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TO: Regional Planning Commissions, Councils of Government, RHSOC Chairs and Vice Chairs
FROM: Chelsey Call, Grants Supervisor – OHS Grants
DATE: April 1, 2021
RE: FY 2021 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) Application is now open

The Missouri Department of Public Safety is pleased to announce the FY 2021 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) Regionalization grant application period. The application process is similar to FY 2020 and will open Thursday, April 1, 2021 and close Friday, April 30, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. CST.

RHSOCs, RPCs and COGs are asked to share this announcement with eligible applicants in your regions.

FY 2021 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) Application Workshop

The FY 2021 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) Application Workshop, to discuss the process for completing the FY 2021 SHSP grant application, was pre-recorded and is posted online at the DPS website, <https://dps.mo.gov/dir/programs/ohs/grantstraining/> under Grant Applications and Forms. Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, OHS will not host an in-person training or webinar for the FY 2021 SHSP Application Workshop. While reviewing the pre-recorded application workshop documentation is not mandatory, OHS highly recommends applicants do so as not to miss important information/changes to the FY 2021 application.

Eligible Applicants: Local/State Units of Government, Non-Governmental Organizations, Quasi-Governmental Organizations and Nonprofit Organizations

*Applicants located within the counties of (Jackson, Cass, Platte, Clay and Ray) should apply through the Mid-America Regional Council <http://www.marc.org> (816) 474-4240 marcinfo@marc.org.

Ineligible Applicants: Applicants located within the geographical boundaries of the St. Louis Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI), which includes (St. Louis City, St. Louis County, Franklin County and Jefferson County).

Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Activities (LETPA) Applicants: Applicants that intend to apply for LETPA funding **MUST** first apply for the requested project through their respective Regional Homeland Security Oversight Committee (RHSOC) to be considered eligible for LETPA funding. ***State units of government are exempt from this requirement.***

Highway Patrol • National Guard • State Emergency Management Agency • Fire Safety
Office of Homeland Security • Alcohol & Tobacco Control • Capitol Police • Gaming Commission • Veterans Commission

The following materials are available to aid applicants in the application process. These materials can be found at

[FY 2021 SHSP Notice of Funding Opportunity](#)

[FY 2021 SHSP Application Workshop](#)

[Radio Interoperability Guidelines](#)

[FEMA Preparedness Grant Manual](#)

Anticipated FY 2021 SHSP Grant Timeline (Contingent on Federal Funding Process and Award)

April 1, 2021	FY 2021 SHSP Application Workshop posted online
April 1, 2021	FY 2021 SHSP Regionalization funding opportunity opens in WebGrants
April 30, 2021	Applications due in WebGrants by 5:00 p.m. CST
May 3 – June 15, 2021	OHS administrative review of Regionalization applications
June 16 – June 30, 2021	Peer review/scoring of applications of Regionalization applications
July 1 - July 31, 2021	RHSOC funding determinations of Regionalization applications
August 2 – August 13, 2021	FY 2021 SHSP LETPA funding opportunity opens in WebGrants
August 16 – August 20, 2021	OHS administrative review of LETPA applications
August 23 – September 3, 2021	LETPA scoring/funding determination meeting
September 30, 2021	Application Revisions due to OHS
September 2021	FY 2021 SHSP Compliance Workshop

Should you have questions regarding the application process, please call or email:

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