



Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)



FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Grant Program provides funding to state, local, tribal and territorial governments so they can rebuild in a way that reduces, or mitigates, future disaster losses in their communities. This grant funding is available after a presidentially declared disaster.

Sub-Applications are due to the DEMHS Hazard Mitigation Unit no later than January 12, 2022.

For more information about the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and How to Apply, [click here](#) or visit <https://portal.ct.gov/DEMHS/Grants/Hazard-Mitigation-Grant-Program>

<p>Eligible Sub-Applicants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State and Local Governmental Agencies Indian Tribal Governments Certain private nonprofit organizations and institutions <p><i>*Local governments are eligible Sub-applicants and can sponsor applications on behalf of homeowners to submit to the Applicant*</i></p>	<p>Cost Share Breakdown by Property Type (Percentage of Federal/Non-Federal Share)</p>	
	<p>Project selection is on a statewide competitive basis</p>	<p>75/25 federal/non-federal cost share</p>

SUB-APPLICANTS MUST HAVE A FEMA-APPROVED MITIGATION PLAN BY JANUARY 12, 2022 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR PLANNING or PROJECT FUNDING

The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program's Objectives are to:

- Significantly reduce or permanently eliminate future risk to lives and property from natural hazards
- Provide funds to implement projects in accordance with priorities identified in State, Tribal, or local hazard mitigation plans
- Enable mitigation measures to be implemented during the recovery from a disaster

<p>Project Ranking: Based on the 2019-2024 State Hazard Mitigation Plan Priorities and a Technical and Feasibility Review</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current mitigation plans are not required for applicants and sub-applicants submitting planning sub-applications to develop a new mitigation plan or to update a mitigation plan
<p>Available Funding: Based on the percentage of funds spent on Public and Individual Assistance for each Presidentially declared disaster.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If applicable* projects must be in compliance with Flood Certification Regulations from CT DEEP (including elevation of structures to the 500 yr. flood event plus 2 foot) All elevations/re-construction/flood-proofing projects must be designed to ASCE 24-14
<p>Period of Performance: 36 months</p>	

All projects must be cost-effective using FEMA's Benefit Cost Analysis Software or Pre-Calculated Benefits Projects will be ranked within their category by Benefit Cost Ratio. FEMA will accept version 6.0 as the only version as documentation for demonstrating cost effectiveness.

For information on the new BCA 6.0 Tool [click here](#) or go to: <https://www.fema.gov/benefit-cost-analysis>

For information about the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program [click here](#) or visit <https://www.fema.gov/grants/mitigation/hazard-mitigation>

For more information about other HMA programmatic requirements, [click](#) or go to <https://www.fema.gov/grants/mitigation>

For questions or more information regarding the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, please contact HMGP Staff at demhs.hmgrp@ct.gov
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