

# **The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Competitive Grants Listing**



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Department	Agency/Office	Program	Website	Amount	Description
Department of Agriculture	Food and Nutrition Service	Childhood Nutrition Programs - Equipment Assistance Grant	<a href="#">Food and Nutrition Service Grants</a>	\$100,000,000	For an additional amount for the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et. seq.), except section 21, and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1771 et. seq.), except sections 17 and 21, \$100,000,000, to carry out a grant program for National School Lunch Program equipment assistance.
Department of Commerce	National Institute of Standards and Technology	Construction of Research Facilities	<a href="#">NIST Grants</a>	\$180,000,000	For competitive construction grant program for research science buildings.
Department of Commerce	National Telecommunications and Information Administration	Broadband Technology Opportunities Program	<a href="#">Broadband Technology Opportunities Program Grants</a>	\$200,000,000	For competitive grants for expanding public computer center capacity, including at community colleges and public libraries, etc.
Department of Commerce	National Telecommunications and Information Administration	Broadband Technology Opportunities Program	<a href="#">Broadband Technology Opportunities Program Grants</a>	\$250,000,000	For competitive grants for innovative programs to encourage sustainable adoption of broadband service.
Department of Education	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education	Impact Aid (Section 8007)	<a href="#">Impact Aid Grants</a>	\$60,000,000	To carry out section 8007 of title VIII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, \$100,000,000, which shall be expended pursuant to the requirements of section 805.
Department of Energy	Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy	Advanced Battery Manufacturing Grants	<a href="#">Energy Efficiency Grants</a>	\$2,000,000,000	For the manufacturing of advanced batteries and components; and to provide facility funding to manufacturers of advanced battery systems and vehicle batteries that are produced in the United States, including advanced lithium ion batteries, hybrid electrical systems, component manufacturers, and software designers.
Department of Energy	Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy	Transportation Electrification	<a href="#">Energy Efficiency Grants</a>	\$400,000,000	To implement a grant program for qualified electric transportation projects that reduce emissions, including shipside electrification of vehicles, truck stop electrification, airport ground support equipment and cargo handling equipment.
Department of Energy	Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy/Clean Cities Program	Alternative Fueled Vehicle Pilot Grant Program	<a href="#">Clean Cities Program funding opportunities</a>	\$300,000,000	To establish a grant program through the DOE Clean Cities Program to encourage the use of plug-in electric drive vehicles or other emerging electric vehicle technologies.

Department of Health and Human Services	Agency on Healthcare Research and Quality/NIH	Comparative Effectiveness Health Research	<a href="#">Comparative Effectiveness Health Research Grants</a>	\$1,100,000,000	To compare the effectiveness of different medical treatments. This funding will be used to conduct or support research to evaluate and compare clinical outcomes, effectiveness, risk, and benefits of two or more medical treatments and services that address a particular medical condition. This research will not be used to mandate coverage decisions or impose "one-size-fits-all" medicine on patients. It will be designed to enable medical professionals and patients improve treatment. \$300 million will be administered by AHRQ, \$400 million will be transferred to NIH, and \$400 million will be allocated at the discretion of the Secretary of HHS.
Department of Health and Human Services	National Institutes of Health, National Center for Research Resources	University Research Facilities	<a href="#">University Research Facilities</a>	\$1,300,000,000	To renovate and equip university research facilities. Funding will be used for the construction and renovation of extramural research facilities and for the acquisition of shared instrumentation and other capital research equipment.
Department of Health and Human Services	National Institutes of Health, Office of the Director	Biomedical Research	<a href="#">National Institutes of Health</a>	\$8,700,000,000	To expand jobs in biomedical research to study diseases. \$7.4 million will be distributed to specific Institutes and Centers and to the Common Fund for biomedical research grants. \$800 million will be used by the Office of the Director for purposes that can be completed within two years, including short-term grants focused on specific scientific challenges, new research that expands the scope of ongoing projects, research on public and international health priorities, and to enhance central research support activities, centralized information support systems.

