

BIPARTISAN INFRASTRUCTURE LAW: A HISTORIC INVESTMENT IN BROWNFIELDS

President Biden's leadership and bipartisan Congressional action have delivered the single-largest investment in U.S. brownfields infrastructure ever. The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law invests more than **\$1.5 billion** through EPA's highly successful Brownfields Program.

\$1.2 BILLION IN PROJECT GRANTS **\$300 MILLION TO STATE AND TRIBAL** **RESPONSE PROGRAMS**

With EPA's funding and direct technical assistance, overburdened communities can begin to address the economic, social and environmental challenges caused by brownfields and **reposition these properties for investment and revitalization.**

A historic \$1.5 billion investment in EPA's Brownfields Program **will transform countless lives and spur life-changing revitalization in communities** large and small, urban and rural; all with the same desire to keep their neighborhoods healthy, sustainable and reflective of the people who call it home.

The funding will be used to:

- ▶ Remove barriers to brownfields reuse and spur new redevelopment to **transform communities into sustainable and environmentally just places.**
- ▶ **Align with the President's Environmental Justice Executive Order** by stimulating economic opportunity and environmental revitalization in more than **1,700 historically overburdened communities.**
- ▶ **Enhance climate resiliency** and promote equitable and sustainable redevelopment through expanded technical assistance for "Climate Smart Brownfields Redevelopment."
- ▶ Provide necessary funds to **states/territories and over 100 tribes**, as the **lead agencies** in ensuring **all brownfields** are safely cleaned up.
- ▶ Direct grants and technical assistance funded with the Brownfields Projects appropriation will cleanup hundreds of brownfields, assess **18,000** sites, train **3,650**/place **2,550** people in environmental jobs and assist **hundreds of communities** in identifying equitable reuse options to cultivate healthy, resilient, livable neighborhoods.
- ▶ **Leverage 154,000 jobs and \$30.2 billion** in other public/private funding.

\$1.5 BILLION
Investment Highlights

2022 OFFERINGS*

\$150 MILLION
in Multipurpose Grants

UP TO \$10 MILLION per grant
for communities, states, tribes and nonprofits to plan, assess and cleanup sites
No cost share requirement
Proposals due July 2022 • Projects awarded November 2022

\$600 MILLION
in Assessment Grants

UP TO \$10 MILLION per grant
for communities, states, tribes and nonprofits to determine extent of
contamination and plan revitalization at brownfield sites
No cost share requirement
Proposals due July 2022 • Projects awarded November 2022

\$160 MILLION
in Cleanup Grants

UP TO \$5 MILLION per grant
for communities, states, tribes and nonprofits to cleanup contamination on
brownfield sites
No cost share requirement
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\$150 MILLION
in Revolving Loan Fund
(RLF) Grants

UP TO \$10 MILLION per grant
for communities, states, tribes and nonprofits to provide loans and subgrants for
the cleanup of contamination and revitalization of brownfield sites
No cost share requirement
Supplemental requests from existing grantees due April 2022
Funds awarded August 2022

\$30 MILLION
in Job Training Grants

UP TO \$1 MILLION per grant
for communities, states, tribes and nonprofits to develop a job training program
that supports revitalization at brownfield sites
Proposals due July 2022 • Projects awarded November 2022

\$300 MILLION
in Cooperative
Agreements to State and
Tribal Response Programs

\$60 MILLION available per year
in cooperative agreements for states and tribes to build response program
capacity, oversee brownfields cleanups and conduct limited site assessment and
cleanup activities
FY22 requests due July 2022 • Funds awarded November 2022

\$110 MILLION
in Technical Assistance,
Including Targeted
Brownfields Assessments

The largest investment ever in direct contracts and cooperative agreements to
provide communities with technical assistance to adapt to a changing climate
and remove barriers to safe and sustainable property reuse
Projects awarded on a rolling basis • First round of Targeted Brownfields
Assessments awarded April 2022