



PWEAA2020
FY 2020 EDA Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs
including CARES Act Funding
Department of Commerce
Economic Development Administration

GENERAL INFORMATION

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PWEAA2020
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2020 EDA Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs including CARES Act Funding
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Opportunity Category Explanation:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Opportunity Zone Benefits
Category Explanation:	**This section reflects the availability of financial assistance for CARES Act Recovery Assistance Projects.** The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Under this NOFO, EDA solicits applications from applicants in order to provide investments that support construction, non construction, planning, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works program and EAA program (which includes Assistance to Coal Communities and Nuclear Closure Communities). Grants and cooperative agreements made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets and support the implementation of economic development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities, including those negatively impacted by changes to the coal economy and nuclear power plant closures. Details about financial assistance for CARES Act Recovery Assistance Projects are located in the addendum released 05/07/2020.
Expected Number of Awards:	3000
CFDA Number(s):	11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities 11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Version:	Synopsis 3
Posted Date:	Oct 18, 2019
Last Updated Date:	May 07, 2020
Original Closing Date for Applications:	There are no submission deadlines under this opportunity. Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis until the publication of a new PWEAA NOFO.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	There are no submission deadlines under this opportunity. Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis until the publication of a new PWEAA NOFO.
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$30,000,000
Award Floor:	\$100,000

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
State governments
Special district governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
County governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
City or township governments
Private institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible applicants for EDA financial assistance under the Public Works and EAA programs include a(n): (i) District Organization of a designated Economic Development District; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, county, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See Section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA) (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants or cooperative agreements to individuals or to for profit entities. Requests from such entities will not be considered for funding. For ACC funding, projects must be located within and targeted to communities or regions that have been impacted, or can reasonably demonstrate that they will be impacted, by coal mining or coal power plant employment loss, or employment loss in the supply chain industries of either. For NCC funding, eligible regions have been impacted, or can reasonably demonstrate that they will be impacted, by one or more nuclear power plant closures. For CARES Act funding, applicants must explain clearly in their application how the proposed project would "prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus" or respond to "economic injury as a result of coronavirus."

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Agency Name: Economic Development Administration

Description:

Under this NOFO, EDA solicits applications from applicants in rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and EAA programs. Grants and cooperative agreements made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets and support the implementation of economic development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities. EDA provides strategic investments on a competitive- merit-basis to support economic development, foster job creation, and attract private investment in economically distressed areas of the United States. If you are interested in applying for a project of national impact/scope under the CARES Act; please inquire at RNTA@eda.gov.

Link to Additional Information: [EDA Website](#)

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