The White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council

Completed Program Targeting Actions

The Opportunity Zone tax incentive is a powerful new tool meant to bring private capital to underserved communities. However, economically distressed communities require more than private capital alone. Many of these communities are in need of public-sector support and regulatory streamlining to ensure they develop the foundations necessary to support a thriving private sector. Public investment in economic development, entrepreneurship, education and workforce training, and safe neighborhoods — along with guidance for engaging with investors and entrepreneurs — will help communities unlock private capital to create sustainable growth. This public-sector investment serves as a means by which to attract and continue the flow of private capital-investment into Opportunity Zones.

Acknowledging this need, President Donald J. Trump signed Executive Order 13853 on December 12, 2018. This Order established the White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council to carry out the Administration's plan to target, streamline, and coordinate Federal resources to be used in Opportunity Zones and other economically distressed communities. This public-sector commitment overlays the Opportunity Zone tax incentive in the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. Together, private capital and public investment will stimulate economic opportunity, encourage entrepreneurship, expand educational opportunities, develop and rehabilitate quality housing stock, promote workforce development, and promote safety and prevent crime in economically distressed communities. State, local, and tribal leaders have an opportunity to leverage the Commuter Authority Rail Safety Improvement (CARSI) Grantswork of the Council and to also conduct similar reviews of their own programs and regulations.

The White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council members have identified over 300 Federal programs where targeting, preference, or additional support could be granted to Opportunity Zones. As of October 31, 2020, the Council has already taken action on 338 grants or programs:

PROGRAM:	DESCRIPTION:	ACTION COMPLETED:	GRANT/PROGRAM INFO:	CATEGORY:
Department of Agriculture				
Conservation Innovation Grants (CIG)	Conservation Innovation Grants (CIG) are competitive grants that drive public and private sector innovation in resource conservation. First authorized by the 2002 Farm Bill, CIG uses Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) funds to award competitive grants to non-Federal governmental or nongovernmental organizations, American Indian Tribes, or individuals. All projects must involve EQIP-eligible producers.	Projects that are carrying out activities in an Opportunity Zone may be considered as part of the award selection process.	USDA-NRCS-NHQ-CIG-20-GEN0010808 / Grant posted on 4/28/20; closing date on 6/29/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Disaster Relief Act 2019 Grant Funds for Community Facilities	As part of the Additional Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2019, the Rural Housing Service's Community Facilities Program (CF) received supplemental grant funding available for necessary expenses related to the consequences of Hurricanes Michael and Florence and wildfires occurring in calendar year 2018, tornadoes and floods occurring in calendar year 2019, and other natural disasters, to remain available until expended. The authority for the Agency to administer the Community	To leverage investments in rural property, the Agency also encourages projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.	Applications will be submitted to a processing office as designated by the USDA Rural Development State Office in the state where the applicant's project is located. Agency state office contact information is available at https://www.rd.usda.gov/about-rd/offices/state-offices.	Economic Development

	Facilities Grant Program is provided in the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (CONAct). The grant funds will be administered in accordance with this notice of funds availability.			
Disaster Relief Act 2019 Grant Funds for Community Facilities Technical Assistance and Training Grant	The Rural Housing Service's Community Facilities (CF) Technical Assistance and Training (TAT) Grant Program provides supplemental grant funding for eligible expenses related to the consequences of Hurricanes Michael and Florence and wildfires occurring in calendar year 2018, tornadoes and floods occurring in calendar year 2019, and other natural disasters.	To leverage investments in rural property, the Agency also encourages projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.	Federal Register Notice published on 2/20/20 (Document Number 2020-03309, Pages 9726-9730) deadline for applications is 4/30/20 (Closed) for electronic applications and 5/5/20 for applications mailed, shipped or sent overnight.	Economic Development
Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grants	This program provides financial assistance to enable and improve distance learning and telemedicine services in rural areas. The grant funds support the use of telecommunications-enabled information, audio and video equipment, and related advanced technologies by students, teachers, medical professionals and rural residents. The grants are intended to increase rural access to education, training, and health care resources	Special consideration points will be given to applications that have at least one end-user site physically located in an Opportunity Zone.	RUS-20-01-DLT / Grant posted on 2/10/20; closing date on 4/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education & Workforce Development

	that are otherwise unavailable or limited in scope.			
Families to Food Box Program	As part of the Coronavirus Food Assistance Program USDA exercised their authority under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act to purchase and distribute agricultural products to those in need. Through this program, USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) is partnering with national, regional and local suppliers, whose workforce has been significantly impacted by the closure of restaurants, hotels and other food service businesses, to purchase up to $3 billion in fresh produce, dairy and meat products.	USDA entered into contracts with vendors that will have an increased focus on Opportunity Zones in order to direct food to reach underserved areas, places where either no food boxes have yet been delivered, or where food boxes are being delivered but where there is an additional need. USDA also will solicit additional contracts to ensure continued distribution of food boxes in Opportunity Zones.	The increased focus on Opportunity Zones was announced in a press released on June 17, 2020 as follows: https://www.usda.gov/media/press-releases/2020/06/17/usda-extends-farmers-families-food-box-program-contracts-some	Economic Development
Farm to School Grant Program	This program is designed to increase the availability of local foods in schools, grants can help new farm to school programs get started or expand existing efforts. Grants are intended as one-time infusions of funds to help grantees accomplish farm to school objectives that will be sustained in the long term. Funds support a wide range of activities from training, planning, and developing partnerships, to	• Priority points have been added to the 2021 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects located in or targeting Opportunity Zones. • Priority points have been added to the 2020 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects	• USDA-FNS-F2S-2021 / Grant posted on 10/16/20; closing date on 1/8/21; grant on Grants.gov • USDA-FNS-F2S-2020 / Grant posted on 10/8/19; closing date on 12/13/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	creating new menu items, establishing supply chains, offering taste tests to children, purchasing equipment, planting school gardens, and organizing field trips to agricultural operations.	located in or targeting Opportunity Zones.		
Outreach and Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged Farmers and Ranchers and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers	The purpose of this program is to encourage and assist socially disadvantaged farmers and ranchers, veteran farmers and ranchers, and beginning farmers and ranchers with owning and operating farms and ranches and in participating equitably in the full range of agricultural, forestry, and related programs offered by USDA. In partnership with the OPPE, eligible entities may compete for funding on projects that provide education and training in agriculture, agribusiness, forestry, agriculturally related services, and USDA programs and to conduct outreach initiatives designed to accomplish those goals.	Discretionary points have been added to the 2020 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects located in or targeting Opportunity Zones.	OPPE-014 / Grant posted on 7/15/20; closing date on 8/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
ReConnect Pilot Program	The ReConnect Program provides loans, grants, and loan/grant combinations to facilitate broadband deployment in rural areas. In facilitating the expansion of broadband services and infrastructure, the pilot will fuel long-term rural	For applications that are proposing to provide service in at least part of an area identified as an Opportunity Zone points are awarded.	Beginning on 1/31/20, applications can be submitted through the RUS on-line application portal through 4/15/20 (Closed). Apply at	Economic Development

	economic development and opportunities in rural America. One of those opportunities is precision agriculture. The use of this technology requires a robust broadband connection. The awards made under this program will bring high speed broadband to the farms which will allow them to increase productivity.		https://reconnect.usda.gov.	
Rural Business Development Grant Program To Provide Technical Assistance for Rural Transportation Systems	The purpose of this program is to improve the economic conditions of Rural Areas. For the funding for Technical Assistance for Rural Transportation systems, applicants must be qualified national organizations with experience in providing Technical Assistance and training to rural communities nationwide for the purpose of improving passenger transportation services or facilities.	To leverage investments in rural property, the Agency also encourages projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.	Federal Register Notice published on 2/14/20 (Document Number 2020-02949, Pages 8549-8554). Closing date on 5/14/20 (Closed); grants submitted directly to USDA Rural Development State Office.	Economic Development
Rural Business Development Grants	This is a competitive grant designed to support targeted technical assistance, training and other activities leading to the development or expansion of small and emerging private businesses in rural areas that match median household income criteria. Priorities are given according to trauma, economic distress, long-term poverty,	Priority points have been added to the 2019 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects located in Opportunity Zones.	Application submitted directly to USDA. Application deadline: Contact Local Area or State office. https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/rural-business-development-grants	Economic Development

	population decline, and unemployment.			
Rural Housing Preservation Grant	The HPG program is a grant program which provides qualified public agencies, private nonprofit organizations, which may include but not be limited to, Faith-Based and Community Organizations, and other eligible entities grant funds to assist very low- and low-income homeowners in repairing and rehabilitating their homes in rural areas. In addition, the HPG program assists rental property owners and cooperative housing complexes in repairing and rehabilitating their units if they agree to make such units available to low- and very low-income persons.	Rural Development is encouraging applications for projects that will support rural areas with persistent poverty and in Opportunity Zones.	• USDA-RD-HCFP-HPG-2020 / Grant posted on 3/26/20; closing date on 5/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • USDA-RD-HCFP-HPG-2019 / Grant posted on 5/24/19; closing date on 7/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Rural Placemaking Innovation Challenge (RPIC)	Rural placemaking is technical assistance, and planning process rural community leaders use to create places where people want to live, work and play. This initiative provides planning support and technical assistance to foster placemaking activities in rural communities. Funds will help enhance capacity for broadband access; preserve cultural and historic structures; and support	To encourage target areas for this funding in Opportunity Zones, points will be awarded to projects located in Opportunity Zones.	RD-RPIC-2020 / Grant posted on 8/10/20; closing date on 9/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	the development of transportation, housing, and recreational spaces.			
Section 514 Farm Labor Housing Loans for Off-Farm Housing	The loans are for the construction of new off-farm FLH units and related facilities for domestic farm laborers and for the purchase and substantial rehabilitation of non-FLH property. The intended purpose of the loans is to increase the number of available housing units for domestic farm laborers.	To encourage investments in rural properties, points will be awarded to projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.	Federal Register Notice published on 7/8/19 (Document Number 2019-14390, Pages 23404-32413) deadline for applications was August 30, 2019 (Closed).	Economic Development
Section 516 Farm Labor Housing Grants for Off-Farm Housing	The grants are for the construction of new off-farm FLH units and related facilities for domestic farm laborers and for the purchase and substantial rehabilitation of non-FLH property. The intended purpose of the grants is to increase the number of available housing units for domestic farm laborers.	To encourage investments in rural properties, points will be awarded to projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.	Federal Register Notice published on 7/8/19 (Document Number 2019-14390, Pages 23404-32413) deadline for applications was August 30, 2019 (Closed).	Economic Development
Section 533 Housing Preservation Grants (HPG)	The grants are for qualified public agencies, private non-profit organizations including, but not limited to, Faith-Based and neighborhood partnerships, and other eligible entities, to assist low- and very low-income homeowners in repairing	To leverage investments in rural property, the Agency also encourages projects located in rural Opportunity Zones where projects should provide measurable results in	Federal Register Notice published on 5/24/19 (Document Number 2019-10860, Pages 24076-24083) deadline for applications was July 9, 2019 (Closed).	Economic Development

	and rehabilitating their homes in rural areas. In addition, the HPG program assists cooperative housing complexes and rental property owners in rural areas in repairing and rehabilitating their units if they agree to make such units available to very low- and low-income persons.	helping communities build robust and sustainable economies.		
Solicitation for Applications to Assist Persistent Poverty Farmers, Ranchers, Agriculture Producers and Communities through Agriculture Resources	The grants are for leveraging USDA, state, local and private sector resources, to address local agricultural and natural resource issues, encourage collaboration and to develop state and local leadership and partnerships to assist limited resource and socially disadvantaged and veteran farmers, ranchers, agricultural producers and communities through agriculture industries.	To encourage applications focused on Opportunity Zones, applicants are required to identify persistent poverty communities, including communities located in Opportunity Zones, with limited resources, socially disadvantaged and/or veteran farmers, ranchers and agricultural producers.	OPPE-15 / Grant posted on 7/15/20; closing date on 8/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Solid Waste Management Program Grants	This program reduces or eliminates pollution of water resources by providing funding for organizations that provide technical assistance or training to improve the planning and management of solid waste sites.	Priority points have been added to the 2021 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects intended to serve Opportunity Zones. Priority points were also on the 2020 and 2019 Notices.	• Fiscal Year 2021 Grant: SWMFY2021 / Grant posted on 10/7/20; closing date on 12/31/20; grant on Grants.gov • Fiscal Year 2020 Grant: SWMF2020 / Grant posted on 10/1/19; closing date on 12/31/19	Economic Development

			(Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Fiscal Year 2019 Grant: Application submitted directly to USDA. Application period ended 12/3/18 (Closed). https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/solid-waste-management-grants	
Technical Assistance and Training Grant Program	This program helps qualified, private nonprofits provide technical assistance and training to identify and evaluate solutions to water and waste problems; helps applicants prepare applications for water and waste disposal loans/grants; and helps associations improve the operation and maintenance of water and waste facilities in eligible rural areas.	Priority points have been added to the 2021 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects intended to serve Opportunity Zones. Priority points were also on the 2020 and 2019 Notices. Was previously listed on this report as "Technical Assistance and Training for Rural Water Systems".	• Fiscal Year 2021 Grant: TATFY21 / Grant posted on 10/7/20; closing date on 12/31/2020; grant on Grants.gov • Fiscal Year 2020 Grant: TATFY20 / Grant posted on 10/1/19; closing date on 12/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Fiscal Year 2019 Grant: Application submitted directly to USDA. Application period ended 12/3/18 (Closed).	Economic Development

			https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/water-waste-disposal-technical-assistance-training-grants	
The Gus Schumacher Nutrition Incentive Program	The Food Insecurity Nutrition Incentive (FINI) Grant Program supports projects to increase the purchase of fruits and vegetables among low-income consumers participating in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) by providing incentives at the point of purchase.	Preference will be given to projects that do one or more of the following: ... (6) Have demonstrated the ability to provide services to underserved and/or economically distressed communities, particularly Opportunity Zones.	USDA-NIFA-FINI-007112 / Grant posted on 3/13/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Urban Agriculture and Innovation Production (UAIP) Competitive Grants Program	The UAIP program supports the development of urban agriculture and innovative production activities by funding Planning Projects (PP) and Implementation Projects (IP) led by nonprofit organizations, local or Tribal governments, and schools that serve any of the grades K-12 in areas of the United States.	Priority points have been added to the FY 2020 Notice of Funding Availability to applicants with projects located in Opportunity Zones.	USDA-NRCS-NHQ-UAIP-20-NOFO0001013 / Grant posted on 5/6/20; closing date on 7/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

Department of Commerce

Catalyzing Investment in	The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is co-leading	The challenge's purpose is to create digital tools and	The challenge will close on September 27, 2019 and	Economic Development;

Opportunity Zones Challenge	(along with the Council of Economic Advisers) the U.S. Census Bureau's "The Opportunity Project (TOP)" challenge entitled "Catalyzing Investment in Opportunity Zones." TOP is an accelerator program that matches technology companies, universities government, and communities together to create useful digital products for the public.	resources to connect investors with community leaders, entrepreneurs, and workers of the nation's Opportunity Zones. The challenge began on June 25, 2019.	the teams participating in the challenge will present their tools in December 2019.	Education and Workforce Development
Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS) Content Guidelines	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS) is a regionally-owned, collaborative planning process designed to build capacity and guide the economic prosperity and resiliency of an area or region. It also serves as a vehicle for local governments, institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, and private industry to engage in a meaningful conversation about what efforts could drive economic development in a region.	The EDA has updated the CEDS Content Guidelines to help communities across the country to maximize their ability to attract investment to Opportunity Zones. The recommendations outline how communities can further promote the economic attractiveness of their region by emphasizing Opportunity Zones as key investment ready locations.	The CEDS content guidelines that include the information pertaining to Opportunity Zones is located at https://www.eda.gov/ceds/opportunity-zones.htm or in the full CEDS content guidelines located at https://www.eda.gov/files/ceds/CEDS-Content-Guidelines-full.pdf	Economic Development
Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) provides strategic investments through competitive grants that foster job creation and attract private	EDA created a website for Opportunity Zones. The website provides a database of their investments in Opportunity	The website is located at https://www.eda.gov/opportunity-zones/	Economic Development

Opportunity Zones Website	investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. EDA is encouraging their economic development partners to think of Opportunity Zone investment as a new arrow in their quiver to not only enhance ROI for business interests, but also to encourage the public/private partnerships needed to drive private investment to distressed areas.	Zones along with the steps that EDA has taken to prioritize Opportunity Zones.		
Economic Adjustment Assistance Program - Disaster Supplemental	The Economic Development Administration provides this investment assistance will help communities and regions devise and implement long-term economic recovery strategies through a variety of non-construction and construction projects, as appropriate, to address economic challenges in areas where a Presidential declaration of a major disaster was issued under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (Stafford Act) as a result of Hurricanes Harvey, Irma, and Maria, and of wildfires and other natural disasters occurring in calendar year 2017.	Grant applications must include at least one of EDA's investment priorities; the investment priorities include Opportunity Zones.	EDA-2018-DISASTER / NOFA published on 8/13/18; there are no submission deadlines; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Economic Development	The Economic Development Administration provides strategic	• In May 2020 an addendum was added to	• PWEAA2020 / Grant posted on 10/18/19	Economic Development

Administration – Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs	investments through competitive grants that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Applications are accepted from communities to provide investments that support economic development through a wide variety of assistance types that include construction and non-construction programs.	the Notice of Funding Opportunity to include CARES Act Funding. More information for applicants is available at www.eda.gov/coronavirus. • In 2018, EDA made Opportunity Zones eligible for funding through its Special Needs category. In 2019 and 2020, EDA added Opportunity Zones as an Investment Priority. This Investment Priority will significantly increase the number of catalytic Opportunity Zone-related projects that EDA can fund to spur greater public investment in these areas. In September 2019, EDA launched a front-facing EDA Opportunity Zone Web page for economic development stakeholders and others to use as a resource to	(amended 5/7/20); there are no submission deadlines; grant on Grants.gov • EDAP2018 / Grant posted on 7/2/18; there are no submission deadlines; grant on Grants.gov (this grant has been replaced by PWEAA2020)

		further help foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas across the United States. The website tracks and provides details on EDA awarded projects that support Opportunity Zones. See https://www.eda.gov/opportunity-zones/		
Economic Development Research and National Technical Assistance	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) provides investments that support research and technical assistance projects under the Research and Evaluation (R&E) and National Technical Assistance (NTA) programs. The R&E program supports the development of tools, recommendations, and resources that shape Federal economic development policies and inform economic development decision-making. The NTA program supports projects that provide technical assistance at a national scope. These projects support best practices among communities trying to solve problems related to	In 2019 and 2020, EDA added Opportunity Zones as an Investment Priority. This Investment Priority will significantly increase the number of catalytic Opportunity Zone-related projects that EDA can fund to spur greater public investment in these areas.	EDA-HDQ-RNTA-2018-2005669 / Grant posted on 5/31/18; closing date on 12/11/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	economic development goals. The NTA program supports activities that are beneficial to the economic development community nationwide and includes, but is not limited to, outreach, training, and information dissemination. It can also provide assistance with implementation of economic development best practices and proven techniques.			
Review of DOC Policy in Opportunity Zones	The U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC) intends to maximize the beneficial impact of investment in Opportunity Zones. The DOC has been charged with leading the Economic Development subcommittee ("work stream") on Opportunity Zones. To inform that work, DOC is reviewing economic development programs policies, practices, planned actions, regulations, and guidance across the entire Federal Government and within its own programs. Through this notice, DOC seeks input and recommendations from the public to help spur economic development in qualified Opportunity Zones and other distressed areas across the country.	The official Request for Information was published on September 3, 2019 in the Federal Register.	Federal Register Notice Document Number 2019-18947. Posted on 9/3/19; comments due by 10/18/19; notice on regulations.gov at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/09/03/2019-18947/review-of-doc-policy-in-opportunity-zones	Economic Development
Stakeholder Engagement	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) regularly offers	EDA conducted workshops and trainings for their	Information about prior workshops and trainings	Economic Development

through Workshops and Trainings	workshops and trainings to help their external stakeholders. EDA, through its Economic Development Integrators (EDIs), has also worked with stakeholders to convene federal partners to exchange information about their complementary economic development resources with shared stakeholders Federal Interagency Resource Exchanges (FIRES), and to engage in Regional Economic Diversification Summits (REDS) that assist state and local partners match federal resources to locally identified projects and strategies in distressed areas, including Opportunity Zones.	external stakeholders in distressed areas, including Opportunity Zones.	can be received by contacting the EDA Regional Office for your area at https://www.eda.gov/contact/ Information about EDA's Economic Development Integration Assistance, including REDS and FIRE convenings, is available at: https://www.eda.gov/edi/	
SPRINT Challenge	This competition is designed to support the development, creation, or expansion of programs that accelerate technology-based economic development in pursuit of vibrant, innovative economies and economic growth, and respond to the challenges caused by the coronavirus pandemic. SPRINT Challenge applications will be awarded under the EDA's Economic Adjustment Assistance (EAA) program.	Applications will be evaluated against six equally weighted criteria including (1) "Project Support and Connectivity"; (2) "Economic and Innovation Impacts"; (3) "Assets and Infrastructure"; (4) "Resilience and Recovery"; (5) "Project Feasibility"' and (6) "Engagement and Diversity" where applicants are encouraged to solicit participation from	EDA-HDQ-OIE-2020-2006705 / Grant posted on 10/14/20; closing date on 12/3/20; grant on Grants.gov.	Economic Development

		an inclusive group of regional stakeholders that might benefit from participation including newly formed entities, rival existing participants, and underrepresented or unconnected populations and organizations, including those in Opportunity Zones and across socioeconomic or geographic categories.		
Targeted Opportunity Zone Outreach to Governors and Other State Stakeholders	The Economic Development Administration (EDA) has developed a state engagement strategy to learn how states are supporting Opportunity Zones, where the best practices are, where the challenges exist, identify Qualified Opportunity Funds invested in projects with a social impact, and to explain the EDA's role, programs and grants, and to share resources of other Federal partners.	The EDA has visited and will continue to visit with states across the country. Following each of the state visits the EDA has produced and will continue to produce a summary report to share with the public.	Information about EDA involvement in the Opportunity Zone initiative can be found at https://www.eda.gov/opportunity-zones/	Economic Development
USA Opportunity Zone Tool	The USA Opportunity Zones Tool helps more than 390 Economic Development Administration (EDA) designated Economic Development Districts (EDDs) across the nation, as well as local economic and community	The EDA, Indiana University and its Kelley School of Business created s web-based tool that offers information on every Opportunity Zone.	The online tool is located at the following website: http://www.statsamerica.org/opportunity/	Economic Development; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship

	developers and investors, target private investment to economically distressed areas, including Opportunity Zones.	Information includes age distribution, educational attainment, industry mix, occupation mix, and more.		; and Safe Neighborhoods

Department of Education

Centers of Excellence for Veteran Student Success Program	The grant providing funding to encourage institutions of higher education (IHEs) to develop model programs to support veteran student success in postsecondary education by coordinating services to address the academic, financial, physical, and social needs of veteran students.	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 2 "Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones".	ED-GRANTS-100520-001 / Grant posted on 10/5/20; closing date on 11/4/20; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Charter Schools Program Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools and for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools	These grants are intended to support charter schools that serve early childhood, elementary school, or secondary school students by providing grant funds to eligible applicants for the opening of new charter schools and for the replication and expansion of high-quality charter schools.	The Notice of Final Priorities, for Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools and for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality published July 3, 2019. This notice finalizes a priority to encourage the opening of new charter schools and the replication and expansion of high-quality	Please see Notice of Final Priorities: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/07/03/2019-14263/final-priorities-requirements-definitions-and-selection-criteria-expanding-opportunity-through Please see Notice Inviting Applications: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/	Education and Workforce Development

		charter schools in Opportunity Zones, and to encourage charter school developers that are partnering with an Opportunity Fund, especially for the purpose of acquiring or constructing school facilities. Concurrent with the Notice of Final Priorities, the Department published a Notice Inviting Applications for this program on July 3, 2019 that includes a competitive preference priority worth 10 points for applicants proposing to open a new charter school or to replicate or expand a high-quality charter school in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	07/03/2019-14267/applications-for-new-awards-expanding-opportunity-through-quality-charter-schools-program-csp-grants	
Child Care Access Means Parents in School Program	This grant program supports the participation of low-income parents in postsecondary education through the provision of campus-based child care services. Funds are used to support or establish campus-based child care	• The 2020 Notice Inviting Applications includes a Competitive Preference Priority for spurring investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones	• ED-GRANTS-080620-007 / Grant posted on 8/6/20; closing date on 9/8/20 (Closed); grant on grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	programs primarily serving the needs of low-income students enrolled in IHEs. Grants may be used for before- and after-school services. In addition, grants may be used to serve the child care needs of the community served by the institution.	• The 2019 Notice Inviting Applications includes a new invitational priority for spurring investment in Opportunity Zones, under which an applicant must: (1) Propose to serve children or students who reside, or attend elementary or secondary schools or institutions of higher education, in a Qualified Opportunity Zone; or (2) Provide evidence that it has received, or will receive, financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund for a purpose directly related to its proposed project.	• ED-GRANTS-041619-001 / Grant posted on 4/16/19; closing date on 5/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Comprehensive Literacy State Development (CLSD) Program	This grant providing funding to advance literacy skills, through the use of evidence-based (as defined in this notice) practices, activities, and interventions, including pre-literacy skills, reading, and writing, for children from birth through grade 12, with an emphasis on disadvantaged	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 2 "Spurring Investment in	ED-GRANTS-040320-001 / Grant posted on 4/3/20; closing date on 6/2/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	children, including children living in poverty, English learners (as defined in this notice), and children with disabilities (as defined in this notice).	Qualified Opportunity Zones".		
Creation and Expansion of High-Quality Public Charter Schools Initiative	This new initiative is focused on promoting the creation and expansion of high-quality public charter schools in Opportunity Zones, specifically through the use of Qualified Opportunity Funds to meet school facility needs.	The Department awarded a new contract to a firm to disseminate information and provide expert assistance on how charter school developers can use Qualified Opportunity Funds to acquire or construct charter school facilities and how investors can establish Qualified Opportunity Funds for the purpose of supporting charter school facility needs.	The new initiative was announced in a press released on October 10, 2019 as follows: https://www.ed.gov/news/press-releases/secretary-education-betsy-devos-announces-new-initiative-support-opening-and-expanding-charter-schools-opportunity-zones?utm_content=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery&utm_term=	Education and Workforce Development
Education Stabilization Fund: Reimagine Workforce Preparation (ESF-RWP) Grants Program	The purpose of the ESF-RWP Grants program is to provide support to help States with the highest coronavirus burden create or expand short-term education and training opportunities and/or or career pathways programs that help citizens return to work, become entrepreneurs, or expand their small businesses; or to enable States to create or expand small	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two absolute priorities and three competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 2 "Serving Lifelong Learners in Distressed	ED-GRANTS-062320-001 / Grant posted on 6/23/20; closing date on 8/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	business incubators that offer education and training, mentorship, as well as shared facilities and resources that will help small businesses recover and grow and new entrepreneurs thrive.	Communities" that includes a focus on the needs of individuals who reside in Opportunity Zones. One of the absolute priorities is "Serving Entrepreneurs and Business in Distressed Communities" that includes the affiliated business incubator location in an Opportunity Zone.		
Expanding Opportunity Through Quality Charter Schools Program (CSP): Grants to Charter Management Organizations for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools	Through charter management organizations (CMOs) grants, the Department provides funds to CMOs on a competitive basis to enable them to replicate or expand one or more high-quality charter schools. Grant funds may be used to expand the enrollment of one or more existing high-quality charter schools, or to replicate one or more new charter schools based on an existing high-quality charter school model.	The FY2020 application instructions include a Competitive Preference Priority for "Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones) for up to 7 points.	ED-GRANTS-112619-001 / Grant posted on 11/26/19; closing date on 1/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov. Federal Register Notice: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/11/26/2019-25739/applications-for-new-awards-expanding-opportunity-through-quality-charter-schools-program-csp-grants	Education and Workforce Development
Expanding Opportunity through Quality Charter Schools Program (CSP):	The major purposes of the CSP are to expand opportunities for all students, particularly traditionally underserved students, to attend charter schools and meet challenging State academic	• The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes five competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive	• ED-GRANTS-052220-001 / Grant posted on 5/22/20; closing date on 6/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools	standards; provide financial assistance for the planning, program design, and initial implementation of public charter schools; increase the number of high-quality charter schools available to students across the United States; evaluate the impact of charter schools on student achievement, families, and communities; share best practices between charter schools and other public schools; encourage States to provide facilities support to charter schools; and support efforts to strengthen the charter school authorizing process. Through CSP Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools and for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools, the Department provides funds to charter school developers on a competitive basis to enable them to open new charter schools or replicate or expand high-quality charter schools.	preference priorities includes “Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones”. • The 2019 application instructions included a Competitive Preference Priority for "Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones) for 10 points.	• ED-GRANTS-070319-001 / Grant posted on 7/3/19; closing date on 8/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Expanding Opportunity through Quality Charter Schools Program (CSP):	The major purposes of the CSP are to expand opportunities for all students, particularly traditionally underserved students, to attend charter schools and meet challenging State academic	• The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes five competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive	• ED-GRANTS-052220-002 / Grant posted on 5/22/20; closing date on 6/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Grants to Charter School Developers for the Replication and expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools	standards; provide financial assistance for the planning, program design, and initial implementation of public charter schools; increase the number of high-quality charter schools available to students across the United States; evaluate the impact of charter schools on student achievement, families, and communities; share best practices between charter schools and other public schools; encourage States to provide facilities support to charter schools; and support efforts to strengthen the charter school authorizing process. Through CSP Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools and for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools, the Department provides funds to charter school developers on a competitive basis to enable them to open new charter schools or replicate or expand high-quality charter schools.	preference priorities includes “Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones”. • The 2019 application instructions included a Competitive Preference Priority for "Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones) for 10 points.	• ED-GRANTS-070319-002 / Grant posted on 7/3/19; closing date on 8/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Expanding Opportunity through Quality Charter Schools Program (CSP):	The Credit Enhancement program provides grants to eligible entities to demonstrate innovative methods of helping charter schools to address the cost of acquiring, constructing, and	The Notice Inviting Applications includes invitational priority for applicants proposing to target services in one or	ED-GRANTS-041619-001 / Grant posted on 6/5/19; closing date on 7/19/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Grants to Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities	renovating facilities by enhancing the availability of loans and bond financing. Through CSP Grants to Charter School Developers for the Opening of New Charter Schools and for the Replication and Expansion of High-Quality Charter Schools, the Department provides funds to charter school developers on a competitive basis to enable them to open new charter schools or replicate or expand high-quality charter schools.	more Qualified Opportunity Zones; or partner with one or more Qualified Opportunity Funds.		
Expanding Opportunity through Quality Charter Schools Program (CSP): Grants to State Entities	The major purposes of the CSP are to expand opportunities for all students, particularly traditionally underserved students, to attend charter schools and meet challenging State academic standards; provide financial assistance for the planning, program design, and initial implementation of public charter schools; increase the number of high-quality charter schools available to students across the United States; evaluate the impact of charter schools on student achievement, families, and communities; share best practices between charter schools and other public schools; encourage States to provide facilities support to charter	The Notice Inviting Applications instructions includes a Competitive Preference Priority for "Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones) for 4 points. To meet this priority, applicants must demonstrate that they will provide services in an area that overlaps with an Opportunity Zone.	ED-GRANTS-012720-001 / Grant posted on 1/27/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	schools; and support efforts to strengthen the charter school authorizing process. Through the CSP Grants to State Entities, the Department provides funds to State entities that, in turn, award subgrants to eligible applicants for the purpose of opening new charter schools and replicating and expanding high-quality charter schools.			
Experimental Sites Initiative (ESI)—Federal Work Study (FWS) Program	Under the ESI authority, the Department has invited FWS-participating institutions of higher education to participate in an experiment to test how changes to the FWS program will increase partnerships between institutions and industry, improve student retention and completion, reduce student debt levels, and yield strong post-graduation employment outcomes.	The Notice Inviting Institutions indicates that, if the Department needs to limit participation among applicant institutions, priority will be given to institutions that identify work-and-learn opportunities in qualified Opportunity Zones, among other factors.	Please see Notice Inviting Institutions: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/05/23/2019-10811/notice-inviting-postsecondary-educational-institutions-to-participate-in-experiments-under-the	Education and Workforce Development
Final Priority for Discretionary Grant Programs	The Federal Register Notice announced that the Department of Education will now provide a priority for discretionary grant programs that supports alignment between the Department of Education's discretionary grant investments and	The Final Priority - Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones" includes three flexible subparts that can be used, as appropriate, across any of Department	Federal Register Document Number: 2019-25819. Posted on 11/27/19. Please see Federal Register Notice at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/	Education and Workforce Development

	the Administration's Opportunity Zones initiative, which aims to spur economic development and job creation in distressed communities.	of Education's discretionary grant programs. When inviting applications for a competition using one or more priorities, the Department of Education will identify the applicable subpart(s) and the type of each priority as absolute, competitive preference or invitational through a notice in the Federal Register.	11/27/2019-25819/final-priority-for-discretionary-grant-programs?utm_source=federalregister.gov&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=subscription+mailing+list	
Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs-State Grants (GEAR UP)	GEAR UP-State grants provide funding to States to provide early support and maintain a commitment to eligible low-income students, including students with disabilities, to assist the students in obtaining a secondary school diploma and preparing for and succeeding in postsecondary education. Grantees provide financial aid information for postsecondary education, encourage enrollment in rigorous and challenging coursework, and provide scholarships.	The Notice Inviting Applications includes a new invitational priority for spurring investment in Opportunity Zones. An applicant that addresses the priority must: (1) Propose to serve children or students in a Qualified Opportunity Zone; or (2) Demonstrate that it has received, or will receive, financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund for a purpose directly related to its proposed project.	ED-GRANTS-070819-001 / Grant posted on 7/8/19; closing date on 8/7/19 (Closed). Please see Notice Inviting Applications: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/07/08/2019-14370/applications-for-new-awards-gaining-early-awareness-and-readiness-for-undergraduate-programs-state	Education and Workforce Development

Institutional Resilience and Expanded Postsecondary Opportunity (IREPO) Grants	The grant provides financial support to institutions of higher education (IHEs) with the greatest unmet needs related to coronavirus to enable them to resume operations, serve the needs of students, reduce disease transmission, and develop more resilient instructional delivery models, such as distance learning, to continue educating students who cannot or choose not to attend classroom-based instruction due to coronavirus.	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes three competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 2 "Providing Dual Enrollment Opportunities for Students Who Live or Attend School in a Rural Community or Opportunity Zone".	ED-GRANTS-082120-001 / Grant posted on 8/21/20; closing date on 10/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Magnet Schools Assistance Program (MSAP)	This program provides grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) and consortia of LEAs to support magnet schools under an approved, required, or voluntary desegregation plan. Under the ESEA, MSAP prioritizes the creation and replication of evidence-based (as defined in this notice) magnet programs and magnet schools that seek to reduce, eliminate, or prevent minority group isolation by taking into account socioeconomic diversity.	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 5 "Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones".	ED-GRANTS-031020-001 / Grant posted on 3/10/20; closing date on 5/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Performance Partnership Pilots for	ED (designated lead agency), DOL, HHS, CNCS, IMLS, DOJ, HUD, and related agencies can annually enter into up to 10 Performance Partnership	Preference points in competition to be designated a Performance Partnership Pilots for	Federal Register Document Number: 2019-00200. Posted on 1/29/19; Notice of Intent	Education and Workforce Development

Disconnected Youth	agreements with states, regions, localities, or tribal communities that give them additional flexibility in using discretionary funds across multiple Federal programs. Pilot sites will commit to achieve significant improvements for disconnected youth in educational, employment, and other key outcomes in exchange for this new flexibility.	Disconnected Youth will be granted to projects designed to increase educational opportunities by reducing academic or nonacademic barriers to economic mobility by aligning Federal, State, or local funding streams to promote economic mobility of low-income individuals, such as applicants in Opportunity Zones.	to Apply due on 3/14/19 (Closed); Deadline for Transmittal of Applications was 4/29/19 (Closed). Please see federal register notice: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/01/28/2019-00200/applications-for-selection-as-a-performance-partnership-pilot-performance-partnership-pilots-for	
Perkins Innovation and Modernization Grant Program	This grant program seeks to identify, support, and rigorously evaluate evidence-based and innovative strategies and activities to improve and modernize career and technical education and align workforce skills with labor market needs.	Preference points have been added to 2019 Notice of Inviting Applications for projects serving students residing or attending CTE programs in Qualified Opportunity Zones. The notice also includes a new invitational priority for Spurring Investment in CTE from Qualified Opportunity Funds, under which an applicant must provide evidence that it has received or will receive financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund	ED-GRANTS-041519-001 / Grant posted on 4/15/19; closing date on 6/14/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; Please see federal register notice: https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-04-15/pdf/2019-07456.pdf	Education and Workforce Development

		for a purpose directly related to its proposed project, especially for property including needed equipment and technology.		
School Based Mental Health Services Grant Program	The School-Based Mental Health Services Grant Program provides competitive grants to State educational agencies (SEAs) to increase the number of qualified (i.e., licensed, certified, well-trained, or credentialed, each as defined in this notice) mental health service providers (service providers) providing school-based mental health services to students in local educational agencies (LEAs) with demonstrated need.	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive priorities. One of the competitive priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 2 - "Spurring	ED-GRANTS-052820-0001 / Grant posted on 5/28/20; closing date on 7/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
School Climate Transformation Grant Program: Local Educational Agency	The School Climate Transformation Grant Program—Local Educational Agency Grants (SCTG-LEA) provides competitive grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) to develop, enhance, or expand systems of support for, and technical assistance to, schools implementing a multi-tiered system of support, for improving school climate.	The 2019 Notice of Inviting Applications includes four absolute priorities. One of the absolute priorities is: Absolute Priority 3 "LEAs that include a Qualified Opportunity Zone".	ED-GRANTS-061019-001 / Grant posted on 6/10/19; closing date on 7/22/19; (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Secretary's Proposed Priority for Discretionary Grant	The Secretary of Education proposes to establish a priority for discretionary grant programs that would align the Department of Education's (the Department's) discretionary grant investments with the Administration's Opportunity Zones initiative, which aims to spur economic development and job creation in distressed communities.	Through this proposed priority, the agency seeks to expand and improve the opportunities available to individuals in Qualified Opportunity Zones by (1) encouraging applicants to plan projects in Qualified Opportunity Zones; (2) soliciting applications from eligible entities who are located in Qualified Opportunity Zones; or (3) soliciting applications from eligible entities that have received investments, including accessing real estate that has received investment from Qualified Opportunity Funds for a purpose directly related to their proposed projects.	Federal Register Document Number: ED-2019-OPEPD-0019. Posted on 7/29/19; Deadline for Transmittal of Comments was 8/28/19. Please see federal register notice: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/07/29/2019-16062/secretarys-proposed-priority-for-discretionary-grant-programs	Education and Workforce Development
State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants Program	The State Charter School Facilities Incentive Grants Program provides grants to eligible States to help them establish or enhance, and administer, a per-pupil facilities aid program for charter schools in the State, that is specified in State law, and provides annual financing, on a per-pupil basis, for charter school facilities.	The 2019 Notice of Inviting Applications includes three competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities includes Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones (up to 5 points).	ED-GRANTS-060419-006 / Grant posted on 6/4/19; closing date on 7/19/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP)	The Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP) provides grants to eligible institutions of higher education (IHEs) to help them become self-sufficient and expand their capacity to serve low-income students by providing funds to improve and strengthen the institution's academic quality, institutional management, and fiscal stability.	The 2019 Notice of Inviting Applications includes a new invitational priority for spurring investment in Opportunity Zones, under which an applicant must: (1) Propose to serve children or students who reside, or attend elementary or secondary schools or institutions of higher education, in a Qualified Opportunity Zone; or (2) Provide evidence in its application that it has received or will receive financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund.	ED-GRANTS-061919-002 / Grant posted on 6/19/19; closing date on 7/19/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Supporting Effective Educator Development Program	The program provides funding to increase the number of highly effective educators by supporting the implementation of Evidence-Based practices that prepare, develop, or enhance the skills of educators. These grants will allow eligible entities to develop, expand, and evaluate practices that can serve as models to be sustained and disseminated.	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes three competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities includes Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones (up to 5 points).	ED-GRANTS-041320-001 / Grant posted on 4/13/20; closing date on 6/12/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Teacher and School Leader (TSL) Incentive Program	The program provides funding to assist States, Local Educational Agencies (LEAs), and nonprofit organizations to develop, implement, improve, or expand comprehensive Performance-Based Compensation Systems (PBCS) or Human Capital Management Systems (HCMS) for teachers, principals, and other School Leaders (especially for teachers, principals, and other School Leaders in High-Need Schools who raise student academic achievement and close the achievement gap between high- and low-performing students). In addition, a portion of TSL funds may be used to study the effectiveness, fairness, quality, consistency, and reliability of PBCS or HCMS for teachers, principals, and other School Leaders (educators).	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 1 "Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones".	ED-GRANTS-040320-002 / Grant posted on 4/3/20; closing date on 6/2/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Program	These grants aim to increase student achievement by improving the quality of new prospective teachers by enhancing the preparation of prospective teachers and the professional development activities for current teachers; holding teacher preparation programs at institutions of higher education (IHEs) accountable for preparing talented, certified or licensed and effective teachers; and	• The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes two competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities includes “Spurring Investment in Qualified Opportunity Zones”. • The 2019 Notice of Inviting Applications	• ED-GRANTS-051820-001 / Grant posted on 5/18/20; closing date on 7/2/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • ED-GRANTS-040319-001 / Grant posted on 4/3/19; closing date on 5/20/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	recruiting effective individuals, including minorities and individuals from other occupations, into the teaching force.	includes a new invitational priority for spurring investment in Opportunity Zones, under which an applicant must: (1) Propose to serve children or students who reside, or attend TQP project schools, in a Qualified Opportunity Zone; or (2) Demonstrate that it has received, or will receive, financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund for a purpose directly related to its proposed project.		
Transition Programs for Students with Intellectual Disabilities into Higher Education (TPSID)	The purpose of the TPSID program is to support model demonstration programs that promote the successful transition of students with intellectual disabilities into higher education and to enable institutions of higher education (IHEs), or consortia of IHEs, to create or expand high-quality, inclusive model comprehensive transition and postsecondary	The 2020 Notice of Inviting Applications includes three competitive preference priorities. One of the competitive preference priorities is: Competitive Preference Priority 3 - "Spurring Investment in Opportunity Zones".	ED-GRANTS-051120-002 / Grant posted on 5/11/20; closing date on 7/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	programs for students with intellectual disabilities.			
Department of Energy				
Advanced Manufacturing Office Multi-Topic	This FOA integrates identified research opportunities across AMO into a single funding opportunity. AMO intends to fund high-impact, early- to mid-stage applied research through this FOA. Topics are organized in 3 main topic areas: 1) Efficiency Improvements in Advanced Manufacturing Processes; 2) Efficiency Improvements in Chemical Manufacturing; and 3) Integrating Carbon Capture and Utilization into Industrial Processes. The competitively selected projects from this FOA will focus on developing next-generation manufacturing material, information, and process technologies that improve energy efficiency in energy-intensive and energy-dependent processes, and facilitate the transition of emerging, cost-competitive energy technologies to domestic production.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002252 / Grant posted on 5/20/20; closing date on 8/31/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development

Advanced Reactor Demonstration	This program is intended to facilitate the development of U.S. private industry advanced nuclear reactor demonstrations. It will provide funding for several advanced reactors that are reliable, cost effective, licensable, and commercially viable. These designs are expected to enable a market environment in which commercial reactor services are available that are safe and affordable to both construct and operate when compared to competing, alternative sources of energy in the near- and mid-term. These designs are expected to provide significant improvements in safety, security, economics, and environmental impacts over current nuclear power plant designs.	One of the factors for ranking applications includes whether the entity is located in an urban and economically distressed area including a Qualified Opportunity Zone (QOZ) or the proposed project will occur in a QOZ or otherwise advance the goals of QOZ. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the U.S.	DE-FOA-0002271 / Grant posted on 5/14/20; closing date on 8/12/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Advanced Vehicle Technologies Research	This FOA seeks research projects to address priorities in the following areas: advanced batteries and electrification in support of the recently-announced DOE Energy Storage Grand Challenge; advanced engine and fuel technologies, including technologies for off-road applications and alternative fueled engines; lightweight materials; new mobility technologies (energy efficient mobility systems); and alternative fuels	The FOA did not incorporate the opportunity zone Program Policy Factor (PPF), however the selection official has flexibilities to select recipients from Opportunity Zones using three PPFs that existed within the FOA. The three PPFs are; 1) The proposed project leads to diverse	DE-FOA-0002197 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 4/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated August 2020	Economic Development

	technology demonstrations. Detailed technical descriptions of the specific areas of interest are provided in the sections that follow.	types and sizes of applicant organizations while not being detrimental to the overall objectives of the program; 2) The proposed project, or group of projects, represent a desired geographic distribution (considering past awards and current applications); and 3) The proposed project is likely to lead to increased employment and manufacturing in the United States.		
Bioenergy and Advanced Manufacturing: Bio-Optimized Technologies to keep Thermoplastics out of Landfills and the Environment (BOTTLE)	This FOA seeks applications that develop solutions to the problem of low-value plastic waste, and will focus on three areas of R&D: 1) Highly recyclable or biodegradable plastics; 2) New strategies for upcycling plastic waste; and, 3) Collaboration with the newly-formed Bio-Optimized Technologies to keep Thermoplastics out of Landfills and the Environment (BOTTLE) National Laboratory Consortium to address plastic waste.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002245 / Grant posted on 3/16/20; closing date on 6/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY20	Economic Development

Bioenergy Technologies Multi-Topic	This FOA will provide funding to address BETO's highest priority R&D areas. It includes Topic Areas from five BETO programs: Feedstock Supply and Logistics; Advanced Algal Systems; Conversion Technologies; Advanced Development and Optimization; and Strategic Analysis and Crosscutting Sustainability. Each Topic Area supports BETO's objectives to reduce the minimum selling price of drop-in biofuels, lower the cost of biopower, and enable high-value products from biomass or waste resources.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002203 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 5/14/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development
Buildings Energy Efficiency Frontiers & Innovation Technologies (BENEFIT)	The objective of this FOA is to research and develop next-generation building technologies that have the potential for significant energy savings and improved demand flexibility, affordability, and occupant comfort. An additional goal is to advance building construction, remodeling, and retrofit practices, and associated workforces.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002196 / Grant posted on 9/25/20; closing date on 1/20/21; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

Connected Communities	A Connected Community (CC) is a group of grid-interactive efficient buildings GEB with diverse, flexible end use equipment and other distributed energy resources (DERs) that collectively work to maximize building, community, and grid efficiency. The Department of Energy (DOE) will select a portfolio of "Connected Community" projects in varying climates, geographies, building types, building vintages, DERs utility/grid/regulatory structures and resource bases. Through funding these projects, DOE hopes to find and share technical and market solutions that will increase demand flexibility and energy efficiency.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002206 / Grant posted on 10/15/20; closing date on 3/3/21; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research	The Department of Energy's (DOE) Office of Nuclear Energy's (NE) mission is to advance U.S. nuclear power in order to meet the nation's energy needs by: 1) Enhancing the long-term viability and competitiveness of the existing U.S. reactor fleet; 2) Developing an advanced reactor pipeline; and, 3) implementing and maintaining the national strategic fuel cycle and supply chain infrastructure. All applications submitted under this FOA must	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed	DE-FOA-0002361 / Grant posted on 9/3/20; closing date on 2/11/21;	Economic Development

	demonstrate a strong tie to at least one of these three priorities.	communities throughout the United States.		
Critical Materials: Next-Generation Technologies and Field Validation	Through this FOA, AMO seeks to address gaps in domestic supply chains for key critical materials for energy technologies to: Enable domestic manufacturing of high energy efficiency and high energy density energy technologies; Diversify the domestic supply of critical materials; and Validate and demonstrate domestic innovative technologies to support the transition to U.S. manufacturing. This will be accomplished through development of alternative next-generation technologies and field validation and demonstration of technologies that improve extraction, separation and processing.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002322 / Grant posted on 5/14/20; closing date on 8/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selection anticipated June 2020	Economic Development
Design Development and System Integration Design Studies for Coal FIRST Concepts	Early stage research for the Coal FIRST (Flexible, Innovative, Resilient, Small, Transformative) Initiative supports the development of the coal power plant of the future to provide secure, stable, and reliable power. Coal FIRST power plant concepts will be capable of flexible operation to meet the needs of the grid; use innovative and cutting-edge components that improve	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the entity is located in an urban and economically distressed area including a Qualified Opportunity Zone or the proposed project(s) will occur in a Qualified	DE-FOA-0002180 / Grant posted on 5/18/20; closing date on 8/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	efficiency and achieve zero or near-zero emissions, including net-negative carbon dioxide emissions; provide resilient power to Americans; be small (50-350MWe) compared to today's conventional utility-scale coal power plants; and transform how coal power plant technologies are designed and manufactured.	Opportunity or otherwise advance the goals of a Qualified Opportunity Zone, including spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Educational Materials for Professional Organizations Working on Efficiency and Renewable Energy Developments (EMPOWERED)	The Educational Materials for Professional Organizations Working on Efficiency and Renewable Energy Developments (EMPOWERED) funding program is a collaborative effort across EERE's Solar Energy Technologies Office (SETO), Vehicle Technologies Office (VTO), and Building Technologies Office (BTO), to provide professionals with educational materials and training resources in fields newly interacting with distributed energy resources (DER). In this program, DER includes distributed solar, like on homes and businesses, as well as efficient building technologies and sustainable transportation technologies, such as electric vehicles. The goal of this program is to create resources that will help those on the front lines of DER adoption—like first	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002258 / Grant posted on 4/6/20; closing date on 7/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Education and Workforce Development

	responders, safety officials, and building managers and owners—keep up with these rapidly emerging and advancing technologies. These professionals are at the forefront of America's energy transition and play a role in easing adoption, ensuring safety, and reducing installation costs. Because of this, the participating EERE offices see these professionals as key to enabling understanding and acceptance of new energy technologies.			
Energy and Carbon Optimized Synthesis for the Bioeconomy (ECOSYNBIO)	This funding opportunity seeks submissions to establish new technologies to significantly improve the carbon efficiency of bioconversion platforms through the accommodation of external reducing equivalents. Proposed systems of interest include, but are not limited to: (1) carbon optimized fermentation strains that avoid CO2 evolution, (2) engineered mixotrophic consortia or systems that avoid CO2 evolution, (3) biomass or gas fermentation with internal CO2 utilization, (4) cell-free carbon optimized biocatalytic biomass conversion and/or CO2 utilization, and (5) cross-cutting or other proposed	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002387 / Grant posted on 9/10/20; closing date on 10/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	carbon optimized bioconversion schemes.			
Energy and Carbon Optimized Synthesis for the Bioeconomy (ECOSYNBIO) SBIR/STTR	This funding opportunity seeks submissions to establish new technologies to significantly improve the carbon efficiency of bioconversion platforms through the accommodation of external reducing equivalents. Proposed systems of interest include, but are not limited to: (1) carbon optimized fermentation strains that avoid CO2 evolution, (2) engineered mixotrophic consortia or systems that avoid CO2 evolution, (3) biomass or gas fermentation with internal CO2 utilization, (4) cell-free carbon optimized biocatalytic biomass conversion and/or CO2 utilization, and (5) cross-cutting or other proposed carbon optimized bioconversion schemes. The objectives of the SBIR program are to (1) stimulate technological innovation in the private sector, (2) strengthen the role of Small Business Concerns in meeting Federal R&D needs, (3) increase private sector commercialization of innovations derived from Federal R&D activities, (4) foster and encourage participation by socially and economically disadvantaged and women-owned	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002388 / Grant posted on 9/10/20; closing date on 10/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	Small Business Concerns, and (5) improve the return on investment from Federally funded research and economic benefits to the Nation. The objective of the STTR program is to stimulate cooperative partnerships of ideas and technologies between Small Business Concerns and partnering Research Institutions through Federally funded R&D activities.			
Energy Storage for Fossil Power Generation	This FOA will provide funding to: 1) Advance near-term, fossil-fueled asset-integrated, energy storage solutions toward commercial deployment; 2) mature promising mid-TRL (Technology Readiness Levels), component-level, energy storage solutions toward eventual system integration with fossil-fueled assets; and 3) develop innovative, low-TRL concepts and technologies that offer game-changing benefits for fossil-fueled assets.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002332 / Grant posted on 5/6/20; closing date on 8/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Energy Technology Deployment on Tribal Lands	Projects sought under this FOA are fuel and technology neutral. Specifically, DOE's Office of Indian Energy is soliciting applications from Indian Tribes, which include Alaska	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur	DE-FOA-0002317 / Grant posted on 3/27/20; closing date on 7/1/20 (Closed); grant on	Economic Development

	Native Regional Corporations and Village Corporations, Intertribal Organizations, and Tribal Energy Development Organizations to: (1) install energy generating system(s) and energy efficiency measure(s) for Tribal Building(s); or, (2) deploy community-scale energy generating system(s) or energy storage on Tribal Lands ; or, (3) install integrated energy system(s) for autonomous operation (independent of the traditional centralized electric power grid) to power a single or multiple essential tribal facilities during emergency situations or for tribal community resilience ; or, (4) deploy energy infrastructure and integrated energy system(s) to electrify Tribal Buildings.	in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	Grants.gov; selections anticipated August 2020	
Geothermal Technologies Office Hydrothermal and Low Temperature Multi-Topic Funding Opportunity	This multi-topic funding opportunity aims to drive down costs and risks associated with the discovery of hidden geothermal systems in the Basin & Range region of the U.S., and to enhance energy system resilience through the utilization of Reservoir Thermal Energy Storage (RTES), Deep Direct-Use (DDU) and other geothermal direct use applications on military installations, hospital complexes, and other large energy	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job	DE-FOA-0002219 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development

	end-uses across the U.S. such as university campuses.	creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Geothermal Wells of Opportunity (WOO)	Through the Wells of Opportunity (referred to as WOO going forward) FOA, GTO is soliciting well owners or operators with "idle" wells that are willing to partner with DOE to advance and test EGS technologies in-situ. Due to the criticality of the technology prototyping and methodology testing phase of research and development in the innovation pipeline, this FOA focuses on active field testing, where the Federal government takes on the associated high cost and risks.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002227 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 4/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selection anticipated July 2020	Economic Development
H2@Scale New Markets	This "H2@Scale New Markets FOA" will advance the focus areas of H2@Scale and support EERE's core priorities. Highlighting the importance of scaling up hydrogen use across sectors, this FOA will include more novel demonstration projects for several emerging new markets and applications. Specific focus areas include: Expanding into new markets for hydrogen in steel manufacturing, maritime applications, and data	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job	DE-FOA-0002229 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selection anticipated July 2020	Economic Development

	centers; Enabling of large-scale manufacturing of electrolyzers to provide further reduction to the cost of hydrogen production at scale; Reducing the cost of carbon fiber for lower cost compressed hydrogen and natural gas storage; The development of improved fuel cell stack and membrane technologies for emerging heavy-duty applications; Workforce development and training to support the growing hydrogen and fuel cell market.	creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Marine Energy Foundational Research and Testing Infrastructure	This FOA supports marine energy research and additional test capabilities in four Topic Areas: (1) Foundational Research and Development to enhance the commercial viability and vitality of the U.S. marine energy market, (2) establish the new Atlantic Marine Energy Center to support and further develop the marine energy industry in this region, (3) Foundational Research Network Facilitator to help maximize the impact of research supported under Topic Areas 1 and 2 by improving transparency into ongoing research, facilitating greater interactions among institutions engaged in marine energy research,	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002234 / Grant posted on 3/31/20; closing date on 7/7/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development

	soliciting input and feedback from the private marine energy technology development community, helping to connect U.S. research to other relevant efforts and identifying opportunities for additional partnerships and research gaps, and (4) Current Energy Technology Testing Infrastructure to test prototypes in a real-world environment to fully characterize and validate the performance, maintainability, and potential environmental impact.			
Minority Education, Workforce, and Training Program (MEWT)	The MEWT Program is designed to foster collaboration amongst MSIs, MBEs, DOE program offices, industry, state and local government agencies and other federal agencies to increase engagement and capabilities of underserved communities within STEM and energy fields.	Applicants must show that their programs are targeted towards economically distressed communities, to include Qualified Opportunity Zones.	DE-FOA-0002042 / Grant posted on 9/3/19; closing date on 10/7/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Offshore Wind Energy Atmospheric Science and Project Development	The purpose of this FOA is to improve wind resource modeling and predictions in offshore wind energy development areas. Specifically, this FOA will focus on improving wind resource model physics for foundational wind forecasts and other applications in offshore wind energy development areas. This FOA will also	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity	DE-FOA-0002236 / Grant posted on 4/1/20; closing date on 7/9/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development

	enable demonstration of a novel technology or methodology that will advance the state-of-the-art of offshore wind energy in the U.S.	Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Research and Development for Advanced Water Resource Recovery Systems	The purpose of this FOA is to conduct research, development, and deployment on technology innovations that enable advanced water resource recovery systems.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002336 / Grant posed on 6/30/20; closing date on 10/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Silicon-Carbide Ceramic Matrix Composite Cladding for Nuclear Fuels	The objectives of this FOA is to fund a project that will enhance of the chances for this concept to be successful toward meeting the ATF Program goal. Using the funds provided by the Congressional 2020 guidance, the successful applicant to this FOA, in cooperation with an existing U.S. utility, will affect an	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity	DE-FOA-0002308 / Grant posted on 7/28/20; closing date on 10/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	earlier near-term irradiation of its silicon-carbide ceramic matrix concept in an existing U.S. commercial reactor than would be possible under any existing program.	Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Solar Energy Technologies Office	The SETO 2020 funding program seeks to advance R&D of solar technologies that reduce the cost of solar, increase the competitiveness of American manufacturing and businesses, and improve the reliability of the grid. These projects will advance R&D in PV, CSP, and energy management technologies, while also working to improve cybersecurity, expand solar to new applications like agricultural solar, integrate solar and storage, and utilize artificial intelligence to address research challenges.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002243 / Grant posted on 2/5/20; closing date on 5/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated FY21	Economic Development
Solar Energy Technologies Office Perovskite Funding Program	The SETO 2020 Perovskite Funding Program seeks to advance perovskite photovoltaic technology development and competitiveness through projects in advanced device and manufacturing R&D and performance validation. The primary goals are to improve understanding of stability; establish methods to produce high-efficiency,	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity	DE-FOA-0002357 / Grant posted on 8/17/20; closing date on 12/1/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	stable devices using industry-relevant fabrication techniques; and develop test protocols that enable high confidence in long-duration field performance of perovskite-based photovoltaic technologies.	Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
Solicitation on Topics Informing New Program Areas	The objective of this solicitation is to support high-risk R&D leading to the development of potentially disruptive new technologies across the full spectrum of energy applications. Topics under this FOA will explore new areas of technology development that, if successful, could establish new program areas for Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy (ARPA-E), or complement the current portfolio of ARPA-E programs.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-001954 / Grant posted on 12/20/18; closing date on 9/30/22; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Solicitation on Topics Informing New Program Areas SBIR/STTR	The objective of this solicitation is to support high-risk R&D leading to the development of potentially disruptive new technologies across the full spectrum of energy applications. Topics under this FOA will explore new areas of technology development that, if successful, could establish new program areas for Advanced Research	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity	DE-FOA-001953 / Grant posted on 12/20/18; closing date on 9/30/22; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	Projects Agency – Energy (ARPA-E), or complement the current portfolio of ARPA-E programs. The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs are Government-wide programs. ARPA-E administers a joint SBIR/STTR program in accordance with the Small Business Act and the SBIR and STTR Program Policy Directive issued by the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA). ARPA-E provides SBIR/STTR funding in three phases (Phase I, Phase II, and Phase IIS).	Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.		
U.S. Industry Opportunities for Advanced Nuclear Technology Development	This FOA is to provide a direct vehicle to support innovative, domestic nuclear industry-driven designs and technologies that have high potential to improve the overall economic outlook for nuclear power in the U.S.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0001817 / Grant posted on 12/7/17; closing date on 3/1/21; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

Workforce Development in Emerging Fields	This FOA seeks to fund a land-grant university to pursue leading-edge interdisciplinary research that promotes workforce development in emerging fields within EERE-related disciplines and technologies, by supporting a coordinated expansion of existing joint graduate education programs with DOE National Laboratories to prepare the next generation of scientists and engineers.	One of the factors that may be considered when ranking applications includes whether the proposed project will occur in a Qualified Opportunity Zone or otherwise advances the goals of Qualified Opportunity Zones. The goals include spurring economic development and job creation in distressed communities throughout the United States.	DE-FOA-0002283 / Grant posted on 3/6/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov; selections anticipated August 2020	Education and Workforce Development

Department of Health and Human Services

Administration for Native Americans' Program Policies and Procedures	The Administration for Native Americans' is required to provide members of the public an opportunity to comment on proposed changes in interpretive rules and general statements of policy and to give notice of the proposed changes no less than 30 days before such changes become effective.	The program areas of interest will be expanded to include Opportunity Zones under economic competitiveness.	Federal Register Notice published on 12/27/19 (Document Number 2019-27916, Pages 71428-71430) deadline for comments was 1/27/20.	Economic Development
American Indian/Alaska Native (AIAN)	This program award funds for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive early learning	The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes	HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-CI-R-11-1845 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date	Education and Workforce Development

Head Start and/or Early Head Start Expansion	services for newly-enrolled, income-eligible American Indian/Alaska Native pregnant women, and children from birth to compulsory school age.	language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones.	on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
American Indian and Alaska Native Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grants	This program awards funds for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive services to low income American Indian/Alaska Native (AIAN) infants and toddlers and their families through Early Head Start-Child Care (EHS-CC) Partnerships, or through the expansion of Early Head Start services.	The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones.	HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-HI-1853 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Child Support Intergovernmental Case Processing Innovation Demonstration	This program competitively awards funding for the purpose of testing how child support agencies can improve intergovernmental case processing and collections.	Bonus points will be provided to projects located in designated Opportunity Zones.	HHS-2019-ACF-OCSE-FD-1541/ Grant posted on 5/22/19; Grant closing date on 7/17/2019 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Community-based Approaches to Strengthening Economic Supports for Working Families	This program awards funds to serve low-income working families disproportionately at risk for adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), including racial and ethnic minority families. This initiative seeks to determine if implementation of earned income tax credit (EITC) outreach and	The agency strongly encourages recipients to serve communities located in designated Opportunity Zones. Applicants need to describe how their proposed intervention will serve (1) racial/ethnic	MP-CPI-20-005 / Grant posted on 7/15/20; closing date on 8/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	education activities in communities at higher risk for ACEs can result in (1) increased EITC receipt and (2) changes in risk and/or protective factors for ACEs.	minority populations and (2) communities located in Opportunity Zones.		
Community Economic Development Focus on Social Enterprises	This program awards funds to experienced Community Development Corporations (CDCs) for well planned, financially viable, and innovative projects sponsoring social enterprise incubators. These incubators will develop new products, services, and commercial activities that result in new positions for individuals with low incomes, while also addressing a local unmet need or solution to social problems for the community's constituents and its stakeholders. Projects also address the personal and community barriers that must be overcome to help individuals with low incomes become self-sufficient. (e.g., transportation, childcare, education/training, language, etc.) Projects can use funds for costs associated with social enterprise start-up or expansion activities, as well as technical assistance and incubator services to these businesses. Projects must be located in geographic areas with a demonstrated need for social	Bonus points will be provided to projects located in designated Opportunity Zones.	HHS-2019-ACF-OCS-EE-1580 / Grant posted on 6/27/17; closing date on 7/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	enterprise, such as a county designated as having persistent poverty.			
Community Economic Development Projects	The program awards funding for well-planned, financially viable, and innovative projects to enhance job creation and business development for individuals with low income. CED grants will be made as part of a broader strategy to address objectives such as decreasing dependency on federal programs, chronic unemployment, and community deterioration in urban and rural areas. CED projects are expected to actively recruit individuals with low income to fill the positions created by CED-funded development activities, to assist those individuals to successfully hold those jobs and to ensure that the businesses and jobs created remain viable for at least one year after the end of the grant period. CED-funded projects can be non-construction or construction projects, however, short-term construction jobs associated with preparing for business startup or expansion are not counted when determining the number of jobs created under the CED program as	• For FY 2020, bonus points will be provided to projects located in designated Opportunity Zones. • For FY 2019, bonus points will be provided to projects located in designated Opportunity Zones.	• HHS-2020-ACF-OCS-EE-1803 / Grant posted on 6/2/20; closing date on 7/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • HHS-2017-ACF-OCS-EE-1213 / Grant posted on 6/17/17 (updated 4/25/19); closing date on 6/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	they are designed to be temporary in nature.			
Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grants	This program competitively awards funding for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive early learning services for low-income infants and toddlers and their families through traditional Early Head Start programs or through partnerships between Early Head Start programs and child care providers.	• The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones. • The 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement for the third round of funding for this grant program was updated to include language that reserved the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones.	• HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-HP-1852 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • HHS-2019-ACF-OHS-HP-1386 / Grant posted on 10/29/18; closing date on 11/30/18 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Head Start and/or Early Head Start Expansion	This program award funding for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive early learning services for newly-enrolled, income-eligible pregnant women, infants, toddlers, and children from birth to	The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified	HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-CH-1818 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	compulsory school age in communities.	applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones. 14 states are identified in the 2020 Funding Opportunity for the expansion grant.		
Health Center Program Service Area Competition (SAC)	The Health Center Program supports nearly 1,400 organizations that operate approximately 13,000 health care delivery sites across the nation serving nearly 30 million people. Each year, a portion of the grants are re-competed to ensure continued services in existing service areas. Current award recipients, as well as new organizations may compete for funding.	• Opportunity Zones are included in the FY 21 Notice of Funding Opportunities (NOFOs). The applicant is required to identify if the service area is located in an Opportunity Zone. • Opportunity Zones are included in the FY 20 NOFOs. The applicant is required to identify if the service area is located in an Opportunity Zone.	• FY21 SAC Round 6: HRSA-21-007 / Grant posted on 9/17/20; closing date on 11/16/20; grant on Grants.gov • FY21 SAC Round 5: HRSA-21-006 / Grant posted on 8/20/20; closing date on 10/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FY21 SAC Round 4: HRSA-21-005 / Grant posted on 7/16/20; closing date on 9/14/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FY21 SAC Round 3: HRSA-21-004 / Grant posted on 6/25/20; closing date on	Safe Neighborhoods

8/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov

- FY21 SACs Round 2: HRSA-21-003 / Grant posted on 6/18/20; closing date on 8/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY21 SAC-Additional Areas (AA): HRSA-21-084 / Grant posted on 6/18/20; closing date on 8/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY21 SAC Round 1: HRSA-21-002 / Grant posted on 6/16/20; closing date on 8/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 7 of 7: HRSA-20-100 / Grant posted on 1/7/20; closing date on 3/9/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 6 of 7: HRSA-20-020 / Grant posted on 9/26/19; closing date on

12/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov

- FY20 SAC Round 5 of 7: HRSA-20-019 / Grant posted on 8/22/19; closing date on 10/21/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 4 of 7: HRSA-20-018 / Grant posted on 8/1/19; closing date on 9/30/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 3 of 7: HRSA-20-017 / Grant posted on 6/27/19; closing date on 8/26/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 2 of 7: HRSA-20-016 / Grant posted on 6/6/19; closing date on 8/5/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov
- FY20 SAC Round 1 of 7: HRSA-20-015 / Grant posted on 5/16/19; closing date on

			7/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Migrant and Seasonal Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grants	The program awards funding for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive services to low-income, migrant and seasonal infants and toddlers and their families through Early Head Start-Child Care (EHS-CC) Partnerships, or through the expansion of Early Head Start services.	The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones.	HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-HM-R12-1854 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Migrant and Seasonal Head Start (MSHS) Expansion	The program awards funding for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive early learning services for newly-enrolled, income-eligible Migrant and/or seasonal farmworker families including pregnant women and children from birth to compulsory school age.	The 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement includes language that reserve the right for the prioritization of funding for qualified applicants who propose services in Opportunity Zones.	HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-CM-R12-1847 / Grant posted on 7/23/20; closing date on 9/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Youth Engagement in Sports: Collaboration to Improve Adolescent Physical Activity and Nutrition (YES Initiative)	The YES Initiative seeks to support projects that address the HHS priority to expand youth participation in sports and encourage regular physical activity, especially for youth populations with lower rates of sports participation and communities with limited access to athletic facilities or recreational areas. YES Initiative	Preference will be provided to projects located in designated Opportunity Zones. Funding decisions expected summer 2019.	MP-CPI-19-002 / Grant posted on 3/28/19; closing date on 5/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	applicants should address unhealthy physical activity and nutrition behaviors in racial/ethnic minority and socio-economically disadvantaged youth, including specifically girls, and provide opportunities to learn skills and gain experiences that contribute to more positive lifestyles and enhance their capacity to make healthier life choices. The YES Initiative intends to identify effective collaborations and/or existing community organizational partnerships that aim to improve physical activity and nutrition by increasing sports participation of racial/ethnic minority and/or socio-economically disadvantaged youth, including specifically girls.			

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Authority To Accept Unsolicited Proposals for Research Partnerships Notice	HUD's Office of Policy Development and Research (PD&R) has the authority to accept unsolicited research proposals that address current research priorities. In accordance with statutory requirements, the research proposals must be submitted by eligible applicants and provide cost sharing for at least 50 percent of total project cost	This notice announces that HUD is accepting research proposals and provides a general description of information that should be included in any research proposal. Examples of potentially useful research include Opportunity Zones - Studies on how	FR-6300-N-USP / Cooperative Agreement posted on 5/21/19; closing date on 12/31/20; posted on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship

	from philanthropic entities or Federal, state or local government agencies.	Opportunity Zones are being used to revitalize low-income communities, including research on local efforts to streamline, coordinate, and target existing Federal programs to Opportunity Zones as well as research on how the existing businesses and residents of affected communities are impacted by the investments.		
Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grant Program	Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grants support the implementation of comprehensive neighborhood revitalization plans that are expected to achieve the following three core goals: 1. Housing: Replace distressed public and assisted housing with high-quality mixed-income housing that is well-managed and responsive to the needs of the surrounding neighborhood; 2. People: Improve outcomes of households living in the target housing related to employment and income, health, and children's education; and 3. Neighborhood: Create the conditions necessary for public and private reinvestment in distressed	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-34 / Grant posted on 8/24/20; closing date on 12/16/20; grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-34 / Grant posted on 8/5/19; closing date on 11/4/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	neighborhoods to offer the kinds of amenities and assets, including safety, good schools, and commercial activity, that are important to families' choices about their community.			
Choice Neighborhoods Planning Grants Program	This is an annual competitive grant program that leverages significant public and private dollars to support locally driven strategies that address struggling neighborhoods with distressed public and/or HUD-assisted housing. The program helps communities transform neighborhoods by redeveloping severely distressed public and/or HUD-assisted housing and catalyzing critical improvements in the neighborhood, including vacant property, housing, businesses, services and schools.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-38 / Grant posted on 7/14/20; closing date on 9/14/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-38 / Grant posted on 4/10/19; closing date on 6/10/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Community Development Block Grant Mitigation Grantees	This notice allocates Community Development Block Grant Mitigation (CDBG-MIT) funds to grantees recovering from qualifying 2015, 2016, and 2017 disasters. Funds allocated by this notice were made available by the Further Additional Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2018 (the "Appropriations Act"). The	Grantees are also strongly encouraged to leverage CDBG-MIT funds in economic development through coordination with Opportunity Zones established within the grantee's jurisdiction.	FR-6109-N-02 (Federal Register Notice iD HUD-2019-0071) / Posted on 8/30/19; Application closing date on 9/4/19 (Closed); notice on regulations.gov	Economic Development

	notice describes grant requirements and procedures, including waivers and alternative requirements, applicable to CDBG-MIT funds only.			
Community Development Block Grant Program for Indian Tribes and Alaska Native Villages	This program helps develop viable Indian and Alaska Native communities through the creation of decent housing, suitable living and economic opportunities primarily for persons with low and moderate incomes.	Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 /2020 Notice of Funding Availability.	FR-6300-N-23 / Grant posted on 11/19/19; closing date on 2/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Comprehensive Housing Counseling Grant Program	This program awards funds to HUD-approved housing counseling agencies for the provision of counseling and advice to tenants and homeowners, both current and prospective, with respect to property maintenance, financial management and literacy, and other topics to assist clients in improving their housing conditions, meeting their financial needs, and fulfilling the responsibilities of tenancy or homeownership.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-33 / Grant posted on 5/27/20; closing date on 7/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-33 / Grant posted on 5/24/19; closing date on 7/1/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Distressed Cities Technical Assistance	The purpose of the technical assistance is to provide critically needed technical assistance to distressed communities with populations under 40,000, including those with designated Opportunity	This technical assistance will help smaller distressed communities improve financial management practices, build up administrative capacity,	Information about HUD's Distressed Cities Technical Assistance Program is located at https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/distresse	Economic Development

	Zones and communities recovering from natural disasters.	and improve their knowledge of federal resources, including leveraging of Opportunity Zone investment.	d-cities/ Communities may begin requesting assistance under this program beginning September 16, 2019. Additional information on requesting assistance through this program will be available on the HUD Exchange website close to September 16, 2109	
Education and Outreach Initiative (EOI) - Tester Training	This program awards funds for a HUD Fair Housing Initiatives Program (FHIP) Education and Outreach Initiative (EOI) Tester Training component that supports the provisions of both general tester training and training in the areas of lending and insurance to help meet the needs and requirements of the FHIP program.	Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability.	FR-6400-N-71 / Grant posted on 7/16/20; closing date on 8/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Fair Housing Initiatives Program - Education and Outreach Initiative	This program awards funds to increase compliance with the Fair Housing Act. The Education and Outreach Initiative (EOI) provides funds to develop, implement, carry out, and coordinate education and outreach programs designed to inform members of the public concerning	• Preference points have been added to the programs' 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-21A / Grant posted on 4/8/20; closing date on 5/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-21-A / Grant posted on 12/19/19; closing date	Economic Development

	their rights and obligations under the provisions of the Fair Housing Act.		on 2/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Fair Housing Initiatives Program - Education and Outreach Initiative (COVID-19)	This program awards funds for eligible entities that will create and disseminate fair housing education and outreach materials in COVID-19 affected areas. During the national emergency, HUD wants to remind housing providers and the public of important federal fair housing laws that protect persons from discrimination, including harassment and intimidation in housing and related services on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status and disability.	Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability.	FR-6400-N-70 / Grant posted on 6/8/20; closing date on 7/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Fair Housing Initiatives Program - Fair Housing Organizations Initiative	This program awards funds to increase compliance with the Fair Housing Act. The Fair Housing Organizations Initiative (FHOI) provides funds to non-profit fair housing organizations to build their capacity and effectiveness to conduct enforcement-related activities.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-21B / Grant posted on 4/8/20; closing date on 5/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-21-B / Grant posted on 12/19/19; closing date on 2/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Fair Housing Initiatives Program -	This program awards funds to increase compliance with the Fair Housing Act. The Private Enforcement	• Preference points have been added to the	• FR-6400-N-21C / Grant posted on 4/8/20;	Economic Development

Private Enforcement Initiative	Initiative provides funds to private, non-profit fair housing enforcement organizations that meet statutory requirements to conduct investigations and enforcement of alleged violations of the Fair Housing Act.	program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	closing date on 5/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-21-C / Grant posted on 12/19/19; closing date on 2/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Guidance of Using HUD's Community Planning and Development Program (CPD) Funds in Opportunity Zones	The Notice provides general guidance on the types of projects and activities that HUD Community Planning and Development (CPD) grantees may consider in conjunction with Opportunity Zones. The flexibility of CPD programs allows allocations to be used for a range of activities that can support and complement OZs. This Notice provides general guidance on the types of projects and activities that grantees may consider in conjunction with OZs.	The Notice encourages all HUD Community Planning and Development (CPD) grantees under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Housing Trust Fund (HTF), and Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA) programs to consider using their allocations to support projects and activities in designated Opportunity Zones (OZs). It is meant to provide a general overview for how grantees can begin to consider leveraging CPD funds in OZs.	HUD Notice: CPD-20-06 issued on 6/23/20; expires on 6/23/21. Posted at https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/20-06cpdn.pdf	Economic Development
Guidance on Submitting	This notice provides varying instructions and guidance to	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has	HUD Notice: CPD-19-01 posted on 2/13/19; in	Economic Development;

Consolidated Plans and Annual Action Plans	grantees/participating jurisdictions under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Housing Trust Fund (HTF), Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG), and Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA) programs at it relates to Fiscal Year 2019 Consolidated Plans and Action Plans.	been added to this notice, including the encouragement of grantees to consider the use of CDBG, HOME, HTF, ESG, and HOPWA funds for eligible activities in Opportunity Zones when developing their Consolidated Plans. Also, grantees are encouraged to explore whether their Opportunity Zones would qualify as Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Areas (NRSAs)—certain CDBG requirements can be streamlined through the designation of NRSAs that may make it more feasible for grantees and their partners to leverage CDBG and Section 108 funds more quickly in Opportunity Zones.	effect until 9/30/19 (Expired)	Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship ; and Safe Neighborhoods
Healthy Homes and Weatherization Cooperation Demonstration	This program awards funds to localities that are served by both Healthy Homes and Weatherization Assistance Programs (such as from HUD and US Department of Energy, respectively) to determine whether	Preference points have been included in this new program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability.	FR-6400-N-62 / Grant posted on 9/10/20; closing date on 11/9/20; grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	coordination between the programs with respect to the implementation of healthy homes remediation activities and energy conservation measures achieves cost effectiveness and better outcomes in improving the safety and quality of homes.			
Healthy Homes Production Grant Program for Tribal Housing	The purpose of the HHP program is to assist American Indian and Alaska Native tribal governments identify and remediate housing related health and safety hazards. This program will assist American Indian and Alaska Native tribal governments to develop comprehensive programs to identify and remediate housing issues that contribute to health and safety issues in urban, tribal communities.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-44 / Grant posted on 7/24/20; closing date on 8/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6200-N-44 / Grant posted on 6/25/19; closing date on 8/9/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
HOPE VI Main Street Grant Program	The purpose of the HOPE VI Main Street Program is to provide grants to small communities to assist in the renovation of an historic or traditional central business district, or "Main Street" area, by replacing unused, obsolete, commercial space in buildings with affordable housing units. The objectives of the program are to: Redevelop central business districts (Main Street areas); Preserve Historic or traditional Main Street area	• Preference Points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference Points have been added to the program's 2018 and 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-03 / Grant posted on 10/29/20; closing date on 1/19/21; grant on Grants.gov • FR-6200-N-03 / Grant posted on 5/14/19; closing date on 7/30/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	properties by replacing unused commercial space in buildings with affordable housing units; Enhance economic development efforts in Main Street areas; and Provide affordable housing in Main Street areas. Main Street grant funds can be used to build new affordable housing or reconfigure obsolete or surplus commercial space (or extremely substandard, vacant housing) into affordable housing units.			
Incentives for FHA Mortgage Insurance for Properties Located in Opportunity Zones	FHA has introduced incentives for property owners applying for certain multifamily loans insured by FHA for properties located in a qualified Opportunity Zone census tract.	Two benefits: 1) Processing by Designated HUD Underwriters; 2) Reduced FHA Mortgage Insurance Application Fee	Notice: H 2019-07 posted on 5/9/19; in effect until amended, revoked or superseded	Economic Development
Incentives for FHA Mortgage Insurance for Properties Located in Opportunity Zones	FHA facilitates the construction, rehabilitation, and refinance of multifamily properties, both affordable and market-rate, by guaranteeing mortgage loans made by private lenders.	FHA has introduced incentives for residential care / nursing home facilities and hospitals owners applying for certain loans insured by FHA for properties located in a qualified Opportunity Zone census tract. The two benefits are: 1) Processing by Designated HUD Underwriters; 2) Reduced	Notice: H 2019-10 posted on 9/27/19; in effect until amended, revoked or superseded	Safe Neighborhoods

		FHA Mortgage Insurance Application Fee.		
Indian Housing Block Grant (IHBG) Program	The purpose of the IHBG program is to assist American Indian and Alaska Native tribal governments to develop, maintain, and operate affordable housing in safe and healthy environments, and carry out other affordable housing activities.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-48; Grant posted on 8/11/20; closing date on 12/10/20; grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-48 / Grant posted on 5/7/19; closing date on 8/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Jobs Plus Initiative	The Jobs Plus program develops locally-based, job-driven approaches that increase earnings and advance employment outcomes through work readiness, employer linkages, job placement, educational advancement, technology skills, and financial literacy for residents of public housing. The place-based Jobs Plus program addresses poverty among public housing residents by incentivizing and enabling employment through earned income disregards for working residents and a set of services designed to support work including employer linkages, job placement and counseling, educational advancement, and financial counseling.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-14 / Grant posted on 8/24/20; closing date on 12/1/20; grant on Grants.gov. • FR-6300-N-14 / Grant posted on 8/5/19; closing date on 10/1/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Lead-Based Paint Capital Fund Program (LBPCF)	The purpose of the Lead-Based Paint Capital Fund Program is to help Public Housing Authorities (PHAs) identify and eliminate lead-based paint hazards in public housing.	Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability.	FR-6400-N-42 / Grant posted on 9/2/20; closing date on 11/2/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods
Lead Hazard Reduction Grant Program	The purpose of the Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction (LHR) grant program is to maximize the number of children under the age of six years protected from lead poisoning by assisting states, cities, counties/parishes, Native American Tribes or other units of local government in undertaking comprehensive programs to identify and control lead-based paint hazards in eligible privately-owned target housing.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-13 / Grant posted on 7/22/20; closing date on 8/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-13 / Grant posted on 6/25/19; closing date on 8/9/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods
Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards	The National Manufacturing Housing Construction and Safety Standards Act authorized HUD to establish the Federal Manufacturing Home Construction and Safety Standards. The Act was later amended to establish the Manufacturing Housing Consensus Committee (MHCC). The MHCC is responsible for providing HUD recommendations to adopt, revise, and interpret the Construction and Safety Standards. HUD's Construction and Safety Standards	In January 2020 HUD issued a proposed rule to amend the Federal Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards by adopting recommendations made to HUD by the Manufactured Housing Consensus Committee (MHCC). The proposed changes to the standards would enable manufacturers to design	FR-6149-P-01 (Federal Register Notice iD HUD-2020-0015) / Posted on 1/30/20; comments due by 3/31/20; notice on regulations.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods

	only apply to the design, construction and installation of new homes.	and construct homes similar to townhomes, which may be useful in addressing affordable housing needs in Opportunity Zones and urban or other economically distressed areas. These new standards would eliminate the need for manufacturers to follow the costly and burdensome alternative construction (AC) process.		
Multifamily Assisted & Section 8 Database	The HUD Multifamily Assisted & Section 8 database was created to provide HUD partners/clients with a way of measuring the potential impact of expiring project-based subsidy contracts in their communities. It represents the most comprehensive picture of project-based subsidies and data is updated monthly.	Properties located in an Opportunity Zone have been added as a new field in the database. If a property is located in an Opportunity, the field "is_opportunity_zone_ind" will be indicated with a "Y".	The HUD Multifamily Assisted & Section 8 database with the Opportunity Zone field is located on the HUD website at https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/mfh/exp/mfhdiscl	Economic Development
Neighborhood Stabilization Program	This notice pertains to the closeout of the Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP), which was established under the 2008 Housing and Economic Recovery Act (HERA). The NSP provided grants on a formula basis to all states and selected local	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to this notice, including the encouragement of grantees to leverage Qualified	HUD Notice: CPD Docket No. FR-6170-N-01 / Posted on 9/12/19.	Economic Development

	governments. Additional NSP funding, including technical assistance, was authorized under the 2009 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act in the form of competitive grants to states, localities, nonprofits, and a consortium of nonprofit entities. In 2010, a third round of NSP grants was authorized on a formula basis to all states and select units of general local governments. The purpose of these funds was to stabilize neighborhoods negatively affected by residential properties foreclosed upon or abandoned. Because NSP has expended 98% of the $8.639 billion in grant funds and program income and grantees have largely served their identified areas of greatest need, HUD is eager to hasten the expenditure of remaining grant funds and close out all open NSP grants. Specifically, HUD supports the ability of grantees to use their NSP funds in Opportunity Zones. HUD encourages grantees to explore whether Opportunity Zones could also qualify as Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Areas (NRSAs).	Opportunity Fund capital with NSP funds.		
Office of Housing "New Pilot"	The New Pilot streamlines FHA mortgage insurance applications for eligible multifamily projects with	Each participating New Pilot Office will be designating a senior	HUD Notice H2019-03 / Notice issued 2/21/19. https://www.hud.gov/site	Economic Development

	equity from the Low Income Housing Tax Credit and covers New Construction and Substantial Rehabilitation projects under Section 221(d)(4) and Section 220 of the National Housing Act.	underwriter to serve as the designated pilot underwriter for projects in Opportunity Zones.	s/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/LIHTCPilotNotice022119.pdf	
OpportunityZones.gov website	The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development developed the "OpportunityZones.gov" website that provides information about the White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council along with information for investors, local leaders and entrepreneurs with resources and news stories about Opportunity Zones and the Council actions.	The "OpportunityZones.gov" website was announced and released at a press conference by the HUD Secretary.	OpportunityZones.gov website released on October 1, 2019 https://opportunityzones.hud.gov/	Economic Development; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship; Safe Neighborhoods
Opportunity Zone Grant Certification Form	HUD has drafted a proposed grant certification form. This form will certify that valuable HUD resources are in fact being targeted to and expended in America's most economically distressed areas, including Opportunity Zones. Additionally, it will enable HUD to gather and analyze the most accurate data regarding the use of taxpayer funds; specifically, how they are being utilized by HUD's grantee partners to support the President's mission of revitalizing distressed communities.	The official 60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection for the Opportunity Zone Grant Certification Form was published on October 10th, 2019 in the Federal Register.	FR-7022-N-01 (Federal Register Notice iD HUD-2019-22135) / Posted on 10/10/19; comments due by 12/9/19 (Closed); notice on regulations.gov	Economic Development; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship; Safe Neighborhoods

	The collection of this information will help to guide the Department through future grant awards and inform HUD's strategy to maximize non-profit and private sector investment. It is also anticipated that other Federal agencies will also implement this form for their grants offering benefits to Opportunity Zones or distressed communities.			
Opportunity Zone Toolkit Volume 1: A Roadmap to Planning for Economic Development within Opportunity Zones	This document provides a roadmap to help communities plan for potential investments in Opportunity Zones by understanding local needs, aligning community assets, establishing regulatory tools and financing incentives to support investments and forming partnerships toward equitable and inclusive community development. This roadmap serves as an introductory guide for local jurisdictions to plan for economic development within Opportunity Zones. It summarizes core components of a comprehensive, forthcoming Opportunity Zone toolkit as well as resources on OpportunityZones.gov that explore these components in greater detail.	The "Opportunity Zone Toolkit Volume 1" was published on the "Opportunity Now" website under the "Local Resources" section of the website.	The Opportunity Zone Toolkit Volume 1 was published on October 1, 2019 and is located at https://opportunityzones.hud.gov/sites/opportunityzones.hud.gov/files/documents/Opportunity_Zones_Toolkit_Roadmap_FINAL_Edited_092319.pdf	Economic Development; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship; Safe Neighborhoods;
Opportunity Zone Toolkit	This document provides tips, resources and examples of best	The "Opportunity Zone Toolkit Volume 2: A Guide	The Opportunity Zone Toolkit Volume 2 was	Economic Development;

Volume 2: A Guide to Local Best Practices and Case Studies	practices to assist local leaders in developing and implementing strategies to leverage their Opportunity Zone designations for new investment and long-term economic development in their communities.	to Local Best Practices and Case Studies" was published on the "Opportunity Now" website under the "Local Resources" section of the website.	published on May 27, 2020 and is located at https://opportunityzones.hud.gov/sites/opportunityzones.hud.gov/files/documents/Opportunity_Zones_Phase2_Community_Toolkit.pdf	Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship; Safe Neighborhoods;
Pilot Procurement	The goal of the Procurement Pilot is to assess the viability of the procurement source selection method to increase Federal Government procurement opportunities available to small businesses operating out of Opportunity Zones. The Procurement Pilot also supports HUD's Small Business Program.	The Pilot Procurement source selection method gives preference in upcoming solicitations to small businesses whose principal office is located in an Opportunity Zone. The Procurement Pilot applies to procurement at or below the Simplified Acquisition Threshold (SAT), currently $250,000, and typically set aside for small businesses. Once the Pilot Procurement is completed HUD will review the results and determine next steps after the Procurement Pilot is completed.	The Pilot Procurement began on 1/1/20 and runs through 12/31/20 (Extended from original date of 6/30/20). The press release is located at: https://www.hud.gov/press/press_releases_media_advisories/HUD_No_20_012	Economic Development
Project Rental Assistance Program of	This program seeks to identify, stimulate, and support sustainable state approaches that will transform	The FY 2019 NOFA seeks to identify eligible applicants that will be able to align	FR-6300-N-53 / Grant posted on 10/9/19; closing date on 2/10/20	Economic Development

Section 811 Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities	the provision of housing for persons with disabilities while providing access to appropriate supports and services. This program provides project-based rental assistance funding to housing agencies. These funds are available to be used as project-based rental assistance for housing units integrated within multifamily properties that are set-aside for extremely low-income persons with disabilities who are eligible for community-based long-term care services and supports provided under a State Medicaid Program or other comparable long-term services program.	their Project Rental Assistance Program with state or local initiatives that will increase the supply of permanent supportive housing for persons with disabilities. The NOFA encourages grantees to consider placing units in Opportunity Zones.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Rental Assistance Demonstration – Final Implementation , Revision 4	The Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) gives public housing authorities (PHAs) a powerful tool to preserve and improve public housing properties and address the nationwide backlog of deferred maintenance. RAD also gives owners of three HUD "legacy" program (Rent Supplement, Rental Assistance Payment, and Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation) the opportunity to enter into long-term contracts that facilitate the financing of improvements. In an effort to preserve and improve critically needed	Other changes to RAD include: extending and expands on the stringent resident rights protections built into RAD; allowing a limited contract rent increase for certain converting public housing properties located in Opportunity Zones to help owners access capital for high-impact new construction and substantial rehabilitation	• FR-5630-N-13 (Federal Register Notice iD HUD-2019-22134) / Posted on 10/10/19; comments due by 11/2/19 (Closed); notice on regulations.gov • Notice: H-2019-09 PIH-2019-23 (HA) posted on 9/5/19; in effect until amended,	Economic Development

	affordable housing for low-income seniors, Congress directed HUD to implement a significant expansion of its RAD to facilitate capital investment in senior housing developments assisted through HUD's Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Project Rental Assistance Contracts (PRAC).	investments; and prioritizing conversion of public housing properties located in Opportunity Zones if there is a waiting list for the limited RAD participation authority.	superseded, or rescinded.	
Request for Information – Opportunity Zones	HUD has determined that—in light of Executive Order 13853 "Establishing the White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council"— it should undertake a substantive review of existing policies, practices, planned actions, regulations and guidance regarding HUD-administered programs. The purpose is to identify actions HUD can take to encourage beneficial investment in urban and economically distressed communities, including Opportunity Zones. In conducting this review, HUD believes that it would benefit from information and perspectives among State, local and tribal officials, experts in relevant disciplines, affected stakeholders in the private sector, and the public as a whole. HUD is, therefore, requesting information to guide and enhance this review.	The official Request for Information was published on April 17th, 2019 in the Federal Register.	FR-6155-N-01 (Federal Register Notice iD HUD 07682) / Posted on 4/17/19; comments due by 6/17/19 (Closed); notice on regulations.gov	Economic Development

Resident Opportunity & Self-Sufficiency Program	This program assists residents of Public Housing and Indian Housing make progress towards economic self-sufficiency. This program utilizes a service coordination model to ensure resident are linked to supportive services and resident empowerment activities by leveraging public and private resources.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-05 / Grant posted on 8/18/20; closing date on 11/19/20; grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-05 / Grant posted on 8/14/19; closing date on 10/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Rural Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants (RCB)	This competitive program enhances the capacity and ability of rural housing development organizations, Community Development Corporations (CDCs), Community Housing Development Organizations (CHDOs), local governments, and Indian tribes (eligible beneficiaries) to carry out affordable housing and community development activities in rural areas for the benefit of low- and moderate-income families and persons.	• Preference points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference points have been added to the program's 2018 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-08 / Grant posted on 7/28/20; closing date on 9/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6200-N-08 / Grant posted on 4/8/19; closing date on 6/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program	This program provides Capital Advance funding for the development and operation of supportive rental housing for very-low-income persons aged 62 years or older. This program provides very-low-income elderly persons with the opportunity to live	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2018 Notice of Funding Availability, as project sponsors are	FR-6200-N-52 / Grant posted on 4/4/19; closing date on 8/28/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	independently, but with important voluntary support services such as nutritional, transportation, continuing education, and/or health-related services. Capital Advance funds must be used to finance construction, reconstruction, moderate or substantial rehabilitation, or acquisition of a structure with or without rehabilitation.	encouraged to consider sites in Opportunity Zones.		
Section 203(k) Limited Program	FHA's 203(k) Rehabilitation Mortgage Insurance Program enables homebuyers and homeowners to finance both the purchase (or refinancing) of a house and the cost of its rehabilitation through a single mortgage, or to finance the rehabilitation of their existing home. Specifically, the 203(k) Limited Mortgage Program permits homebuyers and homeowners to finance rehabilitation costs into their mortgage for minor remodeling and non-structural repairs.	Under the 203(k) Limited Mortgage Program, for homebuyers seeking to purchase a home in an Opportunity Zone, and for existing homeowners with homes in Opportunity Zones, the allowable maximum total rehabilitation costs to be financed increases from $35,000 to $50,000. This expansion will allow qualified homeowners and homebuyers to more easily access mortgage credit needed to rehabilitate residential housing stock in Opportunity Zones.	Mortgagee Letter issued November 22, 2019 (visit HUD.gov). Located at https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/OCHCO/documents/19-18hsgml.pdf	Economic Development

Section 220 (Mortgage Insurance for Rental Housing)	Section 220 insures mortgages for the new construction or substantial rehabilitation of mixed-use housing projects in urban renewal areas, code enforcement areas, and other areas where local governments have undertaken designated revitalization activities.	All Opportunity Zone census tracts are now automatically eligible areas under Section 220 of the National Housing Act.	Memorandum issued July 26, 2019 (visit HUD.gov) located at https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/Housing/documents/OpportunityZonesunderSection220.pdf	Economic Development
Section 4 Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants (Section 4)	This program provides funds to national intermediaries to enhance the capacity and ability of community development corporations (CDCs) and community housing development organizations (CHDOs) to carry out affordable housing and community development activities that benefit low- and moderate-income families and persons.	Preference Points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability	FR-6300-N-07 / Grant posted on 1/9/20; closing date on 3/12/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Section 811 Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities (Capital Advance)	This program aims to expand the supply of integrated affordable housing by providing Capital Advance funding for the development of permanent supportive rental housing for very-low-income persons age 18 years or older. In addition to support for construction, Capital Advance awards provide operating subsidies in the form of a Project Rental Assistance Contract ("PRAC") to maintain ongoing affordability over the next forty years.	Preference Points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability	FR-6300-N-49 / Grant posted on 10/9/19 closing date on 2/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	These much-needed units provide persons with disabilities the opportunity to live as independently as possible within the community in an integrated environment that provides access to appropriate and voluntary supportive services.			
Self-Help Homeownership Opportunity Program (SHOP)	This program provides funds to eligible national and regional non-profit organizations and consortia to purchase home sites and develop or improve the infrastructure needed to set the state for sweat equity and volunteer-based homeownership programs for low-income persons and families.	• Preference Points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability • Preference Points have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability	• FR-6400-N-19 / Grant posted on 6/17/20; closing date on 8/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-19 / Grant posted on 7/9/19 closing date on 9/10/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Veterans Housing Rehabilitation and Modification Pilot Program	A number of America's disabled low-income veterans are in need of adaptive housing to help them regain or maintain their independence. In partnership with the Department of Veterans Affairs, this program addresses these challenges in accordance with the Carl Levin and Howard P. "Buck" McKeon National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015 (Pub. L. 113-291, enacted December 19, 2014) by awarding competitive grants to nonprofit	• Preference Points have been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Availability. • Preference Points have been added to the program's 2018 Notice of Funding Availability.	• FR-6400-N-39 / Grant posted on 6/17/20; closing date on 8/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-6300-N-39 / Grant posted on 4/25/19; closing date on 5/22/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	organizations that provide nationwide or statewide programs that primarily serve veterans and/or low-income individuals. The grants may be used to support grantees' partners in providing those services.			
		Department of Interior		
National Tribal Broadband Grant (NTBG)	The National Tribal Broadband Grant provides funding for Tribes to hire consultants to perform feasibility studies for high-speed internet deployment or expansion in Tribal communities. Funding may be used for: Assessment of current broadband services, if any, that are available to an applicant's community; Engineering assessment of new or expanded broadband services; Estimate of the cost of building or expanding a broadband network; Determination of the transmission medium(s) that will be employed; Identification of potential funding and/or financing for the network; and Consideration of financial and practical risks associated with developing a broadband network.	Preference Points have been added to the program's Solicitation for projects located in an Opportunity Zone.	See website for information. Applications are due on 5/8/19 (Closed). https://www.ruralhealthinfo.org/funding/4872	Economic Development
National Tribal Broadband	The grant provides funding to hire consultants to perform feasibility	Preference Points have been added to the	BIA-IEED-2020 / Grant posted on 4/6/20; closing	Economic Development

Grant (NTBG) Feasibility Study Funding	studies for deployment or expansion of high-speed internet (broadband) transmitted, variously, through digital subscriber line (DSL), cable modem, fiber, wireless, satellite and broadband over power lines (BPL).	program's Solicitation for projects located in an Opportunity Zone.	date on 6/15/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Native American Business Development Institute (NABDI) Grant	This grant provides technical assistance funding to hire consultants to perform feasibility studies of economic development opportunities located in designated Opportunity Zones. These grants are also intended to fund applicants to obtain qualified guidance on how the development projects, businesses, or technologies they propose can attract investments from a Qualified Opportunity Fund.	Eligibility for funding is limited to those applicants whose proposed projects, businesses, or technologies that will be located in designated Opportunity Zones.	BIA-2020-NABDI / Grant posted on 6/18/20; closing date on 9/15/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Solicitation of Proposals for Economic Development Feasibility Study Funding from the Native American Business Development Institute	Proposals from federally recognized American Indian Tribes and Alaska federally recognized Tribal entities for technical assistance funding to hire consultants to perform feasibility studies of economic development opportunities. These feasibility studies will empower American Indian Tribes/Alaska federally recognized Tribal entities and Tribal businesses to make informed decisions regarding their economic futures. Feasibility studies may concern the viability of an	Preference Points have been added to the program's Solicitation.	BIA-NABDI-2019-0001 / Grant posted on 4/1/19; closing date on 7/1/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	economic development project or business or the practicality of a technology a Tribe or entity may choose to pursue. Grant selection priority will be given to applicants whose proposals focus on businesses and projects located in Opportunity Zones.			
		Department of Justice		
Adam Walsh Act Implementation Grant Program	The Adam Walsh Act Implementation Grant Program assists jurisdictions with developing and enhancing programs designed to implement the requirements of SORNA.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	SMART-2019-14905 / Grant posted on 2/15/19; closing date on 4/18/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Adult Drug Court and Veterans Treatment Court Discretionary Grant Program (3 Categories)	The Adult Drug Court (ADC) and Veterans Treatment Court (VTC) Discretionary Grant Program provides financial and technical assistance to states, state courts, local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Indian tribal governments to enhance the operations of adult drug courts or to implement new veterans treatment courts. The competition includes: Enhancements of Adult Drug Courts and Veterans Treatment Courts; Statewide Strategies to Support Adult Drug	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17098 / Grant posted on 2/24/20; closing date on 6/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	Courts and Veterans Treatment Courts; and Implementation of Veterans Treatment Courts.			
Artificial Intelligence Research and Development to Support Community Supervision	This program awards grants to proposals for innovative, investigator-initiated technology research and development projects to apply advances in Artificial Intelligence (AI) to promote the successful reentry of offenders under community supervision.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15287 / Grant posted on 2/15/19; closing date on 5/13/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Comprehensive Anti-Gang Programs for Youth	This program awards funding for communities to develop youth gang intervention or suppression programs that aim to reduce violence. This solicitation contains two categories: (1) Intervention and (2) Suppression.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-17092 / Grant posted on 3/25/20; closing date on 5/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Site-based Program	This program awards funding in response to the opioid epidemic. The Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Site-based Program is designed to support our nation's first responders and provide for the needs of crime victims; support diversion and alternatives to incarceration programs for non-violent individuals who come in contact with the justice system as a result of the abuse of illicit and prescription opioids; implement and	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15111 / Grant posted on 4/5/19; closing date on 6/5/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	enhance prescription drug monitoring programs; promote cross-system planning and coordination of service delivery; and reduce the incidence of fatal overdoses associated with opioid use. Effective responses must be comprehensive and address the needs of the individual who is abusing drugs, as well as any children and loved ones who may be experiencing trauma, violence, and victimization.			
Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Site-based Program (COSSAP)	The Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Program (COSSAP) was developed as part of the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) legislation. COSSAP's purpose is to provide financial and technical assistance to states, units of local government, and Indian tribal governments to develop, implement, or expand comprehensive efforts to identify, respond to, treat, and support those impacted by illicit opioids, stimulants, and other drugs of abuse.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17023 / Grant posted on 2/21/20; closing date on 5/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Comprehensive School-based Approach to Youth Violence and	This program will support a comprehensive effort to address youth violence and victimization through implementing prevention, intervention	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14964 / Grant posted on 3/21/19; closing date on 5/20/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Victimization Prevention, Intervention and Accountability	and accountability efforts in a school-based setting.			
Correctional Adult Reentry Education, Employment, and Recidivism Reduction Strategies (CAREERRS) Program	This program awards funding to help communities establish education, vocation, and job training programs in their correctional systems that address employment challenges facing incarcerated youth and adults re-entering those communities and the workforce.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17104 / Grant posted on 2/28/20; closing date on 4/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Delinquency Prevention Program	This program will provide grants to eligible states or federally recognized tribes to implement evidence-based strategies to address the unmet needs of at-risk or delinquent youth through a continuum of delinquency prevention programs for juveniles who have had or who are likely to have contact with the juvenile justice system. States awarded under this grant program are required to provide subgrants to units of local government to carry out the objectives of this program. Two categories for applications are available: Tribal Delinquency Prevention Programs;	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-18132 / Grant posted on 2/21/20; closing date on 4/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	and State Delinquency Prevention Programs.			
Emergency Transitional Pet Shelter Housing and Assistance Grant Program	This program awards funding to support shelter and transitional housing services to victims of domestic violence and their companion animals. Objectives are to: (1) Increase the number of shelter beds and transitional housing options to meet the needs of victims of domestic violence who need shelter or housing for them and their companion animals. (2) Provide training to local stakeholders on the link between domestic violence and the abuse and neglect of companion animals; the needs of victims of domestic violence; best practices for providing, or referring, support services to such victims; and best practices in designing and delivering services that protect victims' confidentiality.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OVC-2020-18473 / Grant posted on 3/30/20; closing date on 5/29/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Enhancements to Juvenile Indigent Defense Systems	This program will support states and localities in developing and implementing strategies to ensure that youth involved with the juvenile justice system have fair and equal access to quality legal representation; ensure that offenders involved with the juvenile justice system have	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14927 / Grant posted on 3/6/19; closing date on 5/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	resources that address the collateral consequences of justice system involvement; and/or provide training for the juvenile indigent defense bar, including public defenders and court-appointed counsel working on behalf of juvenile indigent defendants.			
Enhancing Community Responses to America's Addiction Crisis: Serving Our Youngest Crime Victims	The program awards funds for direct services to children and youth who are crime victims as a result of the Nation's addiction crisis and training and technical assistance for the direct services grantees.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation (Grant name changed in FY 2020) • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OVC-2020-17912 / Grant posted on 3/5/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OVC-2019-15644 / Grant posted on 5/28/19; closing date on 7/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Enhancing Language and Other Access to Services	This program awards funding to enhance language access services for crime victims to break down barriers that prevent many individuals from reporting crimes and accessing the services they need after crime victimization. Funding will support the provision of direct services, the development of language access plans, and will expand the capacity of community-based organizations within linguistically specific	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OVC-2019-15654 / Grant posted on 4/26/19; closing date on 6/26/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	communities to address the needs of victims of all types of crime.			
Enhancing Services for Older Victims of Abuse and Financial Exploitation	This program awards funding to implement projects intended to improve outcomes, minimize additional trauma, and restore safety and security to older adult victims of abuse and financial exploitation.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OVC-2020-18114 / Grant posted on 3/5/20; closing date on 5/5/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Evaluation of Juvenile Corrections Executive Leadership Training	This program will award funding for a single evaluation project to examine the implementation and effectiveness of a juvenile corrections executive leadership training. The OJJDP-funded training will assist juvenile facility superintendents and other juvenile corrections personnel in their efforts to develop and implement effective facility practices and strategies for youth in their custody.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-16193 / Grant posted on 6/11/19; closing date on 8/12/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Evaluation of Project Safe Neighborhoods	This program will award funding a multi-site evaluation to assess the effectiveness of the Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) program.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15403 / Grant posted on 2/13/19; closing date on 5/1/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Evaluation of Street Law Programs	This program awards funds to conduct a single evaluation project that measures the effectiveness of two programs administered by Street Law,	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-16109 / Grant posted on 6/12/19; closing date on 8/12/19	Safe Neighborhoods

	Inc. (Street Law), as they are implemented in a two-year expansion of these programs that the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) is funding.		(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Evaluations of Services for Victims of Crime	This program awards funding for rigorous evaluations of programs that provide services for victims of crime.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15443 / Grant posted on 2/26/19; closing date on 5/6/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Expanding SANE Services to Victims of Sexual Assault on Campus	This program awards funding to establish and/or expand Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) programs that will offer medical forensic care, advocacy, and other victim services to sexual assault survivors on college campuses.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OVC-2020-18113 / Grant posted on 3/5/20; closing date on 5/7/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Family Drug Court Program	These are competitive grant awards for communities to implement or enhance Family Drug Courts.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OJJDP-2020-17090 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 4/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OJJDP-2019-15026 / Grant posted on 3/27/19; closing date on 3/19/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Field-Generated Innovations in Assistance to Victims of Human Trafficking	This program awards funding to meet the needs of a rapidly evolving anti-trafficking field, and to best serve victims of human trafficking, OVC is seeking innovative ideas to enhance identification of and services for victims. Proposed projects should develop or enhance promising practices, models, and victim-centered programs, or apply them in innovative ways, to build the capacity of victim service providers to close gaps in assisting all victims of sex and labor trafficking in the United States.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OVC-2019-15655 / Grant posted on 4/29/19; closing date on 6/27/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Improving Community Supervision Outcomes Through Swift, Certain, and Fair Responses	This program awards funding to provide state, local, and tribal community supervision agencies with information, resources, and training and technical assistance (TTA) to improve responses to client behavior in accordance with the principles of swiftness, certainty, and fairness; improve supervision outcomes; prevent recidivism; and reduce crime in their jurisdictions.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17096 / Grant posted on 2/28/20; closing date on 4/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Improving Reentry for Adults with Co-occurring Substance	The program awards funding to improve access to and delivery of services to offenders with co-occurring substance abuse and mental illness when they leave incarceration to	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15183 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Abuse and Mental Illness	reenter the community. The focus of the Program is to provide standardized screening and assessment; collaborative comprehensive case management; and pre- and post-release programming that address criminogenic risk and needs, including mental illness and substance abuse. The expectation is that jail or prison systems will develop or refine a standardized screening process for all people in the correctional facility. Further, community-based treatment providers must coordinate with corrections, correctional health, parole, and probation, as applicable, to develop collaborative comprehensive case plans to aid in the reentry process.			
Improving Reentry for Adults with Substance Use Disorders Program	The program awards funding to improve provision of services to offenders with substance use disorders when they leave incarceration to reenter the community, which in turn will help to reduce recidivism, promote public safety and recovery.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17106 / Grant posted on 2/26/20; closing date on 4/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Innovations in Community-Based Crime	This program awards funding to focus on high crime communities with concentrated distress and hot spots of	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration	• BJA-2020-17118 / Grant posted on 3/13/20; closing date	Safe Neighborhoods

Reduction Program	crime and directly supports the Department's priorities to reduce violent crime (sometimes associated with gang activity), assist communities struggling with drug abuse, and support law enforcement officers by integrating officers and enforcement strategies into community-based crime reduction efforts.	area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	on 6/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • BJA-2019-15364 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Innovations in Reentry Initiative: Building System Capacity & Testing Strategies to Reduce Recidivism	This program awards funding to state and local jurisdictions and Indian tribes with the resources to identify assets and gaps in their reentry systems and improve their overall approach to reentry.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17281 / Grant posted on 3/3/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Innovations in Supervision Initiative: Building Capacity to Create Safer Communities	This program awards funding to provide state and local community corrections agencies with information, resources, and training and technical assistance (TTA) on ways to improve supervision capacity and partnerships with other justice agencies to prevent recidivism and reduce crime in their jurisdictions. The Innovations in Supervision Initiative provides opportunities to increase community corrections agencies ability to reduce	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15226 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	crimes committed by those supervised in the community.			
Innovative Prosecution Solutions for Combating Violent Crime	This program awards funding to provide state, local, and tribal prosecutors with information, resources, and training and technical assistance (TTA) to develop effective strategies and programs to address and prosecute individuals who commit violent crime. Throughout the United States local prosecutors' offices carry attorney caseloads well above recommended levels, lack critical support staff, and rely on outdated information technology to manage their caseloads which can have a negative impact on victims, criminal defendants, and public safety. Accordingly, IPS will provide direct funding to prosecutors' offices to address reduce caseloads, improve the effectiveness and efficiency of prosecutors' processes and procedures, and provide modern technology to better manage and track cases.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17032 / Grant posted on 4/23/20; closing date on 6/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Innovative Reentry Initiatives: Building System	The program awards funding to Reduce Recidivism is to provide state and local jurisdictions and Indian tribes with the resources and training	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15250 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19	Safe Neighborhoods

Capacity & Testing Strategies to Reduce Recidivism	and technical assistance (TTA) necessary to identify assets and gaps in their reentry systems and to develop capacity and partnerships to provide services that prevent recidivism, reduce crime, and improve public safety in their jurisdictions.		(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Innovative Responses to Behavior in the Community: Swift, Certain, and Fair Supervision	The program awards funding to provide state and local parole and probation agencies with information, resources, and training and technical assistance (TTA) to improve responses to offender behavior in accordance with the principles of swiftness, certainty, and fairness, in order to prevent recidivism and reduce crime in their jurisdictions. Through this grant announcement, BJA will select multiple applicants to develop, implement, or enhance an SCF Program model.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15224 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Investigator-Initiated Research and Evaluation on Firearm Violence	This program provides grants for research and program evaluation projects that inform efforts to prevent and reduce intentional, interpersonal firearm violence and public mass shootings in the United States.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17327 / Grant posted on 1/30/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grnts.gov • NIJ-2019-15288 / Grant posted on 2/26/19; closing date on 4/29/19	Safe Neighborhoods

			(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program	The program awards funding to support cross-system collaboration to improve responses and outcomes for individuals with mental illnesses (MI) or co-occurring mental illness and substance abuse (CMISA) who come into contact with the justice system. This program supports officer and public safety and violence reduction through social service and other partnerships that will enhance and increase law enforcement responses to people with MI and CMISA.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15099 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Justice Reinvestment Initiative: Reducing Violent Crime by Improving Justice System Performance	This program awards funding to develop and implement innovative and research-based responses that address a range of criminal justice system problems. It employs the Justice Reinvestment approach to criminal justice which recognizes that every justice agency has a role to play in preventing crime, apprehending and prosecuting perpetrators, ensuring efficient and effective court and pretrial decision making, facilitating appropriate sentencing and treatment, and protecting community security.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17093 / Grant posted on 3/2/20; closing date on 5/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Program	These are competitive grant awards for communities to implement or enhance Juvenile Treatment Drug Courts.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OJJDP-2020-17051 / Grant posted on 1/29/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OJJDP-2019-15032 / Grant posted on 3/29/19; closing date on 5/30/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program (JJMHCP)	This program awards funding to support cross-system collaboration to improve responses and outcomes for youth with mental illness (MI) or co-occurring MI and substance abuse (CMISA) who come into contact with the juvenile justice system. This program supports public safety efforts through partnerships with juvenile justice, mental health and substance abuse agencies to enhance responses to justice-involved youth with MI and CMISA.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-17927 / Grant posted on 3/4/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Juvenile Justice System Enhancements	This program awards funding to support states, territories, tribal communities, and units of local government to develop, implement, and test innovative and research-based responses to crime and other public safety and community	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-18134 / Grant posted on 2/25/20; closing date on 4/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	challenges, as identified through data analysis. Challenges may include chronic crime problems, emerging crime problems, issues related to investigating and prosecuting online child exploitation, or barriers to juvenile justice agencies' ability to address such problems, including those related to juvenile arrest, detention, referral to court, diversion, adjudication, disposition to probation, out-of-home-placement, other sanctions or services, and aftercare.			
Law Enforcement-Based Victim Specialist Program	This program awards funding to support direct victim assistance service grants to state, tribal, and local law enforcement agencies in small, mid-sized, and large jurisdictions to hire staff to develop new or enhance existing law enforcement-based victim service programs, better coordinate services, and develop partnerships with community-based programs to address the needs of crime victims. A strong focus will be placed on reaching victims in high-crime areas and improving services to these crime victims.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OVC-2020-17556 / Grant posted on 2/19/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OVC-2019-15600 / Grant posted on 5/28/19; closing date on 7/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Local Law Enforcement	The program awards funding to state and local government entities that are	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area	BJA-2019-15053 / Grant posted on 4/23/19;	Safe Neighborhoods

Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Initiative	experiencing precipitous increases in gun crime to implement comprehensive and holistic models to reduce violent crime and illegal firearms within their jurisdictions by enabling them to integrate with their local ATF Crime Gun Intelligence Centers (CGICs). The purpose of this initiative is to encourage local jurisdictions to work with their ATF partners to utilize intelligence, technology, and community engagement to swiftly identify firearms used unlawfully and their sources, and effectively prosecute perpetrators engaged in violent crime.	for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	closing date on 6/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Measuring the Impact of Victim Services: Instrument Development	This program awards funding to develop a tool for use by victim service providers, relevant government entities, and victim service-provider funding administrators to assess the effectiveness of victim service programming.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15594 / Grant posted on 2/27/19; closing date on 5/16/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Mentoring Opportunities for Youth Initiative	This program awards funding for youth mentoring services (1:1, group or peer) provided by National and Multi-State mentoring organizations as well as mentoring for specific populations. Specific category titles might include: National Mentoring	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration	• OJJDP-2020-16930 / Grant posted on 2/12/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OJJDP-2019-15004 / Grant posted on	Safe Neighborhoods

	Programs; Multi-State Mentoring Programs; Mentoring Programs for Youth Involved in the Juvenile Justice System; Mentoring Strategies for Youth Impacted by Opioids; and Statewide and Regional Mentoring Initiative for Youth Impacted by Opioids.	area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	2/20/19; closing date on 4/22/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
National Community Courts Site-based and Training and Technical Assistance Initiative	This program awards funding to support efforts by state, local, and federally recognized Indian tribal governments to establish and enhance community courts in their jurisdictions.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17249 / Grant posted on 3/2/20; closing date on 5/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
National Sexual Assault Kit Initiative (SAKI)	This program awards funding to support multidisciplinary community response teams to inventory, track, and test previously unsubmitted SAKs; collect and test lawfully owed DNA from offenders/arrestees; produce necessary protocols and policies to improve collaboration among laboratories, police, prosecutors, and victim service providers; provide resources to address the sexual assault investigations and prosecutions that result from evidence and CODIS hits produced by tested SAKs; and	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17018 / Grant posted on 2/27/20; closing date on 4/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	optimize victim notification protocols and services.			
Opioid Affected Youth Initiative	This program awards funding to support the efforts of states, communities, tribal jurisdictions, nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations and institutions of higher education to implement programs and strategies that identify, respond to, treat, and support children, youth, and families impacted by the opioid epidemic.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-17352 / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grants Program	This program awards funding to improve forensic science and medical examiner/coroner services, including services provided by laboratories operated by States and units of local government. Among other things, funds may be used to eliminate a backlog in the analysis of forensic evidence and to train and employ forensic laboratory personnel, as needed, to eliminate such a backlog. The Coverdell Act requires that 15 percent of program funds be awarded competitively. These competitive funds may be awarded to SAAs or dispersed directly to units of local government based on the merits of the respective applications. This	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15504 / Grant posted on 4/5/19; closing date on 6/4/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	solicitation will fund competitive awards only.			
Preventing School Violence: BJA's STOP School Violence Program	This program awards funding to improve school security by providing students and teachers with the tools they need to recognize, respond quickly to, and help prevent acts of violence. The goal of this program is to address specific areas of concern related to preventing and reducing school violence. The program's objective is to increase school safety by implementing training and school threat assessments and/or intervention teams to identify school violence risks among students; technological solutions such as anonymous reporting technology that can be implemented as a mobile phone-based app, a hotline, or a website in the applicant's geographic area to enable students, teachers, faculty, and community members to anonymously identify threats of school violence; or other school safety strategies that assist in preventing violence.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17312 / Grant posted on 3/11/20; closing date on 6/9/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Preventing Trafficking of Girls	This program awards funding to organizations that support prevention and early intervention programs for	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area	OJJDP-2020-17412 / Grant posted on 4/8/20; closing date on 5/26/20	Safe Neighborhoods

	girls who are at risk of or are victims of sex trafficking.	for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Prosecuting Cold Cases Using DNA	This program provides funding to support the prosecution of violent crime cold cases, where DNA from a suspect has been identified (suspect(s) may be known or unknown). Provided that DNA attributed to a known or unknown suspect has been identified, funding support includes investigative activities and crime and forensic analyses that could lead to prosecuting violent crime cold cases and decreasing the number of violent crime cold cases awaiting prosecution.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-18432 / Grant posted on 4/17/20; closing date on 6/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Reducing Risk for Girls in the Juvenile Justice System	This program awards funding to support prevention and early intervention strategies for girls who are involved in the juvenile justice system.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-17412 / Grant posted on 3/31/20; closing date on 6/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation in Safety, Health, and Wellness in the Criminal Justice System	This program will award funding for multidisciplinary research projects addressing four topics: 1) The cumulative effects of shift-work schedules, overtime, and secondary employment on the health, safety, performance, and quality of life of police or correctional officers. 2) Enhancing strategies for officer	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15283 / Grant posted on 3/11/19; closing date on 5/28/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	interaction with individuals presenting with mental illness. 3) Understanding the impact and management of stress, burnout, and vicarious trauma to advance resiliency of the forensic science workforce. 4) The impact of undercover work on officer wellness.			
Research and Evaluation of Trafficking in Persons	This program provides grants for research projects that — first and foremost — have clear implications for criminal justice policy and practice in the United States. This year, NIJ is particularly interested in research responding to the following priority areas: Labor trafficking research; Demand reduction research; Research on the health and wellness effects of trafficking victimization; and Research on profiling and recruitment.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17324 / Grant posted on 1/21/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15231 / Grant posted on 2/26/19; closing date on 5/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation on Domestic Terrorism Prevention	This program awards funding to research aimed at building knowledge and evidence related to strategies for effective prevention of terrorism in the United States.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17311 / Grant posted on 1/22/20 / closing date on 4/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15303 / Grant posted on 2/12/19; closing date on 4/22/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Research and Evaluation on Drugs and Crime	This program provides grants for research that promotes effective law enforcement, court, and corrections responses to illegal drug markets (including diversion of legal drugs).	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17275 / Grant posted on 1/30/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15444 / Grant posted on 2/14/19; closing date on 5/6/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation on Gangs and Gang Violence	This program awards funding for scientifically rigorous research and evaluation projects designed to produce findings with high practical utility for youth and adult gang prevention, intervention, enforcement, or reentry strategies.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15270 / Grant posted on 2/13/19; closing date on 4/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation on Policing	This program awards funding for investigator-initiated, randomized controlled trial (RCT) studies of approaches to the challenges of policing in the United States that address the strategic priorities and objectives identified in NIJ's Policing Strategic Research Plan, 2017-2022.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17297 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15543 / Grant posted on 2/7/19; closing date on 5/7/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Research and Evaluation on Promising Reentry Initiatives	This program awards funding for rigorous research to examine reentry initiatives that incorporate promising practices, strategies, or programs; with a focus on offenders with a moderate-to-high risk of reoffending.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 and 2019 Solicitations.	• NIJ-2020-17295 / Grant posted on 1/23/20; closing date on 5/5/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15563 / Grant posted on 1/17/19; closing date on 5/13/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation on the Administration of Justice	This program awards funding for funding for investigator-initiated, interdisciplinary research and evaluation projects related to the administration of justice in three areas: (1) eyewitness evidence; (2) police deflection strategies; and (3) forensic science testimony.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15645 / Grant posted on 2/5/19; closing date on 4/19/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluation on Violence Against Women	This program awards funding for research to support objective and independent knowledge and validated tools to reduce violence against women, promote justice for victims of crime, and enhance criminal justice responses to such crimes.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17331 / Grant posted on 1/24/20; closing date on 4/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15365 / Grant posted on 2/13/19; closing date on 4/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Research and Evaluation on White Collar Crime: Health Care and Elder Fraud	This program supports scientifically rigorous research, and evaluation projects that will advance our understanding of these types of crime and effective approaches for identifying, preventing, investigating, and prosecuting them.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15383 / Grant posted on 2/15/19; closing date on 5/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research and Evaluations of Victims of Crime	This program awards funding for formative evaluations, evaluability assessments, and/or evaluations of victims of crime service programs. The National Institute of Justice is interested in evaluations of different types of victim services including, but not limited to, programs embedded in hospitals/trauma centers; umbrella/network organizations; one-stop victim services programs; and/or programs embedded in criminal justice agencies.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	NIJ-2020-17326 / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research into Desistance from Crime	This program will award funding to build upon NIJ's past research efforts to understand and aid in accelerating the process of desistance from crime.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15527 / Grant posted on 2/12/19; closing date on 4/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Research into Immigration and Crime	This program awards funds for research projects that increase understanding of the relationship	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	• NIJ-2020-17310 / Grant posted on 1/29/20; closing date on 4/1/20	Safe Neighborhoods

	between immigration, both legal and illegal, and crime.	• Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov • NIJ-2019-15588 / Grant posted on 2/28/19; closing date on 5/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Second Chance Act Addressing the Needs of Incarcerated Parents with Minor Children	This program will promote and expand services in detention and correctional facilities to incarcerated individuals who have children younger than age 18. Program activities include developing strategies to increase and enhance communication between the child and his or her incarcerated parent while maintaining safe facilities, and providing transitional reentry services that incorporate a focus on parental responsibility for incarcerated parents and ensuring that youth with an incarcerated parent receive services that support positive youth development.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• Fiscal Year 2020 Grant: OJJDP-2020-16831 / Grant posted on 1/10/20; closing date on 3/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Fiscal Year 2019 Grant: OJJDP-2019-14931 / Grant posted on 2/13/19; closing date on 4/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Second Chance Act Community-Based Reentry Program	This program awards funding to implement or expand on reentry programs that demonstrate strong partnerships with corrections, parole, probation, and other reentry service providers. These partnerships should develop comprehensive case	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17110 / Grant posted on 3/4/20; closing date on 5/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	management plans that directly address criminogenic risk and needs, as determined by validated criminogenic risk assessments, and include delivery or facilitation of services.			
Second Chance Act Comprehensive Community-Based Adult Reentry Program	The program awards funding for supporting organizations or tribes providing comprehensive reentry services to program participants throughout their transition from jail or prison to the community. Under this solicitation, BJA is seeking applications to implement or expand on reentry programs that demonstrate strong partnerships with corrections, parole, probation, law enforcement, and other reentry service providers. These partnerships should develop comprehensive case management plans that directly address criminogenic risk and needs, as determined by validated criminogenic risk assessments, and includes delivery or facilitation of services in a manner consistent with the learning styles and abilities of the participants. This includes ensuring cognitive behavioral programming is in place pre-release, whether by the lead applicant or a partnering agency.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15223 / Grant posted on 4/8/19; closing date on 6/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Second Chance Act Evaluation Participation Support	The program awards funding for supporting organizations or tribes providing comprehensive reentry services to program participants throughout their transition from jail or prison to the community. Under this solicitation, BJA is seeking applications to implement or expand on reentry programs that demonstrate strong partnerships with corrections, parole, probation, law enforcement, and other reentry service providers. These partnerships should develop comprehensive case management plans that directly address criminogenic risk and needs, as determined by validated criminogenic risk assessments, and includes delivery or facilitation of services in a manner consistent with the learning styles and abilities of the participants. This includes ensuring cognitive behavioral programming is in place pre-release, whether by the lead applicant or a partnering agency.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17680 / Grant posted on 2/27/20; closing date on 5/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Second Chance Act Pay for Success Initiative: Outcomes-based Contracting To	This program awards funding to assist local, state, and tribal governments in converting reentry service contracts into outcomes-based contracts in order to ensure accountability and improve performance with regard to	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17237 / Grant posted on 3/11/20; closing date on 6/9/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Lower Recidivism and Address Substance Use Disorders Through Reentry and Housing Services	recidivism reduction. This program will provide assistance and funding to state, local, and tribal governments to price, write, negotiate, fund, and manage contracts that pay for these services in a way that ensures accountability of the contract service providers, and incentivizes improved performance over time. Contracted services that may be purchased with grant funds include recovery housing and other types of reentry services which are tailored to individuals leaving incarceration who are at moderate to high risk for recidivism in the community.			
Second Chance Act Pay for Success Initiative: Outcomes-Based Contracting to Lower Recidivism and Homelessness	The program awards funding to provide assistance and funding to state, local, and tribal governments to price, write, negotiate, fund, and manage contracts that pay for these services in a way that ensures accountability of the contract service providers, and incentivizes improved performance over time. Contracted services that may be purchased with grant funds include reentry services which are tailored to individuals leaving incarceration who are at moderate to high risk for recidivism in the community and services available	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-16890 / Grant posted on 8/13/19; closing date on 10/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	to individuals living in permanent supportive housing units.			
Second Chance Act Youth Offender Reentry Program	The program awards funding to help juvenile participants released from residential confinement to successfully transition back into society. This solicitation will support the delivery of a variety of evidence-based services while the offender is still confined and during his or her reentry into the community to ensure that the juvenile's transition is safe and successful. Sites funded under this program will provide juvenile offenders in confinement and following their release to the community with services, including: educational, vocational, and job placement services; substance abuse treatment; coordinated supervision and services upon release from confinement, including transitional/permanent housing and mental and physical health care; and victim appropriate services.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OJJDP-2020-17350 / Grant posted on 2/26/20; closing date on 4/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OJJDP-2019-15036 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Services for Victims of Human Trafficking	This program awards funding to develop, expand, or strengthen victim service programs for victims of human trafficking. Apply under the following three purpose areas (PAs).	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OVC-2020-18332 / Grant posted on 3/16/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Sexual Assault Forensic Evidence - Inventory, Tracking, and Reporting	This program awards funding for applications from eligible States and units of local government that will inventory, track, and report the status of SAKs. As an integral part of these activities, applicants also are expected to identify and prioritize (for testing) SAKs for which prosecution of a perpetrator is soon to be barred by the expiration of an applicable statute(s) of limitations.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	NIJ-2019-15528 / Grant posted on 4/1/19; closing date on 5/20/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Specialized Services and Mentoring for Child and Youth Victims of Sex Trafficking and Sexual Exploitation	The program awards funding to support the efforts of organizations to develop or enhance their mentoring capacity, facilitate outreach efforts, and increase the availability of direct services for child and youth victims of commercial sexual exploitation and domestic sex trafficking. Under this initiative, experienced organizations work with OJJDP's existing training and technical assistance provider to develop or enhance mentoring service models and mentor training based on best practices to focus on the needs of girls and boys, who are at risk or are victims of commercial sexual exploitation and domestic sex trafficking.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14988 / Grant posted on 5/28/19; closing date on 7/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

STOP School Violence Grant Program	The program awards funding for the STOP School Violence program that is designed to improve school security by providing students and teachers with the tools they need to recognize, respond quickly to, and help prevent acts of violence. Funding supports two programs: 1) Develop and implement threat assessment and/or intervention teams; and 2) Train school personnel and educate students on preventing student violence.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17313 / Grant posted on 12/31/19; closing date on 3/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
STOP School Violence Technology and Threat Assessment Solutions for Safer Schools Program	The program awards funding to support efforts by state, local, and federally-recognized Indian tribes to prevent and reduce school violence. Specifically, the BJA program will address: (1) training school personnel and students to prevent student violence; (2) development and operation of anonymous reporting systems against threats of school violence, including mobile telephone applications, hotlines, and websites; and (3) development and operation of school threat assessment and crisis intervention teams that may include coordination with law enforcement agencies and school personnel. In addition, the program may fund specialized training for school officials	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15118 / Grant posted on 4/8/19; closing date on 6/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	in intervening and responding to individuals with mental health issues that may impact school safety. This solicitation specifically seeks applications that address the development and operation of school threat assessment and crisis intervention teams and the development of technology for local or regional anonymous reporting systems. This technology may be in the form of an app, hotline, or website. The proposed technology solutions may be those that could be used during an incident to assist in securing the safety of those involved, to include sharing information with first responders.			
Strategies for Policing Innovation	The program awards funding to provide resources and opportunities to enable police agencies to identify and define their most pressing crime problems and institute lasting operational and organizational changes that foster reliance on and effective use of evidence-based practices, data, and technology.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	BJA-2019-15126 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/11/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Strategies To Support Children	This program awards funding for communities to develop and provide support services for children exposed to violence. Funding under this	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2020-17926 / Grant posted on 2/25/20; closing date on 4/27/20	Safe Neighborhoods

Exposed to Violence	program can be used to develop support services for children exposed to violence in their homes, schools, and communities; and to develop, enhance, and implement violent crime reduction strategies that focus on violent juvenile offenders.		(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Strengthening the Medical Examiner-Coroner System Program	nationwide for two purpose areas: supporting forensic pathology fellowship; and providing resources necessary for medical examiner and coroner offices to achieve accreditation.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-18435 / Grant posted on 4/16/20; closing date on 6/15/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Supporting Effective Interventions for Adolescent Sex Offenders and Youth with Sexual Behavior Problems	This program awards funding for project sites to develop a community-based, multidisciplinary, comprehensive approach to responding to youth with sexual behavior problems, their child victims, and their families as well as a training and technical assistance provider to support project sites in developing intervention models. The purpose of this program is to prevent sexual reoffending, promote healing, and provide services for victims and families. The program will focus on interfamilial and/or co-residential child victims and youth with problematic sexual behaviors.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-15003 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	Examples of these types of sexual behaviors include, but are not limited to, sexual contact between children who do not know each other well (i.e., foster home or institutional setting); sexual contact between children of different ages, sizes, and developmental levels; aggressive or coerced sexual contact; sexual contact that causes harm to the child or others; and sexual contact that causes another child to be highly upset and/or fearful. Applicants should propose comprehensive, evidence-based intervention strategies for serving both the child victim(s) and the youth with sexual behavior problems and their parents/caregivers.			
Supporting Victims of Gang Violence	The program awards funding to support the efforts of communities to promote justice and healing for juvenile victims and their families as well as witnesses that have been affected by gang violence in their community. Under this initiative, organizations working closely with the criminal justice system will provide comprehensive victim assistance services to ensure that youth (and their families) impacted by gang	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14992 / Grant posted on 4/8/19; closing date on 6/10/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	violence are not further traumatized and have adequate supports to feel safe in their community. This may include emergency crisis response, referrals for services, post-trial notification, and liaison services during the legal process. In addition, similar services will be provided to youth witnesses of gang violence.			
The Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program	This program awards funding to support cross-system collaboration to improve responses and outcomes for individuals with mental illnesses (MI) or co-occurring mental illness and substance abuse (CMISA) who come into contact with the justice system. This program supports officer and public safety and violence reduction through social service and other partnerships that will enhance and increase law enforcement responses to people with MI and CMISA.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation.	BJA-2020-17114 / Grant posted on 3/19/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Transforming America's Response to Elder Abuse: Enhanced Multidisciplinary Teams (E-MDTs) for Older	This program will support the development and/or enhancement of multidisciplinary teams (MOT) and to strengthen the capacity of "enhanced MDTs" to better identify and respond to cases of abuse and more comprehensively serve and support victims of elder abuse and financial	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OVC-2019-15656 / Grant posted on 6/7/19; closing date on 7/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Victims of Abuse and Financial Exploitation	exploitation by also funding a National Elder Abuse Training and Technical Assistance Center. Through these E-MDTs, the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) hopes to improve case outcomes while minimizing additional trauma and restoring safety and security to older adult victims of crime and potentially hold offenders accountable.			
Using Telehealth to Improve Care, Access and Quality of Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	This program seeks to develop or enhance statewide or regional telehealth programs to improve the quality of healthcare for sexual assault victims, increase the quality of forensic evidence collection, and expand the reach of Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANE) services through telehealth for communities with limited access to trained SANEs.	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OVC-2019-15646 / Grant posted on 6/7/19; closing date on 7/17/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Youth Gang Desistance / Diversion Grant Program	This program awards funding for focus on targeted efforts to reduce gang activity by focusing on strategies to disrupt recruitment and incentivize desistance by supporting programs that offer alternative support mechanisms for youth. Law enforcement and prosecutorial agencies will be critical partners for this proposed initiative. Funding to	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14983 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	prosecutorial and law enforcement agencies would support diversion activities as well as targeted incentives such as tattoo removal and life skill training for youthful gang members seeking to desist from gang activity.			
Youth Gang Suppression Implementation Grants Program	The program awards funding to support jurisdictions with an established gang presence to coordinate gang suppression efforts and activities by prosecutorial and law enforcement agencies. OJJDP has a long history of supporting community efforts to combat gang crime. Through OJJDP's Comprehensive Gang Model, communities can implement a comprehensive approach to gang crime and youth violence reduction. Suppression is a key component of OJJDP's Comprehensive Gang Model. Focused deterrence and suppression strategies can dissuade individuals and gangs from committing crimes. Such approaches highlight the punishments or legal recourse that will ensue in the commission of a crime and discourage the person or group from committing crimes in the future. These efforts, coupled with the other key components of the Comprehensive Gang Model, offer a	Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	OJJDP-2019-14932 / Grant posted on 4/23/19; closing date on 6/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	holistic approach to support the efforts of law enforcement in combatting gang crime and promote public safety in communities. Eligible applicants will be required to implement OJJDP's Comprehensive Gang Model by working with the National Gang Center, and may use grant funds to support gang suppression activities.			
Youth Mentoring (For Opioid Impacted Youth)	This program provides grant funding to organizations to recruit and train mentors and provide mentoring services for youth.	• Opportunity Zones are a priority consideration area for selection in the 2020 Solicitation. • Opportunity Zones were a priority consideration area for selection in the 2019 Solicitation.	• OJJDP-2020-17352 / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OJJDP-2019-15035 / Grant posted on 3/5/19; closing date on 5/7/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Department of Labor

