

# EPA BIL & IRA Programs

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Program Office, Funding Opportunity	Description	Eligible Applicants	\$ Amount (Millions) and Type	# Awards and Amount (Millions)	Opening Date	Closing Date	Region 7 Point of Contact
<b>Bipartisan Infrastructure Law</b>							
OW, <a href="#">Clean Water SRF – General Supplemental</a>	Provides funding for all CWSRF-eligible projects and set-aside activities to support clean water objectives.	States, territories, and tribes	11,713 total (FY22-26) Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	<a href="#">FY23 Allotments:</a> 28.495 (IA) 19.005 (KS) 58.367 (MO) 10.769 (NE) 44.040 (Tribes)	Spring 2023		Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>
OW, <a href="#">Clean Water SRF – Emerging Contaminants</a>	Provides funding for projects otherwise eligible under section 603(c) of the CWA; primary purpose must be to address emerging contaminants.	States, territories, and tribes	1,000 total (FY22-26) Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	<a href="#">FY23 Allotments:</a> 2.907 (IA) 1.939 (KS) 5.954 (MO) 1.099 (NE) 4.500 (Tribes)	Spring 2023		Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>
OW, <a href="#">Drinking Water SRF – General Supplemental</a>	Provides funding for all DWSRF-eligible projects and set-aside activities to support drinking water objectives.	States, territories, and tribes	11,713 total (FY22-26) Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	FY23 Allotments: TBD	Spring 2023		Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>
OW, <a href="#">Drinking Water SRF – Emerging Contaminants</a>	Focuses on addressing emerging contaminants, including perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), in drinking water served by public water systems in small or disadvantaged communities.	States, territories, and tribes	4,000 total (FY22-26) Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	FY23 Allotments: TBD	Spring 2023		Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>
OW, <a href="#">Drinking Water SRF – Lead Service Line Replacement</a>	Provides funding for projects otherwise DWSRF eligible; must be a lead service line replacement project or associated activity directly connected to the identification, planning, design, and replacement of lead service lines.	States, territories, and tribes	15,000 total (FY22-26) Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	FY23 Allotments: TBD	Spring 2023		Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>
OW, <a href="#">Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) – Emerging</a>	Provides states and territories with grants to public water systems in small or disadvantaged communities to address emerging contaminants, including PFAS.	States, territories, and tribes	5,000 Non-competitive (allotment to	<a href="#">FY22/FY23 Allotments:</a> 18.914 (IA) 18.914 (KS) 24.420 (MO)	Spring 2023		Bob Dunlevy <a href="mailto:dunlevy.robert@epa.gov">dunlevy.robert@epa.gov</a>

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<a href="#">Contaminants in Small or Disadvantaged Communities (EC-SDC) Grant Program</a>			states and tribes)	18.914 (NE) TBD (Tribes)			
OW, <a href="#">Mississippi River / Gulf of Mexico Hypoxia Task Force Program</a>	Provides funding to invest in and better protect the Mississippi River and Gulf of Mexico to ensure that they continue to serve as vital economic and recreational assets.	Task Force member states, tribes, sub-basin committees, and land grant universities	60 Non-competitive (allotment to states and tribes)	See link for allotment breakdown			Christopher Simmons <a href="mailto:simmons.christopher@epa.gov">simmons.christopher@epa.gov</a>
OLEM, <a href="#">Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling (SWIFR) Grants</a>	Provides grants to implement the National Recycling Strategy to improve post-consumer materials management and infrastructure; support improvements to local post-consumer materials management and recycling programs; and assist local waste management authorities in making improvements to local waste management systems. The program is divided into 3 funding opportunities.	<a href="#">1) States and territories</a>  <a href="#">2) Political subdivisions of states (e.g., cities, counties, etc.)</a>  <a href="#">3) Tribes and intertribal consortia</a>	1) 30 Non-competitive 2) 40 Competitive 3) 40 Competitive	1) Multiple – \$300K-1.5M 2) Multiple – \$500K-4.0M 3) Multiple – \$100K-1.5M	11/15/22	1) States + territories participating submitted “Notices of Intent to Participate.” Final apps due: 5/31/23 2) 2/15/23 3) 4/4/23	Jim Callier <a href="mailto:callier.james@epa.gov">callier.james@epa.gov</a>
OLEM, <a href="#">Consumer Recycling Education and Outreach Grants</a>	Funds projects to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inform the public about residential or community recycling or composting programs.</li> <li>Provide information about the materials that are accepted as part of residential or community recycling or composting programs.</li> <li>Increase collection rates and decrease contamination across the nation.</li> </ul>	States, territories, tribes, local governments, nonprofits, and public-private partnerships	30 Competitive	25 – \$250K-2.0M	11/15/22	2/15/23	Jim Callier <a href="mailto:callier.james@epa.gov">callier.james@epa.gov</a>
OCSPP, Pollution Prevention (P2) Grants: Environmental Justice in Communities	Provides P2 technical assistance to businesses to improve human health and the environment in disadvantaged communities	State governments and state entities (e.g., universities), territories, tribes, and intertribal consortia	8 Competitive	Multiple – \$100K-1.2M	3/8/23	6/4/23	Jim Callier <a href="mailto:callier.james@epa.gov">callier.james@epa.gov</a>
OCSPP, P2 Grants: Environmental Justice Through Safer and More Sustainable Products	Provides P2 technical assistance to businesses to improve human health and the environment in low-income and disadvantaged communities by increasing the supply, demand, and/or use of safer and more sustainable products (e.g., those certified by EPA’s <a href="#">Safer Choice</a> label, or those that conform to EPA’s <a href="#">Recommendations for Specifications, Standards, &amp; Ecolabels for Federal Purchase</a> ).	State governments and state entities (e.g., universities), territories, tribes, and intertribal consortia	8 Competitive	Multiple – \$100K-1.2M	3/8/23	6/4/23	Jim Callier <a href="mailto:callier.james@epa.gov">callier.james@epa.gov</a>

