academic ability, talent or potential to pursue successful careers in promising STEM fields. **Eligible Applicants**: Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$120,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 22, 2022

GRANTS BY TOPIC

AGRICULTURE

• Specialty Crop Multi-State Program

Purpose: Funds will enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops through collaborative, multi-state projects that address the following regional or national level specialty crop issues: food safety; plant pests and disease; research; crop-specific projects addressing common issues;

and marketing and promotion.

Eligible Applicants: County governments; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; State governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; and Special district governments.

Funding Information: \$1,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 6, 2021

• Food Safety Outreach Competitive Grants Program

Purpose: Funds will build upon that national infrastructure, with a sustained focus on delivery of customized training to members of the target audiences. Awardees will develop and implement food safety training, education, extension, outreach and technical assistance projects that address the needs of owners and operators of small to mid-sized farms, beginning farmers, socially-disadvantaged farmers, small processors, or small fresh fruit and vegetable merchant wholesalers.

Eligible Applicants: Cooperative Extension Service for a U.S. state or territory; Nongovernment organizations and/or community-based organizations representing owners and operators of farms, small food processors, or small fruit and vegetable merchant wholesalers that has a commitment to public health and expertise in administering programs that contribute to food safety; Federal, State, local, or tribal agencies; An institution of higher education (as defined in Section 101(a) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1001(a)) or a foundation maintained by an institution of higher education; and a collaboration of two or more eligible entities.

Funding Information: \$10,000,000 total funding

Deadline: Deadline 13, 2021

• Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational and Applied Science

Purpose: Funding supports six AFRI priority areas to advance knowledge in both fundamental and applied sciences important to agriculture. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Bioenergy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Research-only, extension-only, and integrated research, education and/or extension projects are solicited in this Request for Applications (RFA).

Eligible Applicants: 1862 Land-Grant Institutions, 1890 Land-Grant Institutions, 1994 Land-Grant Institutions, For-profit Organizations Other Than Small Businesses, Hispanic-Serving Institutions, Individuals, Native American Tribal Orgs, not Federally recognized Tribal Governments, Nonprofits with 501(c)(3) IRS status, other than Institutions of Higher Ed, Nonprofits without 501(c)(3) IRS status, other than Institutions of Higher Ed, Other or Additional Information (See below), Private Institutions of Higher Ed, Small Business, State Agricultural Experiment Stations, State Controlled Institutions of Higher Ed

Funding Information: \$300,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 15, 2021

• Community Food Projects Competitive Grant Program

Purpose: Funds support Community Food Projects (CFP) or Planning Projects. CFP: support the development of projects with a one-time infusion of federal dollars to make such projects self-

sustaining. PP is to complete a plan toward the improvement of community food security in keeping with the primary goals of the CFPCGP.

Eligible Applicants: Eligibility is limited to public food program service providers, tribal organizations, or private nonprofit entities, including gleaners.

Funding Information: \$4,800,000 total funding

Deadline: December 20, 2021

• Solid Waste Management Grant Program

Purpose: Funds may be used to: Evaluate current landfill conditions to determine threats to water resources; provide technical assistance and/or training to enhance operator skills in the operation and maintenance of active landfills; provide technical assistance and/or training to help communities reduce the solid waste stream; provide technical assistance and/or training for operators of landfills which are closed or will be closed in the near future with the development and implementation of closure plans, future land use plans, safety and maintenance planning, and closure scheduling within permit requirements.

Eligible Applicants: An organization is eligible to receive a SWM grant if it: a) is a private, non-profit organization that has tax-exempt status from the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS); b) Is a Public Body; c) Is a federally acknowledged or State-recognized Native American tribe or group; d) Is an Academic Institution; e) Is legally established and located within one of the following: a state within the U.S.; the District of Columbia; the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; a U.S territory. f) Has the legal capacity and authority to carry out the grant purpose; g) Has a proven record of successfully providing technical assistance and/or training to rural areas; h) Has capitalization acceptable to the Agency and is composed of at least 51 percent of the outstanding interest or membership being citizens of the U.S. or individuals who reside in the U.S. after being legally admitted for permanent residence; I) Has no delinquent debt to the Federal Government or no outstanding judgments to repay a Federal debt; j) Demonstrates that it possesses the financial, technical, and managerial capability to comply with Federal and State laws and requirements; k)Contracts with a non-affiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide proposed assistance.

Funding Information: \$4,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 31, 2021

• Technical Assistance and Training Grant Program

Purpose: Funds may be used to pay expenses associated with providing technical assistance and/or training (TAT) to: Identify and evaluate solutions to water problems relating to source, storage, treatment, or distribution; identify and evaluate solutions to waste problems relating to collection, treatment, or disposal: assist applicants, that have filed a pre-application with RUS, in the preparation of water and/or waste loan and/or grant applications; and/or provide technical assistance and/or training to water/wastewater system personnel that will improve the management, operation and maintenance of water and waste disposal facilities.

Eligible Applicants: Entities eligible for grants must be private nonprofit organizations with tax exempt status, designated by the Internal Revenue Service. A nonprofit organization is defined as any corporation, trust, association, cooperative, or other organization that:(1) Is operated primarily for scientific, education, service, charitable, or similar purposes in the public interest.(2) Is not organized primarily for profit.(3) Uses its net proceeds to maintain, improve, and/or expand its operations.

Funding Information: \$40,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 31, 2021

• Farm to School Grant

Purpose: Funding will assist eligible entities, through grants and technical assistance, in implementing farm to school programs that improve access to local foods in USDA Food and Nutrition (FNS) Child Nutrition Programs, including the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), School Breakfast Program (SBP), Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP), and Summer Food Service Program (SFSP).

Eligible Applicants: County, City or township governments; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Independent school districts Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); and Institutions, including schools, school districts that operate the National School Lunch and/or Breakfast Program(s), and non-school based institutions that have an agreement with the State agency to operate CACFP and/or SFSP

Funding Information: \$12,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 10, 2022

• Community Forest Program

Purpose: Funds allow communities to acquire and conserve forests that provide public access and recreational opportunities, protect vital water supplies and wildlife habitat, serve as demonstration sites for private forest landowners, and provide economic benefits from timber and non-timber products.

Eligible Applicants: County, City or township governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); and Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$4,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 10, 2022

• Assistive Technology Program for Farmers with Disabilities (AgrAbility)

Purpose: Funds support projects between State Cooperative Extension System and private, non-profit disability organizations who work in partnership to provide agricultural education and assistance directed at accommodating disability in farm operations for individuals with disabilities, and their families, who engage in farming and farm-related occupations.