Department of Health and Human Services	The agency in charge is to be determined, but likely the Centers for Disease Control.	Prevention and Wellness Program	<a href="#">Health and Human Services</a>	\$950,000,000	To support state and local efforts to fight preventable chronic diseases and infectious diseases. Funds will be used to carry out evidenced based clinical and community-based prevention and wellness strategies and public health workforce development activities, including immunization programs and state efforts to reduce healthcare-related infections. The Department has not decided which agencies will take the lead but the CDC is likely to be central to these efforts.
Department of Health and Human Services	Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, CDC, and Indian Health Service/States or State-Designated Entities	Health Information Technology Grants	<a href="#">Health Information Technology Grants</a>	\$2,000,000,000	To promote the use and exchange of electronic health information in a manner consistent with the Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology's strategic plan. To award planning and implementation grants to states or qualified state-designated entities to facilitate and expand electronic health information exchange. To award grants to states or Indian tribes to establish loan programs for health care providers to purchase certified electronic health record technology, train personnel in the use of such technology, and improve the secure electronic exchange of health information. To provide financial assistance to universities to establish or expand medical informatics programs. To authorize the Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology in order to promote the use and exchange of electronic health information.
Department of Homeland Security	Federal Emergency Management Agency	Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program	<a href="#">Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program</a>	\$210,000,000	To award one-year grants directly to fire departments and nonaffiliated emergency medical services (EMS) organizations of a State to enhance their abilities with respect to fire and fire-related hazards; to provide assistance to meet fire departments' and nonaffiliated EMS organizations' firefighting and emergency response needs.

Department of Housing and Urban Development	Office of Community Planning and Development	Neighborhood Stabilization Program	<a href="#">Neighborhood Stabilization Program Grants</a>	\$2,000,000,000	To assist states, local governments, and nonprofit organizations in the purchase and rehabilitation of foreclosed properties in order to create affordable housing and reduce neighborhood blight. Funds can be used by grantees to purchase and redevelop foreclosed homes, purchase and rehabilitate abandoned or foreclosed-upon homes, establish land banks, demolish blighted structures, and redevelop demolished or vacant properties as housing.
Department of Housing and Urban Development	Office of Healthy Homes and Lead Hazard Control	Lead Hazard Reduction Program	<a href="#">Lead Hazard Reduction Program Grants</a>	\$100,000,000	To remove lead paint hazards in low-income housing.
Department of Housing and Urban Development	Office of Public and Indian Housing	Native American Housing Block Grant	<a href="#">Native American Housing Block Grants</a>	\$255,000,000	The Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) reorganized the system of housing assistance provided to Native Americans through the Department of Housing and Urban Development by eliminating several separate programs of assistance and replacing them with a block grant program. The two programs authorized for Indian tribes under NAHASDA are the Indian Housing Block Grant (IHBG) which is a formula based grant program and Title VI Loan Guarantee which provides financing guarantees to Indian tribes for private market loans to develop affordable housing. Regulations are published at 24 CFR Part 1000.
Department of Justice	Office of Community Oriented Policing Services	COPS Program	<a href="#">COPS Program Grants</a>	\$1,000,000,000	For hiring and rehiring of additional career law enforcement officers.
Department of Justice	Office of Justice Programs	State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance	<a href="#">Office of Justice Programs Grants</a>	\$225,000,000	For competitive grants to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system, to assist victims of crime (other than compensation), and youth mentoring grants.
Department of Justice	Office of Justice Programs	Assistance for Rural Law Enforcement to Combat Drug-Related Crime	<a href="#">Office of Justice Programs Grants</a>	\$30,000,000	For competitive grants to provide assistance and equipment to local law enforcement along the Southern border and in High-Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas to combat criminal narcotics activity stemming from the Southern border.

<p>Department of Justice</p>	<p>Office of Justice Programs</p>	<p>The Edward Byrne Competitive Grant Program</p>	<p><a href="#">Byrne Grant Information</a></p>	<p>\$225,000,000</p>	<p>For the Edward Byrne Memorial State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance Grant Program (Byrne Formula Grant Program), a partnership among federal, state, and local governments to create safer communities. BJA is authorized to award grants to states for use by states and units of local government to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system—with emphasis on violent crime and serious offenders—and enforce state and local laws that establish offenses similar to those in the federal Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 802(6) et seq.). Grants may be used to provide personnel, equipment, training, technical assistance, and information systems for more widespread apprehension, prosecution, adjudication, detention, and rehabilitation of offenders who violate such state and local laws. Grants also may be used to provide assistance (other than compensation) to victims of these offenders. Twenty-nine legislatively authorized purpose areas were established to define the nature and scope of programs and projects that may be funded under the Byrne Formula Grant Program.</p>
<p>Department of Justice</p>	<p>Office on Violence Against Women</p>	<p>Transitional Housing Assistance Program</p>	<p><a href="#">Transitional Housing Assistance Grant</a></p>	<p>\$50,000,000</p>	<p>Provides competitive, peer-reviewed grants to assist victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and stalking who are in need of transitional housing, short-term housing assistance, and related support services. May be used for transitional housing, short-term housing assistance, support services designed to enable individuals who are fleeing domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking to locate and secure permanent housing and integrate into a community by providing those individuals with services such as transportation, counseling, child care services, case management, employment counseling, and other assistance.</p>

Department of Labor	Employment and Training Administration	Training and Employment Services	<a href="#">Training and Employment Services Grants</a>	\$750,000,000	For a program of competitive grants for worker training and placement in high growth and emerging industry sectors; \$500,000,000 of this is for research, labor exchange and job training projects that prepare workers for careers in energy efficiency and renewable energy
Department of Labor	Employment and Training Administration	Dislocated Worker Assistance National Reserve	<a href="#">Department of Labor Grants</a>	\$200,000,000	These funds will allow the Secretary of Labor to award national emergency grants to respond to plant closings, mass layoffs and other worker dislocations.
Department of Labor	Employment and Training Administration	YouthBuild	<a href="#">YouthBuild Grants</a>	\$50,000,000	Provides services for at-risk youth, who gain education and occupational credentials while constructing or rehabilitating affordable housing.
Department of Labor	Employment and Training Administration	Green Jobs Training	<a href="#">Department of Labor Grants</a>	\$500,000,000	These funds are designated for projects that prepare workers for careers in energy efficiency and renewable energy as described in the Green Jobs Act of 2007.
Department of Labor	Employment and Training Administration	Job Corps Program	<a href="#">Job Corps</a>	\$250,000,000	The funds will support construction and modernization of a network of residential facilities serving at-risk youth. The funds will allow the Office of Job Corps to move forward on a number of ready-to-go rehabilitation and construction projects, including those where competitions have already been concluded.
Environmental Protection Agency	Office of Brownfields and Land Revitalization	Brownfields Grants	<a href="#">Brownfields Grants</a>	\$100,000,000	Funds are provided for Brownfields competitive grants to address environmental site assessment and cleanup, 25 percent of which are mandated by law to address petroleum contamination. Funds will capitalize revolving funds and provide low interest loans, job training grants and technical assistance to local governments and non-profit organizations.
Environmental Protection Agency	Office of Transportation and Air Quality	Diesel Emission Reduction Program	<a href="#">Diesel Emission Reduction Program Grants</a>	\$300,000,000	For creating clean diesel programs that achieve significant reductions in diesel emissions.

Department of Health and Human Services	Health Resources and Service Administration, Bureau of Health Professions	Health Care Workforce	<a href="#">Health Care Workforce Grants</a>	\$200,000,000	To provide for training of health professions; these funds are to be used for all the disciplines trained through the primary care medicine and dentistry program, the public health and preventive medicine program, and the scholarship and loan repayment programs for nurses and health professions.
Department of Health and Human Services	Health Resources and Service Administration, Bureau of Primary Health Care	Health Center Program	<a href="#">Community Health Centers Services Grants</a>	\$500,000,000	To increase the number of uninsured Americans who receive quality healthcare. These funds are to be used to support new sites and service areas, to increase services at existing sites, and to provide supplemental payments for spikes in uninsured populations.
Department of Health and Human Services	Health Resources and Service Administration, Bureau of Primary Healthcare	Community Health Center Infrastructure Grants	<a href="#">Community Health Center Infrastructure Grants</a>	\$1,500,000,000	To renovate clinics and make health information technology improvements. These funds are to be used for construction, renovation, and equipment, and for the acquisition of health information technology systems for community health centers, including health center controlled networks receiving operating grants under section 330 of the Public Health Service Act.
Department of Health and Human Services	Health Resources and Services Administration	National Health Service Corps	<a href="#">National Health Service Corps Grants</a>	\$300,000,000	To address shortages of primary healthcare providers in specific health professional shortage areas. Funds will be used for training primary healthcare providers including doctors, dentists, and nurses as well as helping pay medical school expenses for students who agree to practice in underserved communities through the National Health Service Corps.
Department of Transportation	Federal Aviation Administration	FAA facilities and equipment	<a href="#">Airport Improvement Grants</a>	\$200,000,000	For...improvements to power systems, air route traffic control centers, air traffic control towers, terminal radar approach control facilities, and navigation and landing equipment...
Department of Transportation	Federal Railroad Administration	High-Speed and intercity passenger rail grants	<a href="#">Intercity Passenger Rail Grants</a>	\$8,000,000,000	For projects that support the development of intercity high speed rail service.

Department of Transportation	Federal Transit Administration	Transit fixed guideway modernization grants	<a href="#">Transit Fixed Guideway Grants</a>	\$750,000,000	A “fixed guideway” refers to any transit service that uses exclusive or controlled rights-of-way or rails, entirely or in part. The term includes heavy rail, commuter rail, light rail, monorail, trolleybus, aerial tramway, inclined plane, cable car, automated guideway transit, ferryboats, that portion of motor bus service operated on exclusive or controlled rights-of-way, and high-occupancy-vehicle (HOV) lanes. Eligible purposes are capital projects to modernize or improve existing fixed guideway systems, including purchase and rehabilitation of rolling stock, track, line equipment, structures, signals and communications, power equipment and substations, passenger stations and terminals, security equipment and systems, maintenance facilities and equipment, operational support equipment including computer hardware and software, system extensions, and preventive maintenance. Funds are allocated by a statutory formula to urbanized areas with rail systems that have been in operation for at least seven years.
Department of Transportation	Maritime Administration	Assistance to small shipyards	<a href="#">Small Shipyard Grants</a>	\$100,000,000	To award grants for capital improvements and related infrastructure improvements at qualified shipyards that will facilitate the efficiency, cost effectiveness, and quality of domestic ship construction for commercial and Federal Government use.
Department of Transportation	Office of Secure Transportation	Competitive surface transportation grants	<a href="#">Competitive Surface Transportation Grants</a>	\$1,500,000,000	For capital investments in surface transportation infrastructure... that will have a significant impact on the Nation, a metropolitan area, or a region: Provided further, That projects eligible for funding provided under this heading shall include, but not be limited to, highway or bridge projects...including interstate rehabilitation, improvements to the rural collector road system, the reconstruction of overpasses and interchanges, bridge replacements, seismic retrofit projects for bridges, and road realignments; public transportation projects...passenger and freight rail transportation projects; and port infrastructure investments, including projects that connect ports to other modes of transportation and improve the efficiency of freight movement.
National Endowment for the Arts			<a href="#">NEA Grants</a>	\$30,000,000	For competitively selected arts projects and activities.

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