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TOTAL NSGP NSS-S (Nationally): \$210 Million

NSGP NSS-S (New Jersey): \$1,674,000.

NSGP NSS-UA (New Jersey): TBD

Anticipated Period of Performance: 5-1-2025 to 4-30-2028

Open Application Period Deadline for NJ: November 13th to December 22nd, 2024

Nonprofit Security Grant Program - National Security Supplemental (NSGP-NSS) provides funding to organizations, as described under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, at high risk of terrorist attacks and located within designated areas of New Jersey. Eligible 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations must utilize funding for the purchase and installation of security equipment on property owned or leased by the nonprofit organization. FEMA's Authorized Equipment List (AEL), which includes CCTV, card access readers, blast film, lighting, fencing, bollards, etc., Further, applicants may pursue investments in the areas of training, exercise, and planning that grow preparedness measures. This program also allows the hiring of security personnel.

This federal program consists of two grant funding opportunities based on the applicant's geographic location as described below:

NSGP SS – Urban Area (NSGP NSS-UA)

This program is *limited* to nonprofit organizations located within designated areas of New Jersey (**Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Morris, Monmouth, Ocean, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, and Union counties**).

NSGP SS – State (NSGP NSS-S)

This program is *limited* to nonprofit organizations located within designated areas of New Jersey (**Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Salem, and Warren counties**). As a condition of accepted funds, the nonprofit organization must complete the Environmental and Historical Preservation Screening Form, which the federal government requires.

Eligible applicants must submit their application to NJ OHSP (State Administrative Agency) via the application portal located at njhomlandsecurity.gov. NSGP-NSS-UA and NSGP-NSS-S nonprofit organizations may apply for up to \$200,000 per site/location/physical address.

Nonprofit organizations with multiple sites/locations/physical addresses may choose to apply for additional sites for up to **\$200,000** per site, for a maximum of three sites per funding stream, not to exceed **\$600,000** total per region of the state (UA/S).

A nonprofit organization with sites in both NSGP-NSS-S and NSGP-NSS-UA geographic areas may apply for a total of up to six sites, but the total of their applications cannot exceed \$600,000. per geographic region. A nonprofit organization sub-

applicant may not exceed a total of six applications (three for NSGP NSS-S and three for NSGP-NSS-UA) for a total of \$600,000 per state. Each individual site is required to also have a Vulnerability Risk Assessment

Please note that an application must include an IJ, VRA and IRS 501(c) (3) for each site as described.

Consortium Applicants:

Consortium applications are also eligible under the NSGP-NSS. In this case, an eligible entity would apply on behalf of themselves and other eligible entities as a sub-applicant to the NSGP-NSS. Consortia may apply through the SAA for a maximum award totaling \$1 million. The maximum of \$200,000 per site still applies for each individual nonprofit organization within the consortium. If successful, the lead consortium member will accept the subaward on behalf of the consortium, implement the approved projects/contracts for all consortium member sites, and manage the subaward throughout the period of performance, to include ensuring that all terms and conditions of the subaward are met.

A consortium application is an opportunity for an eligible nonprofit organization to act as a lead and apply for funding on behalf of itself and any number of other eligible NSGP-NSS eligible nonprofit organizations. The lead nonprofit organization must fill out the Investment Justification to represent the collective of the consortium. Additionally, consortium applicants are required to fill out and submit a Consortium Workbook to their SAA which captures the necessary data for all participating consortium nonprofit organizations.

Nonprofit organizations may **not** apply both individually and as part of a consortium. The lead nonprofit organization and its partners must be the intended beneficiaries of the requested funding. Note: If successful, the lead consortium member will accept the subaward on behalf of the consortium, implement the approved projects/contracts for all consortium member sites, and manage the subaward throughout the period of performance, including ensuring that all terms and conditions of the subaward are met.

Any eligible nonprofit organization seeking to apply for this funding, individually or as part of a consortium, must read the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for additional information and requirements.

****When reading the NOFO please be advised that the applicant is the State Administrative Agency (SAA) which is our office (New Jersey Office of Homeland Security). The sub-applicant is the individual non-profit (or consortium if applicable) When reading the NOFO it is important to be mindful of this distinction!!**