Eligible Applicants: Applications may be submitted only by Cooperative Extension at 1862 and 1890 Land-Grant Colleges and Universities. Applicants must partner on their projects with private non-profit organizations providing direct service to individuals with disabilities. Applications must include commitment letters from non-profit partner organizations.

Funding Information: \$4,385,000 total funding

Deadline: January 13, 2022

• Forest Service Cohesive Wildland Fire Management Strategy RFA 2022

Purpose: Program will restore and maintain landscapes, create fire adapted communities, and improve wildfire response.

Eligible Applicants: State, County, Special district, City or township governments; Independent school districts; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Public

and State controlled institutions of higher education; and Forest Fire Compacts

Funding Information: \$4,800,000 total funding

Deadline: January 14, 2022

• 2022 Wood Innovations Funding Opportunity

Purpose: The U.S. Forest Service requests proposals to substantially expand and accelerate wood energy and wood products markets throughout the United States to support forest management needs on National Forest System and other forest lands by reducing hazardous fuels and improve forest health on National Forest System and other forestlands, costs of forest management on all land types, and promoting economic and environmental health of communities.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants are for-profit entities; state, local, and tribal governments; school districts; community, not-for-profit organizations; institutions of higher education; and special purpose districts (e.g., public utilities districts, fire districts, conservation districts, and ports).

Funding Information: \$8,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 19, 2022

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Funding Information: \$8,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 19, 2022

• Specialty Crop Research Initiative

Purpose: SCRI program is to address the critical needs of the specialty crop industry by awarding grants to support research and extension that address key challenges of national, regional, and multi-state importance in sustaining all components of food and agriculture, including conventional and organic food production systems.

Eligible Applicants: Pre-applications may only be submitted by Federal agencies, national laboratories, colleges and universities, research institutions and organizations, private organizations or corporations, State Agricultural Experiment Stations, individuals, or groups consisting of two or more of these entities.

Funding Information: \$80,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 21, 2022

• Rural eConnectivity Program

Purpose: Program provides loans, grants, and loan/grant combinations to facilitate broadband deployment in rural areas. In facilitating the expansion of broadband services and infrastructure, the program will fuel long-term economic development and opportunities in rural America.

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Private institutions of higher education; State, County, Special district, City or township governments;

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Small businesses; Independent school districts; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; and For profit organizations other than small businesses

Funding Information: \$1,150,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 22, 2022

• Rural Business Development Grant (RBDG)

Purpose: The purpose of the program is to promote economic development and job creation projects through the awarding of grant funds to eligible entities. Applications will compete in two separate categories, business opportunity grants and business enterprise grants, for use in funding various business and community projects that serve rural areas.

Eligible Applicants: State, City, County, 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; and Private institutions of higher education. Rural public entities including, but not limited to: Towns, Communities, State agencies, Authorities, Nonprofit corporations, Institutions of higher education, Federally-recognized tribes, Rural cooperatives (if organized as a private nonprofit corporation).

Funding Information: -- Deadline: February 28, 2022

• REAP Energy Audit and Renewable Energy Development Assistance Program

Purpose: This program assists rural small businesses and agricultural producers by conducting and promoting energy audits and providing Renewable Energy Development Assistance (REDA).

Eligible Applicants: State, tribal, or local governments; federally recognized tribes; land grant college, university, or higher education; rural electric cooperatives; and public power entities.

Funding Information: \$100,000 in total funding.

Deadline: March 3, 2022

REAP Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvements Program

Purpose: The REAP program helps agricultural producers and rural small businesses reduce energy costs and consumption and helps meet the Nation's critical energy needs. Applications for REAP may be submitted at any time throughout the year.

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses; agriculture producers.

Funding Information: \$500,000 in total funding.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

• W.E.B. Du Bois Program of Research on Reducing Racial and Ethnic Disparities in the Justice System, Fiscal Year 2021

Purpose: The W.E.B. Du Bois Program supports quantitative and quantitative research that furthers the Department's mission by advancing knowledge regarding the intersections of race, crime, violence, and the administration of justice within the United States.

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

Funding Information: \$3,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 30, 2021

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

• EDA CARES Act Recovery Assistance

Purpose: Through this funding opportunity, the Economic Development Administration has modified the Economic Adjustment Assistance program to better help communities respond to and prepare for economic disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. Examples of eligible projects include economic recovery and resiliency planning, implementing entrepreneurial support programs, and completing public works projects that will support economic recovery (e.g. broadband deployment to support telehealth and remote learning). EDA expects to fund between 80 and 100 percent of eligible project costs.

Eligible Applicants: State, local, and tribal governments, as well as Economic Districts, nonprofits, and institutions of higher education.

Funding Information: \$1,500,000,000 in total funds.

Deadline: Ongoing

• FY 2021 - 2023 Economic Development RNTA

Purpose: Provides technical assistance funding for local economic development projects to leverage existing regional assets and support the implementation of economic development strategies that will advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

Eligible Applicants: State, local, and tribal governments, as well as District Organizations, nonprofits, institutions of higher education, and for-profit businesses.

Funding Information: Awards of up to \$1,500,000 available, 15 awards expected.

Deadline: Ongoing

• Work Opportunity Tax Credit Funding Allotments for Fiscal Year 2022

Purpose: This TEGL announces the availability of WOTC FY 2022 state allotments to conduct WOTC activities and grant award application requirements for grantees to receive Funding allocations. In addition, it provides general administrative policies and procedural guidance set forth by ETA and requirements outlined in the WOTC Statement of Work.

Eligible Applicants: State Workforce Development Agencies (SWA)

Funding Information: \$ 3,240,420 total funding

Deadline: December 15, 2021

• Climate Program Office (CPO), Regional Integrated Science and Assessments (RISA) FY2022

Purpose: The RISA Program builds relationships that help local decision makers and researchers collaborate on adapting to climate change.

Eligible Applicants: Institutions of higher education, other nonprofits, commercial organizations, international organizations, and state, local and Indian tribal governments. Federal agencies or institutions are not eligible to receive Federal assistance under this notice.

Funding Information: \$5,860,000 total funding

Deadline: January 11, 2022

• FY 2021 American Rescue Plan Act Good Jobs Challenge

Purpose: The ARPA Good Jobs Challenge NOFO is designed to help get Americans back to work by developing and strengthening regional systems to develop and execute sectoral partnerships that will lead to well-paying jobs. The goal of regional workforce training systems is to create and implement effective employer-driven training programs that will connect the existing and emerging skills needs of employers with workers and will help workers find and keep quality jobs and advance along their chosen career path.

Eligible Applicants: State, county, local, and Tribal governments, private institutions of higher education, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofits, and special district governments.

