How DFA's Federal Grants Bureau Can Help You Bridge the Gap and Fund Your Projects





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DFA's Federal Grants Bureau

Who we are

- A new Bureau of the State Budget Division
- Dedicated to helping government units and agencies in New Mexico find, win, and manage federal grant funds
- Keenly attuned to the mandate that federal grants (from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Legislation) must be at least 40% awarded to traditionally underserved communities







Services of DFA's Federal Grants Bureau

Overview

- Finding Grant Money
 - We've identified funding match opportunities for New Mexico
- Getting Ready for a Grant and how to manage it
 - We have tools and templates and training!
- Technical Assistance
 - Navigating federal forms & requirements
 - Help is available at the level you want
 - Tips to maximize financial support
- All Federal Grants Bureau services are FREE!







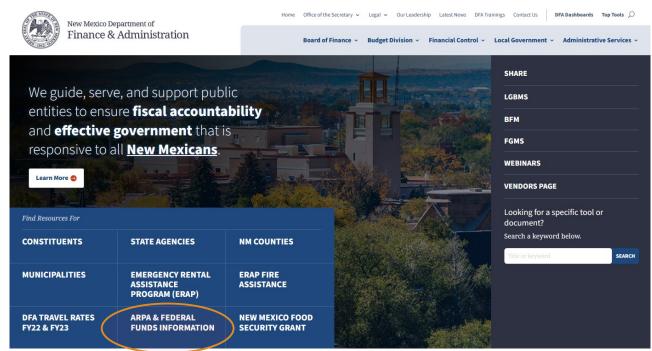
DFA's Federal Grants Dashboards

Finding Federal Grant Opportunities





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Link to **Federal Funds Dashboards** on https://www.nmdfa.state.nm.us/





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New Mexico Federal Funds Dashboards

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We guide, serve, and support public entities to ensure **fiscal accountability** and **effective government** that is responsive to all **New Mexicans**.

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Find Resources For

CONSTITUENTS STATE AGENCIES

EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (ERAP)

DFA TRAVEL RATES FY22 & FY23

MUNICIPALITIES

ARPA & FEDERAL FUNDS INFORMATION NM COUNTIES

ERAP FIRE ASSISTANCE

NEW MEXICO FOOD SECURITY GRANT

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New Mexico Federal Funds

Message from the Governor

Major infrastructure funding has eluded Presidents of both parties for decades. Two major pieces of legislation were passed last year that set America on a course to catch up on badly needed infrastructure investments. First, the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) allowed states to recoup hundreds of millions of dollars paid out to New Mexicans impacted by COVID 19 and to address other critical needs. New Mexico's share was \$3.31 billion dollars. Second, President Biden signed the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) that represents the greatest investment in infrastructure in decades. Under BIL, New Mexico will receive approximately \$3.8 billion dollars for roads, bridges, dams, broadband, and much more.

Why should Americans care? We know that we've been falling behind other developed nations when it comes to infrastructure. We also know that the return on investment for every dollar spent is at least three-fold, not to mention the great jobs that come with it. As your Governor, I'm committed to making sure that our infrastructure monies are spent wisely and in a way that will benefit all New Mexicans. Whether it's giving kids in rural New Mexico the opportunity to fully participate through broadband or making sure that drivers have first class safe roads or helping us into the future as electric vehicles become the norm in our efforts to address climate change, all New Mexicans will benefit from these new infrastructure opportunities.

Federal funding can be complicated but I'm committed to making sure that we have complete transparency as we work our way through these investments. This dashboard is our first attempt to make sure New Mexicans can access down to the dollar how these infrastructure dollars are spent. We're still early in the process but as we go forward, you'll be able to find out in the greatest detail possible what's going on with your tax dollars. It will also inform New Mexico communities about possible grant opportunities so that no good idea gets left behind.

