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## Open and Upcoming Infrastructure Funding Opportunities

As of November 2024

Since President Biden signed the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law three years ago, the Administration has been breaking ground and cutting ribbons on projects in every state to rebuild roads and bridges, strengthening our supply chains, ensuring safe routes to schools, providing clean drinking water for communities, expanding high-speed internet access for all, and much more. The Biden-Harris Administration is committed to making funding opportunities accessible and transparent, so communities across America know what to apply for, who to contact, and how to get ready to implement. This document highlights funding opportunities that communities can apply for today as well as a calendar of key upcoming funding opportunities for 2024 and 2025. For more information on the full set of programs in the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, including upcoming milestones, visit [build.gov](https://www.build.gov).

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## OPEN FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES TO APPLY FOR TODAY

Program	Agency	Description	Deadline	Link to Application/ Information
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>				
<b>Low-Carbon Transportation Materials (non-state)</b>	DOT	This program provides funding to reimburse the incrementally higher costs of using or provide an incentive amount to eligible recipients for the use of construction materials and products that have substantially lower levels of embodied GHG emissions.	November 25, 2024	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Federal-State Partnership for intercity Passenger Rail (National)</b>	DOT	This program funds capital projects that reduce the state of good repair backlog, improve performance, or expand or establish new intercity passenger rail service in areas outside of the Northeast Corridor.	December 16, 2024	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Promoting Resilient Operations for Transformative, Efficient, and Cost-Saving Transportation (PROTECT)</b>	DOT	This program provides funding for projects that seek to strengthen surface transportation to be more resilient to natural hazards, including climate change, sea level rise, heat waves, flooding, extreme weather events, and other natural disasters through support of planning activities, resilience improvements, community resilience and evacuation routes, and at-risk coastal infrastructure.	February 24, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>

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<b>Regional Infrastructure Accelerators Demonstration Program</b>	DOT	This program provides funding to assist entities in developing improved infrastructure priorities and financing strategies for the accelerated development of a project that is eligible for funding under the Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (TIFIA) Credit Program.	January 9, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Local and Regional Project Assistance Grants</b>	DOT	This program provides grants for surface transportation infrastructure projects with significant local or regional impact.	January 30, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>POWER, CLEAN ENERGY &amp; WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT</b>				
<b>Training for Residential Energy Contractors</b>	DOE	Funding available to state energy offices so they can train, test, and certify residential energy efficiency and electrification contractors.	January 15, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Energy Storage Pilot Demonstrations</b>	DOE	Funding to move energy storage technologies closer to commercial viability and utility-scale deployment, ultimately propelling the nation toward a carbon free clean energy economy.	February 13, 2025	<a href="#">Link to information</a>
<b>Energy Improvement in Rural and Remote Areas</b>	DOE	Funding to improve the resilience, reliability, and affordability of energy systems in communities across the country with 10,000 or fewer people.	Concept papers due February 27, 2025, Applications due August 28, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>

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<b>Generation 3+ Small Modular Reactor Pathway to Deployment</b>	DOE	Funding to accelerate the demonstration of Gen III+ SMRs through cost-shared partnerships with teams that include utility, reactor vendor, constructor, and end-users or power off-takers	January 17, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program</b>	Department of Energy	Grants to assist states, local governments, and Tribes in implementing strategies to reduce energy use, to reduce fossil fuel emissions, and to improve energy efficiency.	Tribes: May 31, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>RESILIENCE, ENVIRONMENT, AND LEGACY POLLUTION</b>				
<b>Rural Energy for America Program Renewable Energy Systems &amp; Energy Efficiency Improvement Guaranteed Loans &amp; Grants</b>	USDA	Funding to provide guaranteed loan financing and grant funding to agricultural producers and rural small businesses for renewable energy systems or to make energy efficiency improvements.	December 31, 2024	<a href="#">Link to information</a>
<b>Environmental Quality Incentives Program</b>	USDA	Funding to provide technical and financial assistance to agricultural producers and forest landowners to address natural resource concerns.	Varies by state: <a href="#">Visit USDA's website for Dates</a>	<a href="#">See "how to apply"</a>
<b>Conservation Stewardship Program</b>	USDA	Funding to help farmers build on existing conservation efforts while strengthening operation.	Varies by state: <a href="#">Visit USDA's website for Dates</a>	<a href="#">See "how to apply"</a>
<b>Agricultural Conservation Easement Program</b>	USDA	Funding to help landowners, land trusts, and other entities protect, restore, and enhance wetlands or protect working farms and ranches through conservation easements.	December 20, 2024	<a href="#">See "how to apply"</a>