Funding Information: \$500,000,000 total program funding, 50 expected awards **Deadline: January 26, 2022, Applications accepted on a rolling basis.**

• FY 2021 American Rescue Plan Act Travel, Tourism, and Outdoor Recreation Notice of Funding Opportunity

Purpose: This ARPA Tourism NOFO aims to assist communities and regions in recovery from the coronavirus pandemic's significant negative impact on the travel, tourism, and outdoor recreation sectors. This NOFO is designed to provide a wide-range of financial assistance to communities and regions to rebuild and strengthen their travel, tourism, and outdoor recreation industry through various infrastructure and non-infrastructure projects.

Eligible Applicants: State, county, local, and Tribal governments, as well as nonprofits, private institutions of higher education, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, and special district governments

Funding Information: \$240,000,000 total program funding, 150 expected awards **Deadline: January 31, 2022, Applications accepted on a rolling basis.**

• FY 2021 American Rescue Plan Act Economic Adjustment Assistance Notice of Funding Opportunity

Purpose: EDA's ARPA EAA NOFO is designed to provide a wide-range of financial assistance to communities and regions as they respond to, and recover from, the economic impacts of the coronavirus pandemic, including long-term recovery and resilience to future economic disasters.

EDA expects to fund a number of projects under this NOFO that support communities negatively impacted by the downturn in the coal economy, supporting transitioning away from coal.

Eligible Applicants: State, county, local, and Tribal governments, as well as nonprofits, private institutions of higher education, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, and special district governments

Funding Information: \$500,000,000 total program funding, 250 expected awards

Deadline: March 31, 2022, Applications accepted on a rolling basis.

EDUCATION

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Project to Support America's
 <u>Families and Educators (Project SAFE) Grant Program Assistance Listing Number</u>
 (ALN) 84.184N

Purpose: The Project SAFE grant program is intended to improve students' safety and wellbeing by providing resources to local educational agencies (LEAs) that adopt and implement strategies to prevent the spread of the Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) consistent with guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and that are financially penalized for doing so by their State educational agency (SEA) or other State entity. **Eligible Applicants**: An LEA that-- a. Has adopted a policy to implement and is implementing one or more of the strategies recommended in the CDC's Guidance for COVID-19 Prevention in K-12 Schools, as may be updated.

Funding Information: \$3,200,000 total funding. **Deadline: Proposals Accepted on Rolling Basis.**

• Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Higher Education Program (HEP): Modeling and Simulation Program (MSP), Assistance Listing Number 84.116S

Purpose: The MSP is designed to promote the study of modeling and simulation at institutions of higher education by promoting the enhancement or development of modeling and simulation degree and certificate programs.

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; and public or private nonprofit institution of higher education **Funding Information:** \$6,930,000 total funding

Deadline: December 6, 2021

 Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Higher Education Program (HEP): Rural Postsecondary and Economic Development RPED) Grant Program, Assistance Listing Number 84.116W

Purpose: The purpose of the RPED Grant Program is to improve rates of postsecondary enrollment, persistence, and completion among rural students through development of high-quality career pathways aligned to high-skill, high-wage, and in-demand industry sectors and occupations in the region.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; and Public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education **Funding Information:** \$9,900,000 total funding

Deadline: December 6, 2021

• Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Higher Education Program (HEP): Basic Needs for Postsecondary Students Program, Assistance Listing Number 84.116N

Purpose: The Basic Needs for Postsecondary Students Program provides grants to eligible institutions of higher education (IHEs) to support programs that address the basic needs of students and to report on practices that improve outcomes for students.

Eligible Applicants: Community Colleges (as defined in this notice) that are Minority-Serving Institutions (as defined in this notice), Historically Black colleges and universities (as defined in this notice), or Tribal Colleges or Universities (as defined in this notice).

Funding Information: \$4,950,000 total funding

Deadline: December 6, 2021

• Advancing Informal STEM Learning

Purpose: The Advancing Informal STEM Learning (AISL) program seeks to advance new approaches to and evidence-based understanding of the design and development of STEM learning opportunities for the public in informal environments.

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted

Funding Information: \$44,000,000 in total funding, 99 awards expected

Deadline: January 18, 2022

• Hispanic-Serving Institutions Education Grants Program

Purpose: Funds promote and strengthen the ability of Hispanic-Serving Institutions to carry out higher education programs in the food and agricultural sciences.

Eligible Applicants: Hispanic-Serving Institutions Funding Information: \$12,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 28, 2022

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation
 Services Administration (RSA): American Indian Vocational Rehabilitation Services

 (AIVRS) Assistance Listing Number (ALN) 84.250P

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to make grants to the governing bodies of Indian tribes located on Federal and State reservations (and consortia of those governing bodies) to provide VR services, including culturally appropriate services, to American Indians with disabilities who reside on or near such reservations, consistent with such eligible individuals' strengths, resources, priorities, concerns, abilities, capabilities, interests, and informed choice, so that such individuals may prepare for, and engage in, high-quality employment that will increase opportunities for economic self-sufficiency.

Eligible Applicants: Indian Tribes (and consortia of those Indian Tribes) located on Federal and State reservations

Funding Information: \$4,369,250 total funding

Deadline: March 16, 2022

• NIAID Research Education Program Advancing the Careers of a Diverse Research Workforce

Purpose: The NIH Research Education Program supports research education activities in the mission areas of the NIH. The overarching goal of this NIAID R25 program is to support

educational activities that encourage individuals from diverse backgrounds, including those from groups underrepresented in the areas of biomedical, behavioral and clinical research, to pursue further studies or careers in research

Eligible Applicants: State, county, local and Tribal governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, and special district governments, as well as nonprofits, private institutions of higher education, for-profits and small businesses, public/Indian housing authorities, and independent school districts

Funding Information: --

Deadline: September 7, 2023

ENVIRONMENT/PUBLIC LANDS

• FY22 GUIDELINES FOR BROWNFIELD REVOLVING LOAN FUND GRANTS

Purpose: EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofit organizations to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. This guidance provides information on applying for Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants. **Eligible Applicants**: County, city, or state governments; Land Clearance Authority; Government Entity Created by State Legislature; Redevelopment Agency that is chartered or otherwise sanctioned by a state; Indian tribe; and Nonprofit organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Funding Information: \$8,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• FY22 GUIDELINES FOR BROWNFIELD CLEANUP GRANTS

Purpose: EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofit organizations to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. This guidance provides information on applying for Cleanup Grants.

Eligible Applicants: County, city, or state governments; Land Clearance Authority; Government Entity Created by State Legislature; Redevelopment Agency that is chartered or otherwise sanctioned by a state; Indian tribe; and Nonprofit organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Funding Information: \$13,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• FY2021 Historic Preservation Fund- African American Civil Rights- Preservation Grants

Purpose: Funds will document, interpret, and preserve the sites and stories of the full history of the African American struggle to gain equal rights as citizens.