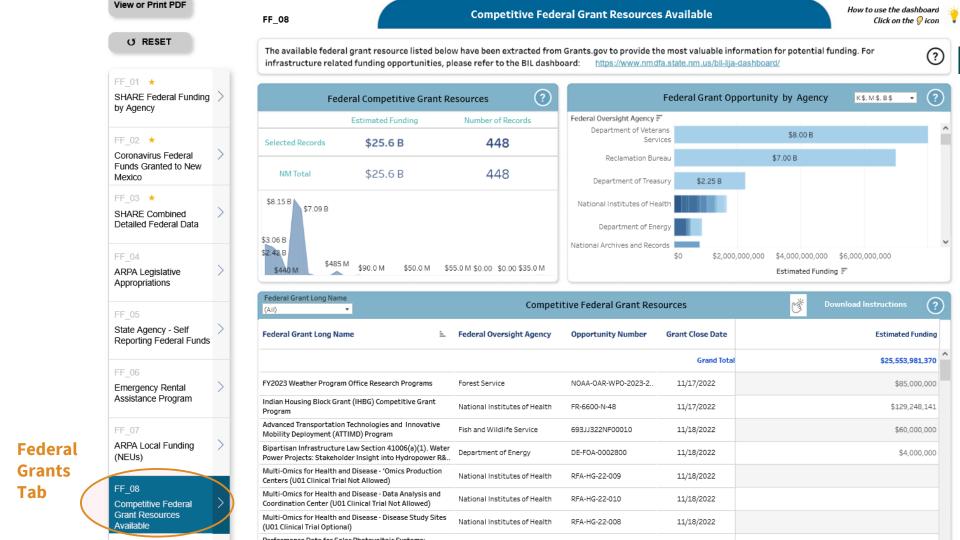
I want to thank President Joseph Biden, Senators Martin Heinrich and Ben Ray Lujan and Representatives Teresa Leger-Fernandez and Melanie Stansbury for their hard work in making these tremendous infrastructure investments possible. Most of all, I want to thank you. This



Federal Funds Dashboard 🔕

BIL & IIJA Dashboard 🔕

Select Federal Funds or BIL & IIJA







FGB Uses Multiple Sources for Fed Grants

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

DELEGATION OFFICE
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
HART SENATE OFFICE BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

November 7, 2022

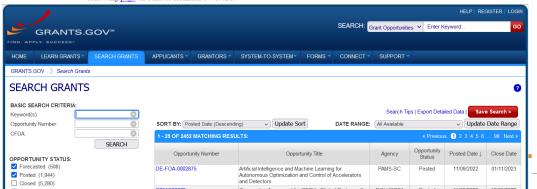
Weekly GRANTS ADVISORY

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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. The intent of this advisory is to alert entities about upcoming grants that may address common needs among our communities. 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.





Through ReConnect Program Awards announced to date from the third round total

more than \$1.6 billion and can be found here. According to USDA, these new



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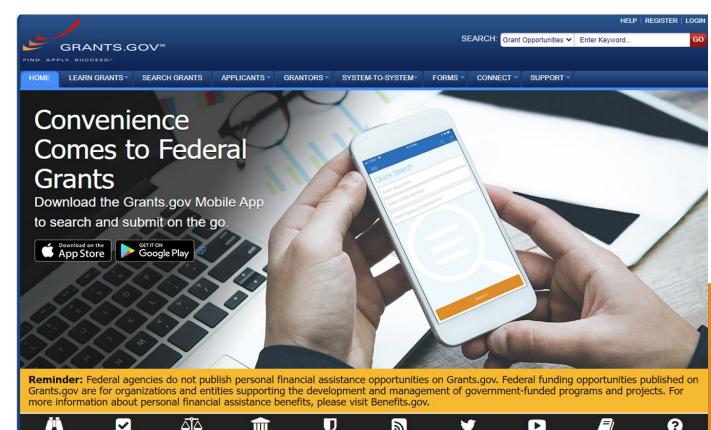
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Federal Government announces all grant opportunities on Grants.gov https://www.grants.gov





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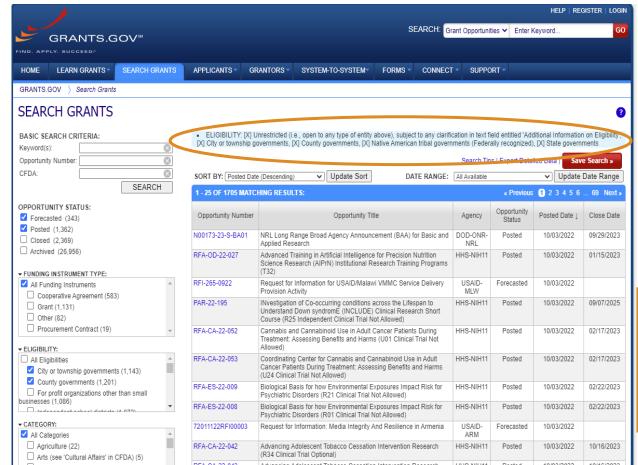
Funding Instrument Type