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<p>OAR, <a href="#">Clean School Bus Program</a></p>	<p>The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) provides \$5 billion for the Clean School Bus (CSB) Program to replace existing school buses with clean and zero-emission (ZE) school buses. For each fiscal year between 2022 and 2026, \$500 million will be made available to fund zero-emission and clean school buses, and \$500 million will be made available to fund only zero-emission school buses. The first funding opportunity under the CSB Program will be the 2022 Clean School Bus Rebates. EPA anticipates offering a total of \$500 million, or half of the fiscal year 2022 CSB Program funds, in the 2022 CSB Rebates. Funds are subject to availability and total awards may be higher or lower than the anticipated funds offered. The 2022 CSB Rebates are an entirely separate funding opportunity than the Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA) School Bus Rebates that EPA has offered in prior years. EPA does not plan to offer DERA School Bus Rebates in 2022.</p>	<p>Public school districts, including charter schools, with an NCEES District ID. Eligible contractors, nonprofit school transportation associations, Indian tribes, tribal organizations, or tribally controlled schools responsible for the purchase of school buses or providing school bus service for a Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) funded school.</p>	<p>5000 with 500 per fiscal year between 2022 and 2026</p>	<p>Multiple</p>	<p>EPA will announce future funding opportunities through the website and newsletter  <a href="http://www.epa.gov/cleanschoolbus">www.epa.gov/cleanschoolbus</a></p>	<p>TBD</p>	<p>Jenny Kissel <a href="mailto:kissel.jenny@epa.gov">kissel.jenny@epa.gov</a> Michelle Reimer <a href="mailto:reimer.michelle@epa.gov">reimer.michelle@epa.gov</a></p>
<p><b>Inflation Reduction Act</b></p>							
<p>OEJEER, <a href="#">Environmental Justice (EJ) Government to Government (G2G)</a></p>	<p>Provides funding for projects that support and/or create model state, territorial, tribal, and local government activities that lead to measurable environmental or public health results in communities disproportionately burdened by environmental harms and risks.</p>	<p>A partnership between a state and a community-based nonprofit organization (CBO); partnership between a tribe and a CBO; partnership between a local government and a CBO; or U.S. Territories, Freely Associated States, and tribal governments in remote areas</p>	<p>70 Competitive</p>	<p>Multiple, up to \$1M each</p>	<p>1/10/23</p>	<p>4/14/23</p>	<p>Monica Espinosa <a href="mailto:espinosa.monica@epa.gov">espinosa.monica@epa.gov</a></p>
<p>OEJEER, <a href="#">EJ Collaborative Problem Solving (CPS)</a></p>	<p>Requires selected applicants, or recipients, to use the <a href="#">EPA's Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-Solving Model</a> to address local environmental or public health issues in a collaborative manner with various stakeholders such as communities, industry, academic institutions, and others.</p>	<p>A CBO; or a partnership of CBOs*</p> <p>*A partnership must be documented with a signed Letter of Commitment from the CBO detailing the parameters of the partnership, as well as the role and responsibilities of the partnering community-based organizations.</p>	<p>30 Competitive</p>	<p>Multiple, up to \$500k each</p>	<p>1/10/23</p>	<p>4/14/23</p>	<p>Monica Espinosa <a href="mailto:espinosa.monica@epa.gov">espinosa.monica@epa.gov</a></p>
<p>OEJEER, <a href="#">EJ Thriving Communities</a></p>	<p>Selects pass-through entities to manage the longstanding EJ Small Grants Program as a new</p>	<p>A CBO; partnership of CBOs; partnership</p>	<p>550 Competitive</p>	<p>Approximately \$550 million total</p>	<p>2/23/23</p>	<p>5/31/23</p>	<p>Monica Espinosa</p>