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<b>Regional Conservation Partnership Program</b>	USDA	Funding for a partner-driven conservation approach to natural resource challenges on agricultural land.	Varies by state: <a href="#">Visit USDA's website for Dates</a>	<a href="#">See "how to apply"</a>
<b>Wood Innovations Program</b>	USDA	Funding available to support innovation and jobs in the forestry sector while supporting healthy forest landscapes.	December 11, 2024	<a href="#">Information here</a>
<b>WaterSMART Environmental Water Resources Projects 2024</b>	Department of the Interior, Bureau of Reclamation	DOI will provide up to \$95 million for projects to bolster water resources, advance ecosystem health and support resilience in communities facing drought and other climate change impacts.	March 11, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Drinking Water and Clean Water State Revolving Funds</b>	Environmental Protection Agency	EPA State revolving funds are a federal-state partnership that provides low-cost financing to communities for a wide range of water infrastructure projects, including drinking water upgrades, wastewater treatment, stormwater runoff mitigation, lead pipe replacement, and treating emerging contaminants like PFAS.	Funding for local projects is available from states on rolling basis;  State capitalization grant award deadline of September 30, 2025 for FY24 funding	<a href="#">Link for more information</a>
<b>Emerging Contaminants for Small or Disadvantaged Communities</b>	Environmental Protection Agency	This EPA grant program addresses emerging contaminants, including PFAS, for scoping, planning, testing and remediating emerging contaminants in drinking and source water.	Rolling Basis	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>

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<b>Clean School Bus Rebates</b>	Environmental Protection Agency	This opportunity provides rebates to school districts for replacing diesel school buses with electric or low-emission school buses.	January 9, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>Orphaned Wells Phase 2 State Formula Grants</b>	Department of the Interior	This program provides formula grants to states to plug and remediate orphaned oil and gas wells.	December 13, 2024	<a href="#">Link to more information</a>
<b>Orphaned Wells State Matching Grants</b>	Department of the Interior	This program provides funding to states to plug and remediate orphaned oil and gas wells. Funding is available to match increases in state-level investments in orphaned wells.	Rolling Basis	<a href="#">Grant guidance</a>
<b>Abandoned Mine Land FY24 State Formula Grants</b>	Department of the Interior	This program provides formula grants to states to remediate abandoned coal mine lands.	State grants award deadline September 30, 2025	<a href="#">Link to more information</a>
<b>Tribal Cybersecurity Grant Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	This program provides funding for Tribal governments to address cybersecurity risks.	January 10, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>HIGH SPEED INTERNET AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT</b>				
<b>Digital Equity Capacity Grant Program</b>	DOC/NTIA	The Digital Equity Capacity Grant Program is the second of three digital equity programs funded by BIL. This program funds states and territories to carry out the digital inclusion activities identified in digital equity plans.	Native Entities: February 7, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>

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<b>Appalachian Regional Initiative for Stronger Economies (ARISE)</b>	Appalachian Regional Commission	This program aims to drive large-scale, regional economic transformation through multi-state collaborative projects across Appalachia. ARC launched ARISE to strengthen Appalachian business and industry, and to grow and support the development of new opportunities across multiple states.	Rolling Basis	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>
<b>READY Grants to Grow</b>	Appalachian Regional Commission	READY Grants to Grow is a \$9 million funding opportunity that will award grants of up to \$500,000 to organizations seeking to build individual, organizational and/or community capacity across the region.	February 14, 2025	<a href="#">Link to NOSA</a>
<b>Community Infrastructure Fund</b>	Delta Regional Authority	This funding will support economic and community development needs within DRA's region. Approximately \$30 million is available to address basic public and transportation infrastructure, as well as flood control issues for communities within DRA's eight-state service area.	Rolling Basis	<a href="#">Link to NOFO</a>

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<b>Fall 2024</b>	
<b>All Stations Accessibility Program</b>	Department of Transportation
<b>Port Infrastructure Development Program</b>	Department of Transportation
<b>Orphaned Wells State Regulatory Improvement Grants Guidance</b>	Department of the Interior
<b>Dam Safety Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency
<b>Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency
<b>Flood Mitigation Assistance Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency
<b>Safeguarding Tomorrow Revolving Loan Fund Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency
<b>Swift Current Flood Mitigation Program</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency