

Potential Municipal Funding Opportunities through the ARRA

ARRA PROGRAM AREA (Fed funding in millions; State funding in thousands)		STATE AGENCY LEAD	OTHER AGENCY	Administered By	NOTES	Status
USDA	Rural Community Facilities Program Account	DECD		Fed	Cost of direct loans and grants – USDA Rural Development Mission	
USDA	Rural Business Program Account	DECD	DoAG	Fed	Loans and grants direct to individuals, businesses, local government and nonprofits for rural economic development projects.	
USDA	Rural Water and Waste Disposal program	DEP		Fed	Direct loans and grants through the Rural Utilities Service for rural water, waste water and waste disposal projects. Loans limited to \$10,000; grants may cover up to 75% of project cost.	
USDA	Equipment Assistance Grants for School Food Authorities	SDE		State	One-time appropriation for equipment assistance to school food authorities(SFAs) participating in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP).	Closed
USDA	Broadband Program	NA		Fed	Competitive grants, loans and loan guarantees for projects in areas without existing broadband service and where at least 75% of the beneficiaries live in rural areas. recipients can not also receive funds from the Commerce Dept's NTIA broadband program.	Closes 8/20
Commerce	Economic Development Assistance	DECD		Fed	\$50 million for economic adjustment assistance for areas that experience sudden severe economic dislocation and job loss due to corporate restructuring. Allows 2% for admin. Up to \$50 million may be transferred to regional economic development commissions	
Commerce	National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) – Broadband Technology	NA		Fed	\$4.35 billion must be used for the Technology Opportunities Program (TOP). Of this amount: \$200 million is for expanding public computer centers (community colleges and libraries as example); at least \$250 million is for innovation programs to encourage broadband;	Closes 8/20
Justice	Violence Against Women	OPM	DPS	State	Formula grants to Governors for grants to local law enforcement -- \$50 million is for transitional housing assistance grants. There is a 25% match for local law enforcement agencies and no match for non-profits.	Closed
Justice	State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance – Byrne Grants	OPM	DPS	State	Formula grant to Governors for grants to local law enforcement (40%) and state law enforcement (60%) for training, equipment, or personnel. There are no matching funds and all grants must be obligated by 9/30/10.	Committed
Justice	State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance – Competitive Byrne Grants	OPM	DPS	Fed	Competitive grants to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system, to assist victims of crime (not compensation) and for youth mentoring programs. State and local law enforcement entities must apply directly to BJA and all funds must be obligate	
Justice	State and local Law Enforcement Assistance -- Internet Crimes Against Children	OPM	DPS	State	Formula funding to Governors for competitive grants to local and state entities for fighting internet crimes against children.	
Justice	Community Oriented Policing Services	OPM	DPS	Fed	Competitive grants to state and local entities for the hiring and rehiring of additional career law enforcement officers. The \$75,000 salary cap for police officers and 20% matching requirement have been waived.	Closed
Energy	Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy -- Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants (Large Cities and Counties)			Fed	Reduce energy use and fossil fuel emissions, and for improvements in energy efficiency. Large cities and counties (1,700) apply directly to DOE for projects grants.	Committed
Energy	Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy -- Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants (Smaller Cities and Counties)	OPM		State	Funds allocated to the State Energy office.	Committed

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EPA	Clean Water State Revolving Funds	DEP		State	Loans for wastewater treatment & drinking water infrastructure. SRF additional dollars must be at least under contract within 12 months of bill passage. At least 50% to be used to further subsidize recipients through forgiveness of principal, negative int	Committed
EPA	Brownfield Grant Programs	DECD	DEP	Fed/State	Various competitive brownfield grant programs per section 104(k) CERCLA usually for states, municipalities and non-profits for either investigation and preparation of a remedial action workplan or for the remediation of eligible contaminated sites. Existing RLF programs may receive supplemental funding. Waives 20% cost share. No administration funds. RLFs may include not more than 10% program funds. Note: detailed under State and Tribal Assistance Section but 128A funds are the only funds that go directly to State and Tribal entities.	
EPA	Safe Drinking Water Act	DPH	DEP	State	Loans for drinking water treatment & infrastructure. SRF additional dollars must be at least under contract within 12 months of bill passage. At least 50% to be used for loan subsidization; and at least 20% to go to green infrastructure, water or energy efficiency	Committed
HUD	Community Development Block Grant: Entitlement	NA	NA	Fed	The program provides annual grants on a formula basis to entitled cities and counties.	Committed
HUD	Community Development Block Grant: Non-Entitlement	DECD		State	In non-entitlement areas, the state distributes grant funding. Non-entitlement areas are cities with populations of less than 50,000 (except cities that are designated principal cities of Metropolitan Statistical Areas), and counties with populations of	Committed
HUD	Neighborhood Stabilization Program	DECD	CHFA	State	Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP) Round II, unlike Round I, will be competitive grants awarded for activities eligible under division B, title III of the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (HERA), to address home foreclosure and abandonment	
Education	Homelessness Prevention Fund	DSS	DECD	State	The Fund provides financial assistance and services to prevent individuals and families from becoming homeless and help those who are experiencing homelessness to be quickly re-housed and stabilized. The funds are intended to target individuals and famili	Committed
Education	Education for the Disadvantaged	SDE		State	Title I-A grants provide supplementary educational and related services to low-achieving and other students attending pre-k-12 schools with relatively high concentrations of pupils from low income families. Formula funding based on number of disadvantaged students.	
Education	Education for the Disadvantaged -- School Improvement Grants	SDE		State	Provides supplementary funds to states and local education agencies (LEAs) for school improvement purposes. States are eligible to apply for these grants, which are allocated in proportion to each state's share of funds received under ESEA Title I, Parts A, C (Migrant Education Program), and D (Neglected and Delinquent Children and Youth). States must use at least 95% of the funds received to make subgrants to LEAs. Subgrants made to LEAs must be between \$50,000 and \$500,000 for each school and must be renewable for up to two additional years if schools meet the goals of their school improvement plans.	Applications under review

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Education	School Improvement Programs (McKinney-Veno)	SDE		State	Competitive grants made by state education agencies (SEAs) to LEAs under this program must be used to facilitate the enrollment, attendance, and success in school of homeless children and youth. Should be available to LEAs during school year 2009-2010 and 2010-2011.	Committed
Education	Education Technology - Title II ESEA	SDE			Available to LEAs during school year 2009-2010 and 2010-2011. Grants for Education Technology.	
Education	Innovation and Improvement	SDE		Fed	Authorizes a series of competitive grant programs intended to support a variety of innovative K-12 educational activities. Specifies that the funds be used for a national evaluation of performance-based teacher and principal compensation systems in high need schools.	
Education	Special Education -- IDEA, Part B Special Education	SDE		State	Funding available during school years 2009-2010 and 2010-2011. Supplemental.	Applications under review
Education	Special Education -- IDEA, Part B- Preschool Special Education	SDE		State		
Education	Special Education -- IDEA, Part C Special Education (Infants and Toddlers)	DSS		State	Funding available during school years 2009-2010 and 2010-2011. Supplemental.	

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