

BROWNFIELDS & OTHER RESOURCES

Pacific Southwest Region 9

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BROWNFIELDS DEFINED

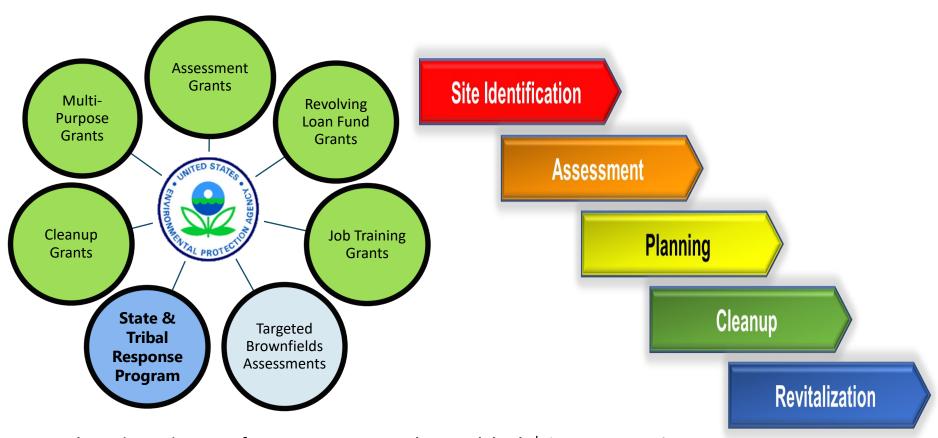
<u>Brownfield</u>: **real property**, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the **presence** or **potential presence** of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant.



EPA Brownfields Program

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Funding for all steps of the redevelopment process!



Note the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law has added \$1.5B to EPA's Brownfields Program over next 5 years

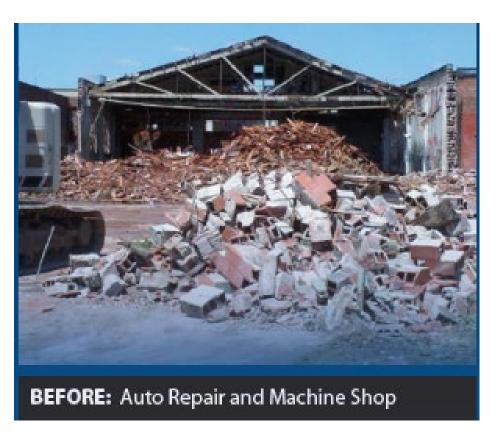
Rural and Tribal Health

COMMUNITY PARKS AND OPEN SPACE





HEALTH & OPEN SPACE





AFFORDABLE HOUSING





RENEWABLE ENERGY





Environmentally Friendly Transportation

COMPETITIVE GRANT FUNDING



Assessment: allows for environmental assessment, planning, and community engagement from \$200K to \$2M

Cleanup: remediation funding of \$500K - \$2M

Revolving Loan Fund: cleanup loan and subgrant funding up to \$1M

Multipurpose: for assessment and cleanup funding up to \$800K



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GENERAL BACKGROUND



- Environmental Site Assessments (ESA) (ASTM Standard)
 - Phase I
 - Phase II
- Cleanup Planning: <u>Analysis of Brownfields Cleanup</u>
 <u>Alternatives</u> (ABCA)
- Site eligibility: Applicant must not be liable for contamination
- Privately and publicly held sites can be assessed

GRANT FUNDING OVERVIEW



Grant Type	Maximum Project Period	Maximum Amount Per Grant	Estimated # of Awards	Total Per Grant Type	
				Bipartisan Infrastructure Law Funds	Regular Appropriated Funds
Multipurpose	5 yrs	\$800,000	17		\$14.0 M
Assessment (State/Tribal)	5 yrs	\$2,000,000	17	\$35.0 M	
Assessment Coalitions	4 yrs	\$1,000,000	20		\$20.0 M
Assessment (CW) - New	4 yrs	\$500,000	36		\$18.0 M
Assessment (CW) - Existing	4 yrs	\$500,000	25		\$12.5 M
RLF (New)	5 yrs	\$1,000,000	10	\$10.0 M	
Cleanup	4 yrs	\$500,000	40	\$20.0 M	
Cleanup	4 yrs	\$1,000,000	25	\$25.0 M	
Cleanup	4 yrs	\$2,000,000	8	\$15.0 M	
			198	\$105 M	\$64.5 M

Amounts are subject to change

COMMUNITY-WIDE ASSESSMENT GRANTS



- **Activities**: Inventory, Phase I/II assessments, community outreach, cleanup and redevelopment planning
- Length: 4 or 5* years
- Award Amount:
 - \$500,000
 - Up to \$2,000,000*
- Match: N/A
 - * States and Tribes



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ASSESSMENT COALITION GRANTS



- Activities: Inventory, Phase I/II assessments, community outreach, cleanup and redevelopment planning
- Requirement: Must have at least 2 partners
- Eligible Entities: Must be a state, county government, Indian tribe or a group of general-purpose units of local government
- Length: 4 years
- **Funding:** Up to \$1,000,000
- Match: N/A

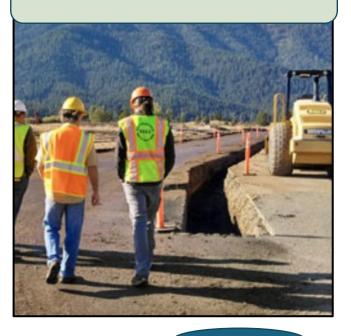


CLEANUP GRANTS



- Activities: Site cleanup, reuse planning, community involvement, regulatory oversight fees
- Requirements:
 - Site ownership
 - Completed phase II or site investigation report
 - Community Notification
- Funding:
 - Up to \$500,000
 - Up to \$1,000,000 *
 - Up to \$2,000,000 *
- Length: 4 years
- Match: N/A *
 - * Change from FY22 guidelines

BIL Funding → **No cost share**

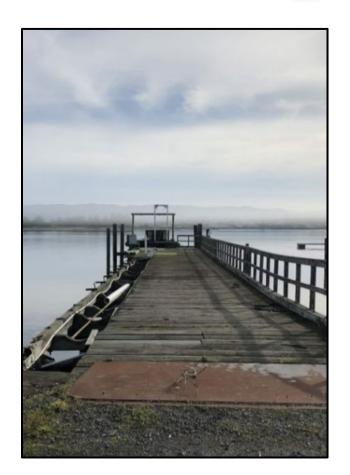


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MULTIPURPOSE GRANTS



- Activities: Inventories, prioritizing sites, community engagement activities, Phase II assessment, cleanup and reuse plans, cleanup activities, and overall plans for revitalization. More details here
- **Funding:** Up to \$800,000
- Requirements:
 - One Phase II environmental site assessment
 - ✓ One brownfield site cleanup
 - ✓ A revitalization plan (includes a feasible reuse strategy for one or more brownfield sites)
- Length: Up to 5 years
- Match: N/A *



REVOLVING LOAN FUND (RLF) GRANT

Activities:

- ✓ Loans and subgrants (\$500K limit per subgrant*) for site remediation
- ✓ Privately-held sites can be eligible for loans; more details <u>here</u>.
- ✓ Recipients need to be able to effectively administer loans and manage program income
- ✓ At least 50% of funding must go to loans
- Funding: Up to \$1,000,000; can receive supplemental funding over time
- Length: Up to 5 years
- Match: N/A *
 - * Change from FY22 guidelines



TARGETED BROWNFIELDS ASSESSMENTS - NONCOMPETITIVE



- Rolling applications 3 pages online
- EPA contractor assistance valued at about \$100,000
- Phase I/II assessments and data evaluation
- Near term redevelopment
- Communities with EJ concerns
- Serve public good

STATE AND TRIBAL RESPONSE PROGRAM (128A) - NONCOMPETITIVE



Four Elements (establishing and enhancing)

- 1. Timely survey and inventory of sites
- 2. Oversight & enforcement authorities or other mechanisms and resources
- 3. Public participation
- 4. Mechanism for cleanup planning & certification
- Establish and maintain a public record
- Optional: Site-specific activities (assessment, cleanup, reuse planning, etc.):
 - ➤ <u>Nevada's Brownfields Program</u> accepts applications for assessments and cleanups!

WILLIAM N. PENNINGTON LIFE CENTER FALLON

- Former gas station
- NNDA assessment
- NDEP groundwater monitoring
- No cleanup needed!





LIFEGUARD ARENA HENDERSON

- Former convention center site
- City of Henderson assessment
- No cleanup needed





BROWNFIELDS JOB TRAINING

- \$500,000
- 5-years (4 years for training, year tracking placement)
- No match
- Government & nonprofit
- Environmental Technicians
- Multiple Certifications
- Tailored training to market demand
- RFA: **Spring 2023**





Proposal Preparation Support — *Free!*

Center for Creative Land Recycling (CCLR)

- Draft proposal review and feedback
- Go to <u>cclr.org</u>
- Ignacio Dayrit (Director of Programs)
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Kansas State University's Technical Assistance to Brownfields (TAB) Program

- Access successful proposals
- Free tool to help prepare proposals
- Go to <u>ksutab.org</u> or <u>tabez.org</u> and click on Online Tools and "TAB EZ"

Brownfields Funding - Nevada



Competitive Grants

- City of Henderson
- City of Las Vegas
- City of Reno
- Humboldt County
- Northern Nevada Development Authority
- Nye County
- NyE Communities Coalition
- Western Nevada Development District

State & Tribal Response Programs 128(a)

- Nevada Division of Environmental Protection
- Fort McDermitt Paiute-Shoshone
- Pyramid Lake Paiute
- Walker River Paiute
- Washoe
- Yerington Paiute

NEVADA FUNDING FOR WATER INFRASTRUCTURE



FY22 – Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) Funding				
Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Supplement	\$20,857,000			
DWSRF Lead Service Line Replacement	\$32,864,000			
DWSRF Emerging Contaminants	\$8,758,000			
Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) Supplemental	\$8,738,000			
CWSRF Emerging Contaminants (e.g., PFAS, Mg, dioxins)	\$459,000			
Total BIL Funding	\$71,676,000			
FY22 – State Revolving Fund Base Funding				
Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF)	\$8,123,000			
Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF)	\$5,681,000			
Total Base Funding	\$13,804,000			
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SUCCESSES IN NEVADA SRF PROGRAM

- Changes to disadvantaged community definition and affordability for FY23
- Intensive marketing and outreach effort to identify new SRF projects
- Addition of three new employees in Nevada's SRF program
- Implementation of Nevada Infrastructure Financial System (NIFS) for applications
- \$100 million in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding targeted to incentivize SRF loans
- \$1 billion project in planning stage to offset water intake at Lake Mead

CONTACTS FOR NEVADA SRF PROGRAM



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