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<a href="#">Grantmaking (TCGM)</a>	<p>pass-through small sub-award program. The pass-through model reduces the burden on communities from applying through the federal grants process and decreases the amount of time it takes to award federal funds.</p>	<p>between a tribe and a CBO; or partnership between an institution of higher education and a CBO</p>		<p>to approximately 11 eligible entities</p>			<p><a href="mailto:espinosa.monica@epa.gov">espinosa.monica@epa.gov</a></p>
<p>OAR, <a href="#">Clean Air Act (CAA) Grants</a></p>	<p>Supplements annual funding for air pollution control agencies in support of activities under Clean Air Act Section 103.</p>	<p>State, territorial, tribal, and local air pollution control agencies currently receiving CAA Section 105 grants</p>	<p>25 Non-competitive</p>	<p>States and eligible tribes</p>	<p>2/15/23</p>	<p>4/15/23</p>	<p>Jenny Kissel <a href="mailto:kissel.jenny@epa.gov">kissel.jenny@epa.gov</a> Stephanie Doolan <a href="mailto:Doolan.stephanie@epa.gov">Doolan.stephanie@epa.gov</a> Jessica Raley <a href="mailto:ralley.jessica@epa.gov">ralley.jessica@epa.gov</a></p>
<p>OAR, <a href="#">Climate Pollution Reduction Grants (CPRG)</a></p>	<p>Provides grants to states, local governments, tribes, and territories to develop and implement plans for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and other harmful air pollution.</p> <p>Planning (P) Grants: Develops plans for reducing greenhouse gas air pollution.</p> <p>Implementation (I) Grants: Implements the plans developed under the Planning Grants.</p>	<p>States, tribes, municipalities, and air pollution control agencies, or a group of such eligible entities.</p>	<p>250 (P) Non-competitive 4,750 (I) Competitive</p>	<p>States, tribes, and MSA's &gt;1 M population</p> <p>Grantees who participated in the non-competitive program are eligible for the competitive grants</p>	<p>3/1/23</p>	<p>Entities participating must submit "Notices of Intent to Participate" by: 3/31/23 (State) 4/28/23 (MSA)</p> <p>Final apps due: 4/28/23 (State) 5/31/23 (MSA) 6/16/23 (Tribe)</p>	<p>Jenny Kissel <a href="mailto:kissel.jenny@epa.gov">kissel.jenny@epa.gov</a></p>
<p>OAR, <a href="#">Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund (GHGRF)</a></p>	<p>Designed to reduce GHG emissions and other air pollutants; deliver the benefits of GHG and air pollution reducing projects to low-income and disadvantaged communities; and mobilize financing and private capital to stimulate additional deployment of GHG and air pollution reducing projects. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$7 billion for competitive grants to enable low-income and disadvantaged communities to deploy or benefit from zero-emission technologies, including distributed technologies on residential rooftops;</li> </ul>	<p>Implemented via two grant competitions:</p> <p>1) Zero-Emissions Technologies Competition – \$7B to states, tribes, municipalities, and eligible nonprofit entities.</p> <p>2) General and Low-Income and Disadvantaged</p>	<p>27,000 total</p> <p>1) 7,000 Competitive</p> <p>2) 19,970 Competitive</p> <p>(30 for EPA admin)</p>	<p>1) Up to 60 grants 2) 2-15 grants</p>	<p>Summer 2023</p>	<p>TBD</p>	<p>Jenny Kissel <a href="mailto:kissel.jenny@epa.gov">kissel.jenny@epa.gov</a></p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nearly \$12 billion for competitive grants to eligible entities to provide financial and technical assistance to projects that reduce or avoid greenhouse gas emissions; and</li> <li>\$8 billion for competitive grants to eligible entities to provide financial and technical assistance to projects that reduce or avoid greenhouse gas emissions in low-income and disadvantaged communities.</li> </ul>	<p>Communities Competition – \$19.97B to create a national network of eligible nonprofit entities who will facilitate the technical assistance.</p>					
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