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

Funding Information: \$16,750,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• FY2021 Historic Preservation Fund- African American Civil Rights- History Grants

Purpose: Funds will document, interpret, and preserve the sites and stories related to the African American struggle to gain equal rights as citizens as well as the transatlantic slave trade by funding a broad range of history projects for historic sites including: survey and inventory, National Register nominations, oral histories and more.

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

Funding Information: \$16,750,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• FY2021 Historic Preservation Fund- History of Equal Rights- Preservation Grants

Purpose: Funds will preserve sites related to the struggle of all American's to achieve equal rights. HER grants are funded by the Historic Preservation Fund (HPF), administered by the NPS, and will fund a broad range of preservation projects for historic sites including: architectural services, historic structure reports, preservation plans, and physical preservation to structures.

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

Funding Information: \$3,375,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• FY 2021 Training and Technical Assistance to Improve Water Quality and Enable Small Public Water Systems to Provide Safe Drinking Water

Purpose: Funding will provide training and technical assistance for small public water systems, small publicly owned wastewater systems, and communities served by onsite/decentralized wastewater systems, and private drinking water well owners.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants under this competition are nonprofit organizations, nonprofit private universities and colleges, and public institutions of higher education.

Funding Information: \$21,700,000 total funding

Deadline: December 3, 2021

• Environmental Education Local Grants Program for Region 6 -- Solicitation Notice for 2021

Purpose: Funds support locally-focused environmental education projects that increase public awareness and knowledge about environmental issues and provide the skills that participants in its funded projects need to make informed decisions and take responsible actions toward the environment.

Eligible Applicants: Region 6 covers the state of New Mexico (NM). Any local education

agency, college or university, state education or environmental agency, nonprofit organization as described in Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or a noncommercial educational broadcasting entity as defined and licensed by Federal Communications may submit an application. "Tribal education agencies" that are eligible to apply include a school or community college which is controlled by an Indian tribe, band, or nation.

Funding Information: \$300,000 total funding, 3 to 4 awards expected.

Deadline: December 6, 2021

• Development of Innovative Approaches to Assess the Toxicity of Chemical Mixtures

Purpose: Funding will support development and evaluation of innovative methods and approaches to inform human health risk assessment of environmental chemical mixtures. **Eligible Applicants**: Public and private nonprofit institutions/organizations, public and private institutions of higher education (IHEs), and hospitals located in the U.S. and its territories or possessions; state and local governments; Federally Recognized Indian Tribal Governments; and U.S. territories or possessions are eligible to apply. Profit-making firms and individuals are not eligible to apply.

Funding Information: \$4,200,000 total funding

Deadline: December 8, 2021

• UNIVERSITY-BASED CYBERSECURITY CENTERS

Purpose: Funds will establish a network of university-based, regional electric power cybersecurity centers. These centers should address interrelated research and development challenges of cybersecurity and critical energy infrastructure, while considering the distinctive characteristics of each region's electricity system, network of infrastructure, and workforce expertise. It is envisioned that this initiative will result in multiple new tools and training for the energy sector.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education or Private institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$10,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 8, 2021

• FY 2021 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program (AFG)

Purpose: The AFG program provides direct financial assistance to fire departments, nonaffiliated Emergency Medical Service (EMS) organizations and State Fire Training Academies (SFTA) to equip and train emergency personnel in order to foster interoperability, strengthen community resilience, and enhance the safety of the public and emergency responders before, during, and after hazardous events.

Eligible Applicants: County, City or township governments; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); and Fire Departments, State Fire Training Academies, Nonaffiliated Emergency Medical Services.

Funding Information: \$414,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 17, 2021

• FY22 BLM Bureau-Wide National Landscape Conservation System

Purpose: The program seeks to develop and maintain strong partnerships with State, local, university, and non-profit stakeholders in shared conservation stewardship by engaging partners in conducting management-focused research on the National Conservation Lands.

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

Funding Information: \$350,000 total funding

Deadline: January 14, 2022

• Early Career Research Program

Purpose: Funding support under the Early Career Research Program in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR); Basic Energy Sciences (BES); Biological and Environmental Research (BER); Fusion Energy Sciences (FES); High Energy Physics (HEP); Nuclear Physics (NP); Isotope R&D and Production (DOE IP); or Accelerator R&D and Production (ARDAP). The purpose of this program is to support the development of individual research programs of outstanding scientists early in their careers and to stimulate research careers in the areas supported by SC.

Eligible Applicants: Restricted to U.S. Institutes of Higher Education and DOE National Laboratories

Funding Information: \$100,000,000 in total funding, 65 expected awards (20 national laboratory awards and 45 university awards)

Deadline: January 20, 2022

• Cooperative Research Units Program

Purpose: Funds will help the mission of education and advance training in fish, wildlife, and natural resource sciences; research and facilities; and technical assistance.

Eligible Applicants: Only CRU Cooperating Universities are eligible to apply to the RWO component of the Cooperative Research Unit Program pursuant to the Cooperative Research Unit Act (Public Law 86-686).

Funding Information: \$1,000,000 total funding

Deadline: August 8, 2022

HEALTH

• Innovation Award: COVID-19 and Health Equity (U01) Clinical Trials Optional

Purpose: The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to fund innovative research that will strengthen and advance COVID-19 health equity research. Areas of interest include: Proposals that focus on advancing racial and ethnic minority participation in COVID-19/COVID-19 variant clinical trials and/or contribute to informing the continued evaluation of the safety and efficacy of FDA approved products (therapeutics, diagnostics, and vaccines) or products subject to EUAs/EUA expansion for the treatment, prevention, or diagnosis of COVID-19. Proposals that support the evaluation of outcomes by demographic data including, but not limited to, ethnicity, race, age, disability, and geography. Proposals that support COVID-19 research to understand diverse patient perspectives, preferences, and unmet needs.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; Small businesses; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; Independent school districts; For profit organizations other than small businesses; and Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education.

Funding Information: \$1,000,000 total funding

Deadline: November 29, 2021

Effectiveness and Implementation Research for Post-Acute Interventions to Optimize
 Long-Term Mental Health Outcomes in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (R34 Clinical Trial Optional)

Purpose: This funding opportunity aims to advance the development of novel and innovative implementation research to improve the availability and accessibility of post-acute services in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) and low resource settings.

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Private institutions of higher education; County, State, City or township, & Special district governments; Independent school districts; Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; For profit organizations other than small businesses; Small businesses; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); 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); Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Organizations); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs).

Funding Information: \$2,500,000 total funding, up to 7 awards expected.

