

Dear Interested Parties,

As a courtesy, below is information about federal and state grant-related opportunities.

Most of this information can be obtained directly by subscribing to list serves/GovDelivery lists --

### **Mailing List with Grant Opportunities/Resources:**

1. To receive the latest news, press releases, and event information from the **California Natural Resources Agency**. Click on: <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/CNRA/subscriber/new>
2. For up-to-date information about federal Environmental Justice funding opportunities, events, and webinars, subscribe to **USEPA's Environmental Justice** listserv by sending a blank email to: [join-epa-ej@lists.epa.gov](mailto:join-epa-ej@lists.epa.gov). Follow USEPA on X (Twitter): [@EPAEnvJustice](https://twitter.com/EPAEnvJustice)
3. **California Grants Portal**, <https://www.grants.ca.gov/>  
The California Grants Portal (a project by the [California State Library](https://www.california.gov/)) is your one destination to find all grants and loans offered on a competitive or first-come basis by California state agencies. Sign up to receive information about newly added state grant opportunities delivered to your inbox. <https://www.grants.ca.gov/subscribe-to-updates/>
4. **Federal Grants Portal**, <https://www.grants.gov/>  
The federal grants portal provides an efficient way to search for federal grants, a learning center, applicant resources, and other helpful information.
5. The **California Financing Coordinating Committee (CFCC)** consists of several state and federal agencies that collaborate to host funding fairs, which allow grant seekers to meet with financial representatives from each agency and receive information about available infrastructure grants. Past funding fair recordings and a handbook can also be found at CFCC: [www.cfcc.ca.gov](http://www.cfcc.ca.gov)

### **Specific Grant Opportunities/Resources:**

1. **DOI Environmental Justice Technical Assistance Webinar Series.**  
"Feeling overwhelmed by the Federal grants application process? We're here to share tips, tricks, and resources that will help you navigate available funding and access Federal grants to benefit your communities and Tribes. Join the Department of the Interior Environmental Justice Steering Committee's first webinar of its **Environmental Justice Technical Assistance Webinar Series** on **Tuesday, August 6, 2024, from 11:30 am – 12:30 pm PT**. This first webinar will be held jointly with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and will discuss the Grants.gov application process, EPA's technical assistance resources, and specific environmental justice grant opportunities. Click [here](#) to register for the live event. This webinar will be **recorded** and shared in the future. If you have any questions, please reach out to Abby Klinkenberg ([aklinkenberg@usbr.gov](mailto:aklinkenberg@usbr.gov)).
2. **List of Pro-Bono Climate Technical Assistance Providers.** The ICARP Climate Services team has compiled a list of [organizations that offer pro-bono technical assistance](#) in finding, applying to, and administering climate-related grants, performing needs assessments and analyses, facilitating community engagement, training, and much more. Please keep in mind that list is not final or comprehensive and does not reflect an OPR endorsement or preference for the services of those on this list.  
Contact [climateservices@opr.ca.gov](mailto:climateservices@opr.ca.gov) to recommend additions.[ta\\_table\\_final June 2024 Pro-Bono Climate TA Providers ICARP.pdf](#)

3. **Phase Two of the [Environmental Justice Scorecard](https://ejscorecard.geoplatform.gov/scorecard/)** In late July 2024, the White House Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in coordination with the White House Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ), released Phase Two of the Environmental Justice Scorecard. "On this website, you will find information about what federal agencies are doing to advance environmental justice in communities across America."  
<https://ejscorecard.geoplatform.gov/scorecard/>
4. **Urban Sustainability Director's Network (USDN) Guide for Local Governments Seeking Federal Funding**  
 "USDN interviewed local governments that have previously applied to federal funding opportunities, organizations that have supported local governments in their applications, and federal funding program managers to collect stories, best practices, lessons learned, and helpful resources that are consolidated into this helpful [guidebook](#)." [USDN Federal Funding V3 \(canva.com\)](#)
5. **USEPA Environmental and Climate Justice Community Change Grants.** USEPA is accepting applications on a rolling basis for \$2 billion in Inflation Reduction Act funding available to support community-driven projects that build capacity for communities to tackle environmental and climate justice challenges, strengthen their climate resilience, and advance clean energy. Apply by November 21, 2024. <https://www.epa.gov/inflation-reduction-act/inflation-reduction-act-community-change-grants-program>

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If you have any questions regarding any of these programs, please visit the website or contact the person listed for that particular item.

Thank you for your interest.



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