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All State Homeland Security Directors  
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All Private Sector Transportation Security Partners  
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SUBJECT: Fiscal Year 2024 Preparedness Grant Programs Final Allocation  
Announcement

Today, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), a component of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), is announcing the final awards and allocations under the Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 preparedness grant programs. These programs include:

- Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)
  - State Homeland Security Program<sup>1</sup>
  - Urban Area Security Initiative<sup>1</sup>
  - Operation Stonegarden
- Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program (THSGP)
- Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP)
- Port Security Grant Program (PSGP)
- Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP)
- Intercity Passenger Rail (IPR) Program – Amtrak<sup>1</sup>
- Intercity Bus Security Grant Program (IBSGP)

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<sup>1</sup> Final allocations for these programs were announced as part of the Notices of Funding Opportunity release.

- Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) Program<sup>1</sup>

The total amount of funds allocated for the FY 2024 Preparedness Grant Programs announced in this Information Bulletin is \$1,979,464,968.<sup>1</sup>

### **FY 2024 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)**

HSGP includes a suite of risk-based grants to assist state, local, tribal and territorial efforts to prevent, prepare for, protect against, and respond to acts of terrorism.. The grants included under HSGP are:

*State Homeland Security Program (SHSP)*<sup>2</sup>. In FY 2024, SHSP provides \$373.5 million to assist state, local, tribal, and territorial governments in preventing, preparing for, protecting against, and responding to acts of terrorism. SHSP also provides funding to implement initiatives based on capability targets and gaps identified during the Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA) process and assessed in the Stakeholder Preparedness Review (SPR) (See Table 1).

*Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI)*. In FY 2024, UASI provides \$553.5 million to assist high-risk urban areas in preventing, preparing for, protecting against, and responding to acts of terrorism (See Table 2).

*Operation Stonegarden (OPSG)*. OPSG provides \$81 million to enhance cooperation and coordination among state, local, tribal, territorial, and federal law enforcement agencies in a joint mission to secure the United States' borders along routes of ingress from international borders, to include travel corridors in states bordering Mexico and Canada, as well as states and territories with international water borders (See Table 3).

### **FY 2024 Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program (THSGP)**

In FY 2024, THSGP provides \$13.5 million to directly eligible tribes to support the building, sustainment, and delivery of core capabilities to enable tribes to strengthen their capacity to prevent, prepare for, protect against, and respond to potential terrorist attacks. As in previous fiscal years, the THSGP will be a competitive grant program (See Table 4).

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<sup>1</sup> The following FY 2024 grant programs are not part of this announcement and will be awarded separately: Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Program (\$291.6 million), Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant Program (\$324 million), Fire Prevention and Safety (FP&S) Grant Program (\$32.4 million), and Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (\$10.8 million).

<sup>2</sup> Per section 2006 of the *Homeland Security Act of 2002* (codified as amended at 6 U.S.C. § 607), DHS/FEMA is required to ensure that at least 25% of grant funding appropriated for grants awarded under HSGP's authorizing statute are used for law enforcement terrorism prevention activities (LETPA). By policy, DHS/FEMA increased that requirement to 35% for FY 2024. DHS/FEMA meets this requirement, in part, by requiring all SHSP and UASI recipients to ensure that at least 35% of the combined HSGP funds allocated under SHSP and UASI are dedicated towards LETPAs, as defined in 6 U.S.C. § 607. The LETPA allocation can be from SHSP, UASI, or both. Since the majority of OPSG funds are already used for LETPAs, this is not an additional requirement for OPSG.

### **FY 2024 Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP)**

The NSGP provides \$454.5 million in funding support for facility hardening and other physical security enhancements and activities to nonprofit organizations that are at a high risk of a terrorist or other extremist attack. Of this amount, \$227.25 million in funding is available to nonprofit organizations located within one of the FY 2024 UASI-designated high-risk urban areas (NSGP-Urban Area or NSGP-UA) (See Table 5). In FY 2024, additional, separate funding in the amount of \$227.25 million is also appropriated for nonprofit organizations located outside of the FY 2024 UASI-designated high-urban areas (NSGP-State or NSGP-S) (See Table 6).

### **FY 2024 Port Security Grant Program (PSGP)**

In FY 2024, PSGP provides \$90 million to provide funds to port authorities, facility operators, and state, local, and territorial agencies required to provide security services to implement Area Maritime Security Plans, facility security plans, and other port-wide risk management activities. As in previous fiscal years, the PSGP will be a competitive grant program. (See Table 7).

### **FY 2024 Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP)**

TSGP provides \$83.7 million to support transportation infrastructure security activities. The TSGP provides funds to eligible public transportation systems (which include intra-city bus, commuter bus, ferries, and all forms of passenger rail) that serve historically eligible UASI-designated high-risk urban areas to protect critical surface transportation infrastructure and the traveling public from acts of terrorism and to increase the resilience of transit infrastructure. As in previous fiscal years, the TSGP will be a competitive grant program (See Table 8).

### **FY 2024 Intercity Passenger Rail (IPR) Program – Amtrak**

IPR provides \$9 million to the National Passenger Railroad Corporation (Amtrak) to protect critical surface transportation infrastructure and the traveling public from acts of terrorism and to increase the resilience of the Amtrak rail system.



State	Port Area	Entity Name	FY 2024 PSGP Allocation
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	City of Bridgeport	\$37,500
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	Cross Sound Ferry Services, Inc.	\$77,738
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	CT Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection (CT DESPP)	\$420,009
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	Stonington Police Department	\$82,500
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	Tax Division Town of Groton	\$82,824
Connecticut	Long Island Sound	Town of Stratford	\$89,286
Delaware	Delaware Bay	Delaware City Refining Company LLC	\$208,170
Delaware	Delaware Bay	Delaware State Police	\$150,000
Delaware	Delaware Bay	State Of Delaware, DNREC	\$101,899
Florida	Jacksonville, FL	City of Jacksonville Sheriff's Office	\$174,949
Florida	Jacksonville, FL	Jacksonville Port Authority	\$701,250
Florida	Jacksonville, FL	Nassau County Fire Rescue	\$995,936
Florida	Jacksonville, FL	St. Johns County Sheriff's Office	\$68,000
Florida	Miami, FL	Miami Dade County	\$273,000
Florida	Palm Beach, FL	Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office	\$1,341,179
Florida	Panama City, FL	City of Panama City	\$33,841
Florida	Pensacola, FL	Escambia County Sheriff's Office	\$188,891
Florida	Port Canaveral, FL	Brevard County Sheriff's Office	\$274,189
Florida	Port Everglades, FL	Broward County Board of County Commissioners	\$1,411,111
Florida	Port Everglades, FL	Broward County, Office of the Sheriff	\$887,500
Florida	Tampa Bay	City of Tampa	\$950,074
Florida	Tampa Bay	Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office	\$264,000
Florida	Tampa Bay	Pinellas County Sheriff's Office	\$35,103
Florida	Tampa Bay	Seaport Manatee	\$419,250
Florida	Tampa Bay	Tampa Port Authority	\$150,000
Georgia	Savannah, GA	Georgia Port Authority	\$974,659
Illinois	Mid-America - Quad-Cities	East Moline Police Department	\$4,010
Illinois	Southern Tip Lake Michigan	City of Highland Park	\$470,992
Illinois	Southern Tip Lake Michigan	Illinois Department of Natural Resources	\$600,000
Illinois	Southern Tip Lake Michigan	Navy Pier, Inc.	\$520,714
Illinois	St. Louis, MO and IL	Illinois Department of Natural Resources	\$45,000
Indiana	Southern Tip Lake Michigan	City of Portage	\$206,285