Deadline: December 9, 2021

• Community-Based Workforce to Build COVID-19 Vaccine Confidence

Purpose: The purpose of the program is to strengthen vaccine confidence, provide further information and education on the vaccines and improve rates of vaccination across the country. This program will mobilize community outreach workers, which includes community health workers, patient navigators and social support specialists to the most vulnerable and medically underserved communities, including racial and ethnic minority groups.

Eligible Applicants: Tribes and Tribal organizations and nonprofit private or public organizations

Funding Information: \$10,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 10, 2021

• Rural Residency Planning and Development Program

Purpose: Funding will help improve health care in rural areas by supporting the development of new, accredited, and sustainable rural residency programs in family medicine, internal medicine,

preventive medicine1, psychiatry, general surgery, and obstetrics and gynecology, to address the physician workforce shortages and challenges faced by rural communities.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible entities are domestic public or private non-profit entities, including faith-based and community-based organizations, tribes, and tribal organizations. Specifically, these organizations may include, but are not limited to: 1) rural hospitals; 2) rural community-based ambulatory patient care centers, including rural health clinics; 3) health centers operated by a tribe or tribal organization, or an urban Indian organization; 4) graduate medical education consortiums, including schools of allopathic medicine or osteopathic medicine; and 5) faith-based and community-based organizations.

Funding Information: \$10,500,000 total funding

Deadline: December 20, 2021

• National Initiative to Advance Health Equity in K-12 Education by Preventing Chronic Disease and Promoting Healthy Behaviors

Purpose: The purpose of this 5-year cooperative agreement is to improve the health and wellbeing of children, adolescents, and school staff in underserved and disproportionately affected communities. The CDC's Healthy Schools Branch plans to fund four nationally recognized recipients with expertise and experience providing support to CDC-funded state education agencies, districts, schools, out-of-school time providers, and the organization's constituents in the following priority areas: School Health Services, Emotional Well-Being, Healthy Out-of-School-Time, and School Administrator Support and Action for Healthy Schools **Eligible Applicants**: Independent school districts; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; County, Special district, State, City or township governments; Private institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; and Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Funding Information: \$7,500,000 total funding

Deadline: January 10, 2022

• Nurse Faculty Loan Program (NFLP)

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to increase the number of qualified nursing faculty nationwide. In exchange for completion of up to four years of post-graduation full-time nurse faculty employment in an accredited school of nursing, the program authorizes cancellation of up to 85 percent of the original student loan amount (plus interest thereon).

Eligible Applicants: Accredited schools of nursing with advanced education nursing programs. Any school(s) of nursing affiliated with this application must be accredited at the time of application — and for the duration of the award — by a recognized body or bodies, or a State agency, approved by the Secretary of Education for nurse education accreditation.

Funding Information: \$26,500,000 total funding

Deadline: January 13, 2022

• Rural Communities Opioid Response Program-Implementation

Purpose: Funding will advance RCORP's overall goal by strengthening and expanding SUD/OUD prevention, treatment, and recovery services to enhance rural residents' ability to access treatment and move towards recovery.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants include all domestic public or private, non-profit or for-profit entities, including faith-based and community-based organizations, tribes, and tribal organizations. In addition to the 50 U.S. states, organizations in the District of Columbia, Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Federated State of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau may apply.

Funding Information: \$50,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 13, 2022

• Research Grants for Preventing Violence and Violence Related Injury (R01)

Purpose: Funds will support evaluation and implementation research studies on primary prevention programs, practices or policies with universal or selected (i.e., have one or more risk factors that place them at heightened risk for violence) populations. Funds are available to conduct such studies focused on preventing child abuse and neglect and at least one other form of violence affecting children and youth, including teen dating violence, sexual violence, youth violence, and exposure to adult intimate partner violence.

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

Funding Information: \$3,150,000 in total funding, 5-7 expected awards.

Deadline: January 14, 2022

• Rural Health Network Development Planning Program

Purpose: Funding will promote the development of integrated health care networks in order to: (i) achieve efficiencies; (ii) expand access to, coordinate, and improve the quality of basic health care services and associated health outcomes; and (iii) strengthen the rural health care system as a whole.

Eligible Applicants: Domestic public or private, non-profit or for-profit entities, including faith-based, community-based, tribes and tribal organizations.

Funding Information: \$2,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 28, 2022

• NIH HEAL Initiative: Preventing Opioid Misuse and Co-Occurring Conditions by Intervening on Social Determinants (R01 Clinical Trials Optional)

Purpose: Through this initiative the National Institute on Drug Abuse, in partnership with other NIH Institutes, Centers, and Offices, requests applications for studies designed to develop and test multi-level interventions to prevent opioid misuse, opioid use disorder, and co-occurring conditions by intervening on social determinants of health (SDOH).

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Special district, County, State, City or township governments; Independent school districts; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education;

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); Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Private institutions of higher education; Small businesses; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; and For profit organizations other than small businesses

Funding Information: \$ total funding

Deadline: March 3, 2022

• Pediatric Obesity Discovery Science Research to Improve Understanding of Risk and Causal Mechanisms for Obesity in Early Life

Purpose: Funds will support innovative, discovery research studies to better characterize early-life risk factors and elucidate underlying causal mechanisms through which these risk factors contribute to the development of obesity during infancy and early childhood.

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; State, County, City or township, Special district governments; For profit organizations other than small businesses; 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; Small businesses; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Independent school districts; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Funding Information: \$500,000 total funding

Deadline: March 8, 2022

• State Loan Repayment Program (SLRP)

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to make grants to the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the U.S. Territories to assist them in operating their own state educational loan repayment programs for primary care providers working in Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA) within their state. SLRP supports loan repayment awards to health care providers in exchange for service in underserved communities.

Eligible Applicants: Entities eligible to apply for this grant program include the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau. In order to be eligible, states must demonstrate that the program operated with the grant funds will be administered directly by a state agency. States must also agree that the grant funds will be used to pay all or part of the principal, interest, and related expenses of qualifying educational loans of health care professionals, in return for their provision of primary health care services in federally designated HPSA.

Funding Information: \$25,000,000 total funding

Deadline: April 8, 2022

• Technical Assistance to the Survivors of Torture Program

Purpose: The primary objective of the TA SOT Program is to facilitate, through TA, the growth, development, and sustainability of a strong national network of SOT grantees and other ORR-funded organizations that will meet the complex needs of survivors and advance equity in service

provision through holistic, integrated, trauma-informed, and culturally- and linguistically-appropriate services.

