

Grant Program Title: Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (Notice of

Intent)

Funding Agency: Cal OES Award Amount: \$1 billion

Brief Description:

Authorized by Section 203 of the Stafford Act, the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) fund was created to support states, local communities, tribes and territories as they undertake hazard mitigation projects, reducing the risks they face from disasters and natural hazards.

The BRIC program makes federal funds available to states, U.S territories, federally recognized tribal governments, and local communities for hazard mitigation activities. It does so with a recognition of the growing hazards associated with climate change, and of the need for natural hazard risk mitigation activities that promote climate adaptation and resilience with respect to those hazards. These include both acute extreme weather events and chronic stressors which have been observed and are expected to increase in the future.

<u>Eligibility</u>: Eligible states, territories and federally recognized tribal governments can submit applications on behalf of sub applicants for BRIC. State Agencies qualify as sub applicants. CSUs are eligible to apply as state agencies

<u>Eligible Project Types</u>: Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) funds may be used for:

- Capability- and capacity-building activities
- Mitigation projects
- Management costs

<u>Letter of Intent Deadline:</u> NOIs due to Cal OES via the Cal OES Engage Portal by October 15, 2024

Note: You must submit a Notice of Interest (NOI) to Cal OES to be eligible. Approved NOIs will result in an invitation to submit a full BRIC or FMA sub application via FEMA's web-based FEMA GO system.

Grant Program Link:

https://www.caloes.ca.gov/office-of-the-director/operations/recovery-directorate/hazard-mitigation/bric/

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