- Cooperative Agreement
- Grant

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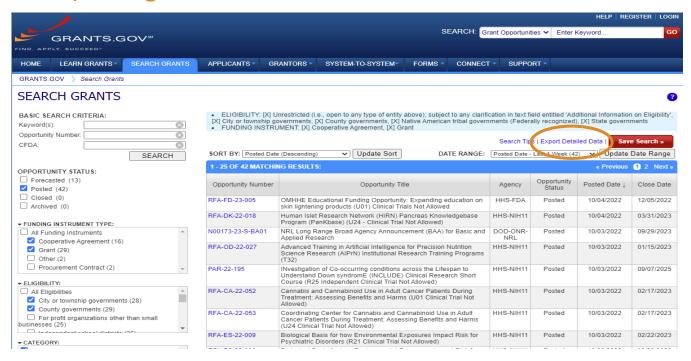
- State governments;
- City or township governments;
- County governments;
- Native American tribal governments
- Unrestricted

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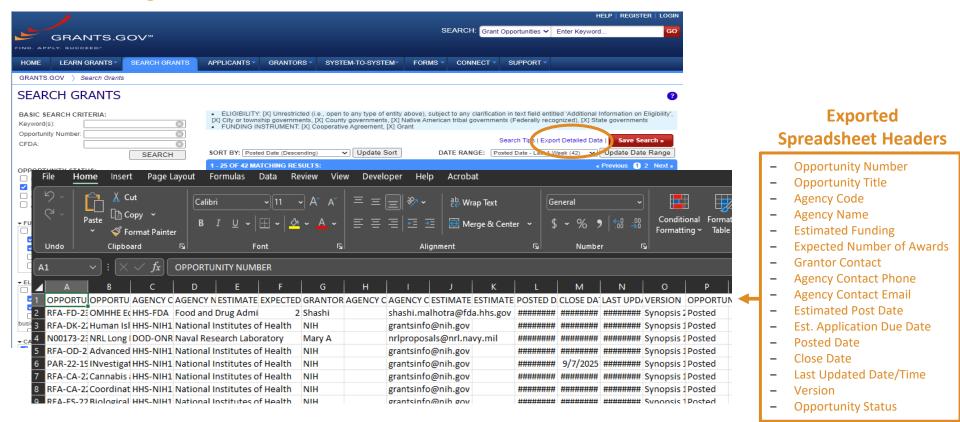


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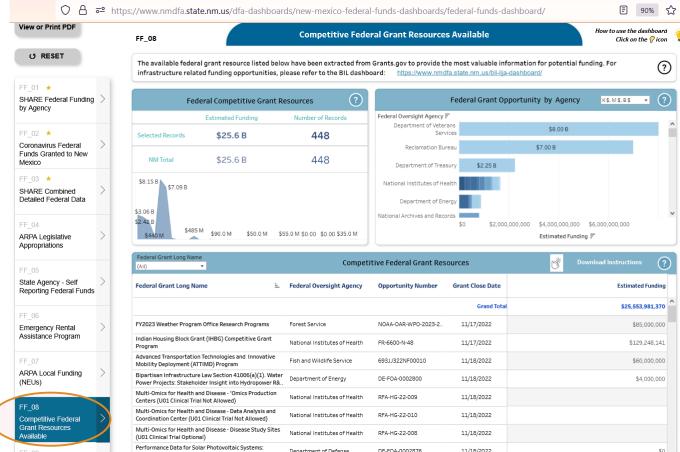


Federal Grants Bureau staff research for opportunities practical for New Mexico, use results for DFA Dashboard and outreach to agencies

Federal

Grants

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Federal Grant Research Results

Selected opportunities relevant to New Mexico also distributed via Agencies' Grant **Opportunity Announcements**

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> Grant Opportunity Announcement November 8th, 2022

Total listed: 15

1 of 10 - Opportunity Title:

Veterans Business Outreach Center - Expansion FY23

Eligible Applicants:

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

Description:

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity is to invite proposals for funding from eligible non-profit organizations, local and state government agencies, private sector firm and institutions of higher education to provide quality training and counseling to veteran small business owners and entrepreneurs. A key component of this Funding Opportunity is for applicants to provide training to transitioning military personnal and spouses through the Roots to Rusiness (R2R) Training Program and to veterans







Technical Assistance Services

Free from the Federal Grants Bureau



Technical Assistance



Available Federal Grant Bureau Services

FREE assistance tailored to your needs

- Want help with early planning, or phasing a project?
- Already have a content expert and just need help with developing budget or navigating the required forms?
- Need additional capacity for compiling the application?
- Want help understanding the parts of a federal Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)?
- Want help with getting ready to receive a grant (Administrative processes) or tips to maximize financial support?

FREE assistance with federal grant management

Assess current federal grant management, provide action plan for moving ahead

Federal Grants Bureau staff are available to help you identify new opportunities, navigate the process, and take federal stress off your team!







Resources

Sample grant documents centered on New Mexico

https://www.nmdfa .state.nm.us/budget -division/federalgrants-bureau/









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Thank You