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

Funding Information: \$866,000 in total funding

Deadline: May 20, 2022

• <u>Direct Services for Survivors of Torture</u>

Purpose: Funding for the Direct Services for Survivors of Torture (DS SOT) Program, with the aim of helping survivors and their families to overcome the severe, pervasive, and long-lasting effects of torture, and to achieve sustained physical, social, emotional, and economic well-being. **Eligible Applicants:** State governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); County governments; Private institutions of higher education; For profit organizations other than small businesses; Special district governments; Independent school districts; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); City or township governments; Small businesses; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; and Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education.

Funding Information: \$25,300,000 in total funding

Deadline: June 19, 2022

• <u>Virtual Consortium for Translational/Transdisciplinary Environmental Research</u> (ViCTER) (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)

Purpose: ViCTER program is to use the R01 mechanism to foster and promote early-stage transdisciplinary collaborations and/or translational research efforts to address fundamental research among basic (technology and mechanism oriented), clinical (patient-oriented) and population-based researchers in the environmental health field.

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

Funding Information: \$475,000 total funding

Deadline: February 1, 2024

• Research on Biopsychosocial Factors of Social Connectedness and Isolation on Health, Wellbeing, Illness, and Recovery (R01 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)

Purpose: Funds support research projects that seek to model the underlying mechanisms, processes, and trajectories of social relationships and how these factors affect outcomes in health, illness, recovery, and overall wellbeing.

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

Funding Information: Application budgets are not limited but need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

Deadline: July 21, 2024

 Research on Biopsychosocial Factors of Social Connectedness and Isolation on Health, Wellbeing, Illness, and Recovery (R01 Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required)

Purpose: Funding supports research projects that seek to explain the underlying mechanisms, processes, and trajectories of social relationships and how these factors affect outcomes in human health, illness, recovery, and overall wellbeing.

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

Funding Information: Application budgets are not limited but need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

Deadline: July 21, 2024

<u>Cancer Research Education Grants Program - Research Experiences (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)</u>

Purpose: Provides funding to support educational activities that complement and/or enhance the training of a workforce to meet the nations biomedical, behavioral and clinical research needs. To accomplish the stated over-arching goal, this FOA will support creative educational activities with a primary focus on Research Experiences.

Eligible Applicants: Independent school districts; city, townships, county, state governments; private, public, or state institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments or organizations; small business, nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status, Hispanic-serving

institutions, etc.

Funding Information: \$300,000 in total funding.

Deadline: September 7, 2024

• Mental Health Research Dissertation Grant to Enhance Workforce Diversity (R36 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Purpose: Funds will enhance the diversity of the mental health research workforce by providing dissertation awards in all research areas within the strategic priorities of the NIMH to individuals from backgrounds underrepresented in biomedical, behavioral, clinical and social sciences research. This award supports the completion of the doctoral research project.

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

Funding Information: \$600,000 in total funding

Deadline: September 7, 2024

• Research on Biopsychosocial Factors of Social Connectedness and Isolation on Health, Wellbeing, Illness, and Recovery (R01 Clinical Trial Required)

Purpose: Funding will support research projects that seek to explain the underlying mechanisms, processes, and trajectories of social relationships and how these factors affect outcomes in human health, illness, recovery, and overall wellbeing.

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

Funding Information: Application budgets are not limited but need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

Deadline: September 7, 2024

HOUSING

• Rural Energy Savings Program

Purpose: Funds may be used to decrease the cost of energy for rural communities and small businesses by installing energy efficiency measures.

Eligible Applicants: Current and former Rural Utility Service (RUS) borrowers, subsidiaries of current or former RUS borrowers, and entities that provide retail electric needs in rural areas.

Funding Information: Not specified.

Deadline: Ongoing

• Indian Housing Block Grant (IHBG) - Competitive Grant Program

Purpose: Funds will carry out a range of affordable housing activities. Grant funds may be used to develop, maintain, and operate affordable housing in safe and healthy environments on Indian reservations and in other Indian areas and carry out other affordable housing activities. Grant funds must be used to primarily benefit low-income Indian families.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized).

Funding Information: \$95,000,000 Deadline: December 1, 2021

• Tribal HUD-VASH Expansion

Purpose: Funding will provide rental assistance and supportive services for Native American Veterans who are homeless or at risk of homelessness, living on or near a reservation or other Indian areas.

Eligible Applicants: Indian Tribes as defined in section 4(13) of NAHASDA and Tribally Designated Housing Entity (TDHE) authorized by one or more Tribes pursuant to section 4(22) of NAHASDA who have ever been allocated formula funding.

Funding Information: \$2,212,614 total funding

Deadline: January 18, 2022

• Fiscal Year 2021 Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)

Purpose: Funds will reduce or eliminate the risk of repetitive flood damage to buildings and structures insured under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

Eligible Applicants: State governments and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$160,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 28, 2022

• FY 2021 Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grant Program

Purpose: Replace distressed public and assisted housing with high-quality mixed-income housing that is well-managed and responsive to the needs of the surrounding neighborhood. Improve outcomes of households living in the target housing related to employment and income, health, and children's education. Create the conditions necessary for public and private reinvestment in distressed neighborhoods to offer safety, good schools, and commercial activity. **Eligible Applicants**: City or township governments and Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Funding Information: \$218,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 15, 2022

INDIAN COUNTRY

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Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) and Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Funding Information: \$95,000,000 total funding

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Funding Information: \$2,212,614 total funding

Deadline: January 18, 2022

• Zero Suicide Initiative

Purpose: To improve the system of care for those at risk for suicide by implementing a comprehensive, culturally informed, multi-setting approach to suicide prevention in Indian health systems.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) and Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Funding Information: \$2,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 2, 2022

• Domestic Violence Prevention Program: Forensic Healthcare Services

Purpose: To provide access to treatment for American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) victims of domestic and sexual violence by supporting the development of and/or expansion of Forensic Healthcare (FHC) services that are culturally appropriate and trauma-informed.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$2,500,000 total funding

Deadline: February 2, 2022

• <u>Substance Abuse and Suicide Prevention Program: Substance Use Prevention, Treatment, and Aftercare</u>

Purpose: To reduce the prevalence of substance abuse and decrease the overall use of addicting and illicit substances among American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) populations.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$14,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 2, 2022

• Behavioral Health Integration Initiative

Purpose: To improve the physical and mental health status of people with behavioral health issues by developing an integrated and coordinated system of care.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$6,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 2, 2022

• Domestic Violence Prevention Program

Purpose: To support the development and/or expansion of a Domestic Violence Prevention (DVP) program by incorporating prevention efforts addressing social, spiritual, physical, and emotional well-being of victims through the integration of culturally appropriate practices and trauma-informed services for Tribes, Tribal organizations, and Urban Indian organizations (UIO) serving the American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) population.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$7,890,000 total funding

Deadline: February 2, 2022

• Tribal Self-Governance Negotiation Cooperative Agreement

Purpose: The purpose of this Negotiation Cooperative Agreement is to provide Tribes with resources to help defray the costs associated with preparing for and engaging in Tribal Self-Governance Program (TSGP) negotiations.

