



# EDA AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN

The American Rescue Plan allocates \$3 billion to EDA in supplemental funding to assist communities nationwide in their efforts to build back better by accelerating the economic recovery from the coronavirus pandemic and building local economies that will be resilient to future economic shocks.

American Rescue Plan funding enables EDA to provide larger, more transformational investments across the nation while utilizing its greatest strengths, including flexible funding to support community-led economic development.

EDA is making a *Coal Communities Commitment*, designating \$300 million of its \$3 billion American Rescue Plan appropriation to ensure support for these communities as they recover from the pandemic and create new jobs and opportunities, including through the creation or expansion of a new industry sector.

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STATEWIDE PLANNING, RESEARCH & NETWORKS \$90M		BUILD BACK BETTER REGIONAL CHALLENGE \$1B		TRAVEL, TOURISM & OUTDOOR RECREATION \$750M		ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE \$500M		INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES \$100M		GOOD JOBS CHALLENGE \$500M	
<p><b>GOAL</b></p> <p>EDA is supporting states in planning efforts, investing in research that assesses the effectiveness of EDA's programs, and supporting stakeholder communities around key EDA initiatives.</p>		<p>This Challenge is designed to assist communities nationwide in their efforts to build back better by accelerating the economic recovery from the coronavirus pandemic and building local economies that will be resilient to future economic shocks.</p> <p><i>\$100M for Coal Communities</i></p>		<p>Through state and competitive grant programs, EDA is focused on accelerating the recovery of communities that rely on the travel, tourism and outdoor recreation sectors, which were hard-hit by the pandemic.</p>		<p>This program will help hundreds of communities across the nation plan, build, innovate, and put people back to work through construction or non-construction projects designed to meet local needs.</p> <p><i>\$200M for Coal Communities</i></p>		<p>EDA is allocating \$100 million in American Rescue Plan funding specifically for Indigenous communities, which were disproportionately impacted by the pandemic.</p>		<p>This Challenge aims to get Americans back to work by building and strengthening regional systems and sectoral partnerships to train workers with in-demand skills that lead to good-paying jobs.</p>	
<p><b>SPLIT</b></p> <p><b>Planning: \$59M</b></p> <p><b>Research &amp; Networks: \$31M</b></p>		<p><b>Phase 1: &lt;\$500k each</b></p> <p><b>Phase 2: \$25-75M, up to \$100M</b></p>		<p><b>State grants: \$510M</b></p> <p><b>Competitive: \$240M</b></p>							
<p><b>APPLICANTS</b></p> <p>State or designated entity</p>		<p>National research &amp; IA providers</p>		<p>State or designated entity</p>		<p>All EDA eligibles</p>		<p>Tribes and organizations serving Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders.</p>		<p>All EDA eligibles</p>	
<p><b>APPLICATION PROCESS</b></p> <p>By invitation</p>		<p>Rolling</p>		<p>State grants allocation</p>		<p>Rolling</p>		<p>Rolling</p>		<p>National competition</p>	
<p><b>APPLICATION DEADLINE</b></p> <p><b>STATE PLANNING GRANTS</b> Application due 60 days after receiving invitation</p> <p><b>RESEARCH AND NETWORKS GRANTS</b> Suggested application submission date: <b>October 31, 2021</b></p>		<p>Phase 1 deadline: <b>October 19, 2021</b></p> <p>Phase 2 deadline: <b>March 15, 2022</b></p>		<p><b>STATE TOURISM GRANTS</b> Application due 60 days after receiving invitation</p> <p><b>COMPETITIVE TOURISM GRANTS</b> Suggested application submission date: <b>March 15, 2022</b></p>		<p>Suggested application submission date: <b>March 15, 2022</b></p>		<p>Suggested application submission date: <b>March 15, 2022</b></p>		<p>Application deadline: <b>January 26, 2022</b></p>	