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$240,000 total funding

Deadline: February 10, 2022

• Tribal Self-Governance Planning Cooperative Agreement

Purpose: The purpose of this Planning Cooperative Agreement is to provide resources to Tribes interested in entering the Tribal Self-Governance Program (TSGP) and to existing Self-Governance Tribes interested in assuming new or expanded programs, services, functions, and activities (PSFAs).

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$600,000 total funding

Deadline: February 10, 2022

• Tribal Colleges Education Equity Grants Program

Purpose: Funds help build Tribal education capacity in the food and agricultural sciences for Native Alaskan/American Indian students.

Eligible Applicants: Applications may only be submitted by Tribal Colleges or Universities designated as a 1994 Land-grant Institutions (1994 institution) under the Equity Educational Land-Grant Status Act of 1994 (7 U.S.C. 301, as amended).

Funding Information: \$4,500,000 total funding

Deadline: March 15, 2022

• FY 2021 American Rescue Plan Act Indigenous Communities Notice of Funding Opportunity

Purpose: EDA's American Rescue Plan Indigenous Communities NOFO is designed to support indigenous communities as they respond to, and recover from, the economic impacts of the coronavirus pandemic, including long-term recovery and resilience to future economic disasters. Projects can include foundational economic infrastructure projects, such as such as broadband, energy, road, water, and wastewater infrastructure (including community water facilities); vocational and higher education facilities; and community health facilities that are necessary for future job creation as well as non-construction projects to provide technical assistance to support business development, entrepreneurship assistance, economic development planning, rural prosperity, and workforce training in indigenous communities.

Eligible Applicants: Tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$100,000,000 total program funding, 50 expected awards

Deadline: March 31, 2022, Applications accepted on a rolling basis.

MUSEUMS/LIBRARIES/THE ARTS

• Collaborative Research

Purpose: Funds will support groups of two or more scholars seeking to increase humanistic knowledge through convenings, research, manuscript preparation for collaborative publications, and the creation of scholarly digital projects. The collaborative work can take place within a single field of study or across disciplines. Partnerships with researchers from the natural and social sciences are encouraged, but all collaborative projects must address significant humanities research questions.

Eligible Applicants: State, Special district, County, 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; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$2,500,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

• National Digital Newspaper Program

Purpose: The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Division of Preservation and Access is accepting applications for the National Digital Newspaper Program. The purpose of this program is to create a national digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1690 and 1963 from all 56 states and U.S. jurisdictions. This searchable database will be permanently maintained at the Library of Congress (LC) and will be freely accessible online.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; State, City, County or township governments; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; Special district governments; and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$2,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 13, 2022

• Digital Humanities Advancement Grants

Purpose: The program supports innovative, experimental, and/or computationally challenging digital projects, leading to work that can scale to enhance scholarly research, teaching, and

public programming in the humanities. The program also supports research that examines the history, criticism, ethics, and philosophy of digital culture or technology and its impact on society.

Eligible Applicants: State governments; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; County governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Private institutions of higher education; City or township governments; Special district governments; and Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$2,200,000 in total funding, 10-16 expected awards.

Deadline: January 14, 2022

• Landmarks of American History and Culture

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to support a series of one-week workshops for K-12 educators across the nation to enhance and strengthen humanities teaching at the K-12 level. **Eligible Applicants**: State, City or township, Special district, and County 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; and Private institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$2,500,000 total funding

Deadline: February 22, 2022

• Institutes for K-12 Educators

Purpose: NEH Institutes are professional development programs that convene K-12 educators from across the nation in order to deepen and enrich their understanding of significant topics in the humanities and enrich their capacity for effective teaching and scholarship.

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education; City or township, State, County, and Special district governments; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$1,500,000 total funding

Deadline: February 22, 2022

• Institutes for Higher Education Faculty

Purpose: NEH Institutes are professional development programs that convene higher education faculty from across the nation in order to deepen and enrich their understanding of significant topics in the humanities and enrich their capacity for effective scholarship and teaching. **Eligible Applicants**: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Special district, City or township, State, and County governments; Private institutions of higher education; and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$1,500,000 total funding

Deadline: February 22, 2022

• Institutes for Advanced Topics in the Digital Humanities

Purpose: The purpose of this program is to support national or regional (multistate) training programs for scholars, humanities professionals, and advanced graduate students to broaden and extend their knowledge of digital humanities.

Eligible Applicants: State, County, Special district, 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; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); and Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$850,000 total funding

Deadline: March 2, 2022

• Major Collaborative Archival Initiatives

Purpose: The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks projects that will significantly improve public discovery and use of major historical records collections. All types of historical records are eligible, including documents, photographs, born-digital records, and analog audio and moving images. Projects may focus on broad movements in U.S. history, such as law, politics, social reform, business, military, the arts, and other aspects of the national experience, or on the papers of individual figure(s) in American history. Collections that center the voices and document the history of Black, Indigenous, and People of Color are especially welcome. With the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence approaching, the Commission is especially interested in projects that promote discovery and access to collections that explore the ideals behind our nation's founding and the continuous debate over those ideals to the present day.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; County, State, 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; and Private institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$1,000,000 total funding

Deadline: June 8, 2022

SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY

• Energy, Power, Control, and Networks

Purpose: Funds support innovative research in modeling, optimization, learning, adaptation, and control of networked multi-agent systems, higher-level decision making, and dynamic resource allocation, as well as risk management in the presence of uncertainty, sub-system failures, and stochastic disturbances.

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (open to any type of entity).

Funding Information: Award based per proposal.

Deadline: Proposals Accepted Anytime

• Connecting Minority Communities Pilot Program

Purpose: Funds provide new federal funding for the Assistant Secretary to make grants for the expansion of broadband internet access, connectivity, and digital inclusion.

Eligible Applicants: Historically Black college or university (HBCU), a Tribal College or University (TCU), a Minority-serving institution (MSI), or a consortium that is led by a HBCU, a TCU, or a MSI.

Funding Information: \$268,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 1, 2021

Targeted Evaluation of Ionizing Radiation Exposure (TEI-REX)

Purpose: Funding will help establish novel biodosimetry approaches enabling improved quantification of lower-dose ionizing radiation exposures.

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses; Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; For profit organizations other than small businesses; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education

Funding Information: In the form of procurement contracts or cooperative agreements.

Deadline: December 13, 2021

• Mathematical and Physical Sciences Ascending Postdoctoral Research Fellowships

Purpose: The purpose of the Mathematical and Physical Sciences Ascending Postdoctoral Research Fellowship (MPS-Ascend) program is to support postdoctoral Fellows who will broaden the participation of groups that are underrepresented in MPS fields in the U.S. including Blacks or African Americans, Hispanics, Latinos, Native Americans, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians and other Native Pacific Islanders as future leaders in MPS fields.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: MPS-Ascend Postdoctoral Research Fellowships are awards to individuals; proposals are submitted directly by the fellowship candidate to NSF. Each candidate must identify one or more sponsoring scientist(s) and host institution(s) in the proposal.

Funding Information: \$10,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 6, 2022

• 2022 cohort of NIHHIS-CAPA Urban Heat Island mapping campaigns

Purpose: CAPA Strategies has developed a process to help cities plan and execute a volunteer-based community science field campaign that builds upon local partnerships, engages residents in a scientific study to map and understand how heat is distributed in their communities, and produces high-quality outputs that have been used in city sustainability plans, public health practices, urban forestry, research projects, and other engagement activities.

Eligible Applicants: City governments in partnership with local organizations

Funding Information: \$10,000-30,000, 5-10 awards

Deadline: January 14, 2022

• Integrative Research in Biology

Purpose: Funds will produce novel, holistic understanding of how biological systems function and interact across different scales of organization, e.g., from molecules to cells, tissues to organisms, species to ecosystems and the entire Earth.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: -Non-profit, non-academic organizations: Independent museums, observatories, research labs, professional societies and similar organizations in the U.S. associated with educational or research activities. - Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$20,000,000 in total funding

Deadline: January 25, 2022

• Building Research Capacity of New Faculty in Biology

Purpose: The BRC-BIO program aims to a) broaden participation by expanding the types of institutions that submit proposals to BIO, and b) expand opportunities to groups underrepresented in the biological sciences, including Blacks and African Americans, Hispanics, Latinos, Native Americans, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians and other Pacific Islanders, and persons with disabilities, especially those serving at under-resourced institutions.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: -Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$15,000,000 total funding

Deadline: January 31, 2022

• Computer and Information Science and Engineering Minority-Serving Institutions Research Expansion Program

Purpose: Funding will support of research expansion for Minority-Serving Institutions (MSIs). **Eligible Applicants**: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: - Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members. Only Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs), and Tribal College & College & College are eligible to submit proposals to this solicitation.

Funding Information: \$7,000,000 total funding

Deadline: February 11, 2022

• National Artificial Intelligence (AI) Research Institutes

Purpose: This program solicitation expands upon the nationwide network established by the first 18 AI Research Institutes to pursue transformational advances in a range of economic sectors, and science and engineering fields.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: -Non-profit, non-academic organizations: Independent museums, observatories, research labs, professional societies and similar organizations in the U.S. associated with educational or research activities. - Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$140,000,000 total funding

Deadline: May 13, 2022

• FY 2022 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Purpose: Funds will work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, Nuclear Physics, Isotope R&D and Production, and Accelerator R&D and Production. Non-DOE/NNSA FFRDCs are eligible to submit applications (either as a lead organization or as a team member in a multi-institutional team).

Eligible Applicants: All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. DOE/NNSA National Laboratories are not eligible to submit applications under this FOA but may be proposed as subrecipients under another organization's

application.

Funding Information: \$400,000,000 total funding

Deadline: September 30, 2022

• Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers

Purpose: Funding provides sustained support of materials research and education of the highest quality while addressing fundamental problems in science and engineering. Each MRSEC addresses research of a scope and complexity requiring the scale, synergy, and multidisciplinarity provided by a campus-based research center. The MRSECs support materials research infrastructure in the United States, promote active collaboration between universities and other sectors, including industry and international organizations, and contribute to the development of a national network of university-based centers in materials research, education, and facilities.

Eligible Applicants: Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$25,000,000 total funding

Deadline: November 22, 2022

• Secure and Trustworthy Cyberspace

Purpose: Funding will help protect and preserve the growing social and economic benefits of cyber systems while ensuring security and privacy.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals may only be submitted by: -Non-profit, non-academic organizations: Independent museums, observatories, research labs, professional societies and similar organizations in the U.S. associated with educational or research activities. -Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) - Two- and four-year IHEs (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members.

Funding Information: \$69,000,000 total funding

Deadline: September 29, 2023

• AFRL RV-RD Assistance Instruments Announcement

Purpose: Funds will establish University Cooperative Agreements and Grants to provide funds to students/professors in a timely manner for the purpose of engaging U.S./U.S. territories' colleges and universities in directed energy and space vehicles-related basic, applied, and advanced research projects that are of interest to the Department of Defense (DoD). The scope of the research will include the entire spectrum of RV and RD technology that is applicable to the Air Force, including all peripherally-related RV and RD research.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education and Private institutions of higher education

Funding Information: \$90,000,000 total funding

Deadline: December 19, 2023

• Future Scholars for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Workforce Development Programs

Purpose: Funds will support STEM Workforce Development programs or projects that align with the Federal STEM Strategy and the DoD STEM Mission. This announcement encourages programs or projects that improve the capacity of education systems and communities to create impactful STEM educational experiences for students and teachers, and prepare the 21st century

STEM workforce.

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education; State, County, Special district, City or township governments; Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments); Independent school districts; and Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education **Funding Information:** \$50,000,000 total funding

Deadline: June 17, 2025

TRANSPORTATION

• N/A

VETERANS

GPD Capital Grant

Purpose: Funding will allow current GPD grantees to improve the transitional housing they offer to Veterans, potentially making transitional housing more attractive than unsheltered places for Veterans who previously were difficult to outreach.

Eligible Applicants: County governments; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; City or township governments; Special district governments; Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities; State governments; and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Funding Information: \$75,000,000 total funding, 20-40 expected awards

Deadline: December 7, 2021

• Announcement of Stand Down Grants

Purpose: Funds awarded to organizations will provide basic services to homeless veterans such as showers, haircuts, attention to health concerns, and other collaborative services to give participants a greater sense of self and an opportunity to improve their chances of securing and maintaining employment.

Eligible Applicants: State and Local Workforce Development Boards; Veteran Service Organizations; Local public agencies, tribal governments, and non-profit organizations including community and faith-based organizations. Note: Organizations registered with the Internal Revenue Service as 501(c)(4) entities are not eligible to apply for this funding opportunity.

Funding Information: \$10,000 total funding

Deadline: January 30, 2022

• Veterans Cemetery Grants Program

Purpose: The program assists states, territories, and tribal governments in providing gravesites for Veterans in those areas where NCA cannot fully satisfy their burial needs.

Eligible Applicants: State governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized); U.S. territories are also eligible applicants

Funding Information: \$45,000,000 total funding

Deadline: July 1, 2022