Apprenticeships: Closing the Skills Gap	The grant has the following overarching goals: 1) to accelerate the expansion of apprenticeships to new industry sectors and occupations, such as cybersecurity and those involving artificial intelligence; (2) to promote	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ODEP-19-09 / Grant posted on 6/24/19; closing date on 9/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	the large-scale expansion of apprenticeships across the nation to a range of employers, including small- and medium-sized employers; and (3) to increase apprenticeship opportunities for all Americans.			
Capacity Building Developmental and Capacity Building Pilot	The grant program offers opportunities for nonprofit organizations to compete annually for funding so they may develop and conduct training and educational programs for small business employers and workers on the recognition, avoidance, and prevention of occupational safety and health hazards in their workplaces, and to inform workers of their rights and employers of their responsibilities under the OSH Act.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	SHTG-FY-19-03 / Grant posted on 5/3/19; closing date on 7/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
H-1B One Workforce Grant Program	The purpose of this grant program is to fill critical shortages in economic regions by encouraging states and economic regions to work with industry stakeholders to develop dynamic workforce strategies that train workers and jobseekers for middle- to high-skilled H-1B occupations in key industry sectors, such as Information Technology (IT), advanced manufacturing, and	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ETA-20-13 / Grant posted on 9/24/20; closing date on 11/12/20; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	transportation that are being transformed by technological advancements and automation, as well as other industries of the future that include artificial intelligence (AI), quantum information sciences (QIS), 5G/advanced communications, and biotechnology.			
H-1B Rural Healthcare Grant Program	The intent of this grant program is to alleviate healthcare workforce shortages by creating sustainable employment and training programs in healthcare occupations (including behavioral and mental healthcare) serving rural populations.	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ETA-20-12 / Grant posted on 9/14/20; closing date on 11/13/20; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program	This is an annual competitive grant program that serves homeless veterans by providing occupational skills training, apprenticeship opportunities, and on-the-job training, in addition to job search and placement services.	• Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement. • Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	• FOA-VETS-20-01 / Grant posted on 3/27/20; closing date on 4/27/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FOA-VETS-19-01 / Grant posted on 3/27/19; closing date on 4/26/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Jobs Corps Scholars Program	This grant is for accredited, two-year, public community colleges; accredited, public two- and four-year historically Black colleges and universities (HBCUs); and accredited tribally controlled colleges and universities (TCCUs). Grantees must enroll Job Corps eligible youth and provide those enrolled with intensive counseling services to support and facilitate each student's employment and career success.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	FOA-ETA-20-03 / Grant posted on 10/23/19; closing date on 1/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
National Employer Policy, Research, and Technical Assistance Center on the Employment of People with Disabilities	This solicitation is a re-competition of an existing cooperative agreement. The work done under the new Center will build upon the prior work of ODEP's Employer Assistance and Resource Network on Disability Inclusion (EARN). The new Center, which will retain the name EARN, will continue to conduct research; engage with the business community; identify effective policies and practices that support business needs; and provide resources, technical assistance, and training to help public and private sector employers (including Federal contractors) recruit, hire, retain, and advance individuals with disabilities.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	FOA-ODEP-19-01 / Grant posted on 4/22/19; closing date on 6/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

National Policy Development Center for Preparing Youth and Young Adults with Disabilities for Employment	This grant has a critical focus for the Center that will be supporting the development, implementation, and integration of evidence-based effective practices and policies for improving transition outcomes for youth and young adults with disabilities. The Center will use the Guideposts for Success as a transition framework and recognize that youth, families, educators, workforce professionals, and other stakeholders must work together to increase employment expectations for youth with disabilities. The Center will build capacity within and across both general and disability-specific youth service delivery systems to improve employment and post-secondary education outcomes for youth with disabilities.	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ODEP-19-02 / Grant posted on 6/20/19; closing date on 7/23/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Pathway Home	The purpose of this pilot program is to provide eligible, incarcerated individuals in state correctional facilities or local jails with workforce services prior to release and to continue services after release by transitioning the participants into reentry programs in the communities to which they will return. These grants are job-driven and build connections	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ETA-20-02 / Grant posted on 3/5/20; closing date on 4/15/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	to local employers that will enable transitioning offenders to secure employment.			
Re-Employment Support and Training for the Opioid Related Epidemic, RESTORE Grant Program	These grants will directly address the employment needs of women affected by the opioid crisis and combat its impact in some of the hardest hit areas of the country. Applicants will establish and/or build on cooperative relationships among service providers and key stakeholders in order to train and employ women workers who have been adversely affected by the opioid crisis. Applicants may propose to serve women workers in communities impacted by the health and economic effects of widespread opioid use, addiction, and overdose. The grants are intended to provide employment training, career services, and supportive services to women who have been directly or indirectly affected by the opioid crisis in order to support positive outcomes for women participants.	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-WB-19-02 / Grant posted on 7/24/19; closing date on 8/23/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Reentry Projects (RP-3) - Adults	This program awards funding to enhance reentry strategies through collaboration with the field to identify and respond to emerging or chronic reentry challenges. This initiative	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's	FOA-ETA-19-01-A (Adults) / Grant posted on 3/25/19; closing date on 4/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	intends to assist communities in planning and implementing comprehensive reentry programs to help formerly incarcerated adults who have been involved in the adult justice system make successful transitions back to the community.	2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.		
Reentry Projects (RP-3) - Young Adults	This program awards funding to enhance reentry strategies through collaboration with the field to identify and respond to emerging or chronic reentry challenges. This initiative intends to assist communities in planning and implementing comprehensive reentry programs to help young adults who have been involved in the juvenile justice system make successful transitions back to the community.	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ETA-19-01-YA (Young Adults) / Grant posted on 3/25/19; closing date on 4/25/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
Retaining Employment and Talent after Injury/Illness Network (RETAIN) Demonstration Projects – Phase 2	This program awards funding to implement and evaluate promising early intervention strategies to support injured or ill workers in remaining at or returning to work. The awardees will accomplish this by providing coordinated health and employment services to these workers starting within 12 weeks of work disability onset, and continuing for up	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ODEP-21-01 / Grant posted on 10/15/20; closing date on 1/15/21; grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	to six (6) months after RETAIN program entry.			
Strengthening Community Colleges Training Grants	The Strengthening Community Colleges Training Grants program (referred to as Strengthening Community Colleges or SCC) will build the capacity of community colleges to collaborate with employers and the public workforce development system to meet local and regional labor market demand for a skilled workforce. The purpose of this grant is (1) to increase the capacity and responsiveness of community colleges to address the skill development needs of employers and dislocated and unemployed workers, incumbent workers, and new entrants to the workforce; (2) to offer this spectrum of workers and other individuals accelerated career pathways that enable them to gain skills and transition from unemployment to (re)employment quickly; and (3) to address the new challenges associated with the COVID-19 health crisis that necessitate social distancing practices and expanding online and technology-enabled learning and migrating services to a virtual environment.	Preference points for Opportunity Zone applicants have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement.	FOA-ETA-20-07 / Grant posted on 7/8/20; closing date on 10/8/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Susan Harwood Targeted Topic Training Grants	The grant program offers opportunities for nonprofit organizations to compete annually for funding so they may develop and conduct training and educational programs for small business employers and workers on the recognition, avoidance, and prevention of occupational safety and health hazards in their workplaces, and to inform workers of their rights and employers of their responsibilities under the OSHAct.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	SHTG-FY-19-01 / Grant posted on 5/3/19; closing date on 7/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development; Safe Neighborhoods
Susan Harwood Training and Educational Materials Development	The grant program offers opportunities for nonprofit organizations to compete annually for funding so they may develop classroom quality occupational safety and health training for workers and employers on one of the OSHA-specified topics.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	SHTG-FY-19-02 / Grant posted on 5/3/19; closing date on 7/2/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development; Safe Neighborhoods
The National Farmworker Jobs Program (NFJP) Career Services and Training Grants and Housing Grants	The purpose of this program is to counter chronic unemployment and underemployment experienced by migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their dependents who depend primarily on jobs in agricultural labor performed across the country.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	FOA-ETA-20-08 / Grant posted on 4/14/20; closing date on 5/14/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Women in Apprenticeship and Nontraditional Occupations ("WANTO") Technical Assistance Grant Program	These grants provide funding to community-based organizations to encourage employment of women in apprenticeships and nontraditional occupations (A/NTO), specifically by: Developing (establishing, expanding, and/or enhancing) pre-apprenticeship, apprenticeship, or other nontraditional skills training programs designed to prepare women for careers in A/NTO; Providing ongoing orientations or other resources for employers, unions, and workers on creating a successful environment for women in A/NTO; and/or Setting up support groups, facilitating networks, and/or providing supportive services for women in A/NTO to improve their retention.	• Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding • Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	• FOA-WB-20-01 / Grant posted on 7/2/20; closing date on 8/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FOA-WB 19-01 / Grant posted on 6/6/19; closing date on 7/8/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development; Safe Neighborhoods
Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities (WORC): A Grant Initiative for the Appalachian and Delta Regions	These grants will enable eligible applicants within the Appalachian and Delta regions to expand the impact of existing workforce development initiatives, as well as provide valuable career, training, and support services to eligible individuals in counties and parishes and/or areas currently underserved by other resources. These grants support workforce development activities that prepare	• For the 2020 Applications: Applicants must demonstrate at least one census tract in the service area is classified as an Opportunity Zone and will receive full amount of points. • For the 2019 Applications: Applicants must demonstrate at least	• FOA-ETA-20-04 / Grant posted on 4/30/20; closing date on 7/29/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FOA-ETA-19-08 / Grant posted on 5/15/19; closing date on 7/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	dislocated workers, new entrants to the workforce, and incumbent workers for good jobs in high-demand occupations aligned with a regional or community economic development strategy.	one census tract in the service area is classified as an Opportunity Zone and will receive full amount of points.		
Young Adult Reentry Partnership (YARP)	This program awards funding to partner organizations that provide reentry services with community colleges to provide education and training services to improve the employment outcomes for young adults involved in the criminal justice system. These projects ensure that young adults transitioning from the criminal justice system are prepared to meet the needs of their local labor markets with the skills required by employers. Applicants must establish a partnership with the criminal justice system. In addition, applicants must also establish partnerships through their sub-grantees with community colleges that have designed their courses and career pathways/guided pathways program curricula to ensure relevance to the needs of local industries and jobs.	Bonus points awarded in the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding if a sub-grantee has at least one-census tract in their target area designated as a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	FOA-ETA-20-05 / Grant posted on 3/15/20; closing date on 4/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Youth Apprenticeship Readiness Grant Program	This program awards funding to support the development of new or the expansion of existing Registered Apprenticeship Programs (RAP) for youth. This also includes quality pre-apprenticeship programs that lead to a RAP.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2020 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	FOA-ETA-20-06 / Grant posted on 4/6/20; closing date on 5/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development
YouthBuild	These grants are to organizations providing pre-apprenticeship services that support education, occupational skills training, and employment services to at-risk youth, ages 16 to 24, while performing meaningful work and service to their communities. In addition to construction skills training, YouthBuild applicants may include occupational skills training in other in-demand industries. This expansion into additional in-demand industries is the Construction Plus component, a priority in this grant competition.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Funding Opportunity Announcement / Notice of Available Funding	FOA-ETA-19-04 / Grant posted on 6/6/19; closing date on 8/6/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

Department of Transportation

Accelerated Innovation Deployment Demonstration	The Accelerated Innovation Deployment (AID) Demonstration provides incentive funding for any project activities eligible for assistance under title 23, U.S.C. in any phase of a	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Revised	FHWA-2016-21063 / Grant posted on 9/6/16 (updated on 10/29/19); closing date on 9/30/20	Economic Development

	highway transportation project between project planning and project delivery including planning, financing, operation, structures, materials, pavements, environment, and construction that address the Technology and Innovation Deployment Program (TIDP) goals.	Notice of Funding Opportunity.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Accelerating Innovative Mobility (AIM) Challenge Grants	AIM Challenge Grants are part of FTA's new AIM Initiative to foster innovative transit technologies, practices and solutions that incentivize travelers to choose public transportation, promote economic development in communities, and enhance public/private partnerships to improve personal mobility. FTA will competitively award multiple AIM Challenge Grants to eligible recipients for projects that can accelerate the development, implementation and adoption of innovative technologies, practices, and service models to improve mobility and enhance the rider experience, with a focus on innovative service delivery models, creative financing, novel partnerships, and integrated payment solutions.	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	FTA-2020-012-TRI-AIM / Grant posted on 3/18/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Advanced Transportation	This program provides funds to eligible entities to develop model	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has	• 693JJ320NF00010 / Grant posted on	Economic Development

and Congestion Management Technologies Deployment Initiative	deployment sites for large scale installation and operation of advanced transportation technologies to improve safety, efficiency, system performance, and infrastructure return on investment.	been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	7/21/20; closing date on 8/31/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • 693JJ319NF00003 / Grant posted on 6/6/19; closing date on 8/5/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
America's Marine Highway Grant Program	This grant program provides funds to create new marine highway services or to expand existing marine highway services. Only projects or their components, including planning studies, that the Secretary has previously designated as Marine Highway Projects are eligible for this round of grant funding, to develop and expand marine highway service options and facilitate their further integration into the current U.S. surface transportation system, especially where water-based transport is the most efficient, effective and sustainable option.	• In the programs 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity Special consideration is given to projects located along a marine highway or that support a marine highway service in a qualified Opportunity Zone. • In the programs 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity Special consideration is given to projects located along a marine highway or that support a marine highway service in a qualified Opportunity Zone.	• 693JF719R000026 / Grant posted on 3/19/20; closing date on 4/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • 693JF719R000025 / Grant posted on 7/23/19; closing date on 9/20/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

Assistance for Local Emergency Response Training Grants	This program provides funds for national nonprofit fire service organizations for Assistance for Local Emergency Response Training (ALERT) grant funds. The foundation of the ALERT Grants focuses on incident response activities related to the transportation of crude oil, ethanol, and other flammable liquids by rail. ALERT grant funding will be awarded to nonprofit organizations to train individuals with statutory responsibility to respond to accidents and incidents involving hazardous materials.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JJ319NF0010 / Grant posted on 6/12/19; closing date on 7/12/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Commercial Driver's License Program Implementation	The program provides funding to ensure that only qualified drivers are eligible to receive and retain a Commercial Driver's License (CDL) and focuses on maintaining the concept that each driver has only one driving record and only one licensing document (One Driver - One License - One Record). Further, states are required to conduct knowledge and skills testing before issuing a Commercial Learner's Permit (CLP) and/or CDL; to maintain a complete and accurate driver history record for anyone who obtains a CLP and/or	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	FM-CDL-20-001 / Grant posted on 1/7/20; closing date on 2/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	CDL; and to impose driver disqualifications as appropriate.			
Commercial Motor Vehicle Operator Safety Training Grant Program	The program provides funding to expand the number of Commercial Driver's License (CDL) holders possessing enhanced operator safety training to help reduce the severity and number of crashes on U.S. roads involving commercial motor vehicles (CMV). The program seeks to assist current or former members of the U.S. Armed Forces, including National Guard and Reservists, obtain a CDL.	• The 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity for the Supplemental Fiscal Year 2020 funding includes language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision. • The 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity includes language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	• FM-DTG-20-002 / Grant posted on 6/19/20; closing date on 7/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FM-DTG-20-001 / Grant posted on 1/8/20; closing date on 2/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Community Safety Grant	The purpose of this grant is to enhance communities' capability to respond to hazardous materials incidents and to assist in ensuring that state and local enforcement personnel are adequately trained in the Hazardous Materials Regulations.	The Programmatic Review Criteria includes an indication of whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JK320NF0007 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

Commuter Authority Rail Safety Improvement (CARSI) Grants	The purpose of this grant program is to improve safety at public railway-highway crossings. The program provides one-time funding to eligible entities for the construction of projects for the elimination of hazards at railway-highway crossings. Specific program goals include: 1) Improve safety at railway-highway crossings through the elimination of hazards at public railway-highway crossings; 2) Reduce fatalities, serious injuries, and crashes at public railway-highway crossings; 3) Reduce the number of existing public at-grade crossings by closure or grade separation; and 4) Reduce delays or improve system performance by eliminating hazards posed by blocked grade crossings due to idling trains.	The 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity includes language that a project located in a qualified Opportunity Zone is more competitive than a similar project that is not located in a qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ320NF00005 / Grant posted on 8/25/20; closing date on 10/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvements (CRISI)	The Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvements (CRISI) program provides funds to assist projects that improve passenger and freight rail transportation safety, efficiency, and reliability.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the agencies departmental 2020 objectives that includes projects located in or that support transportation service in a qualified Opportunity Zone.	• FR-CRS-20-001 / Grant posted on 4/23/20; closing date on 6/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-CRS-19-001 / Grant posted on 8/19/19; closing date on 10/18/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

		• Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the agencies departmental 2019 objectives that includes projects located in or that support transportation service in a qualified Opportunity Zone.		
Department of Transportation Opportunity Zones Website	The Department of Transportation works to ensure that Americans enjoy the safest, most efficient and modern transportation system in the world and improve the quality of life for all American communities, including Opportunity Zones.	The Department of Transportation created a website for Opportunity Zones. The website identifies transportation assets that fall within Opportunity Zones with the goal of driving investment of all types to these areas.	The website is located at https://www.transportation.gov/opportunity-zones	Economic Development; Education and Workforce Development; Entrepreneurship ; Safe Neighborhoods
Federal-State Partnership for State of Good Repair Program	The program assists in funding capital projects within the United States to repair, replace, or rehabilitate qualified railroad assets to reduce the state of good repair backlog and improve intercity passenger rail performance. Eligible projects include those that replace existing assets in-kind; replace existing assets with assets that increase capacity or provide a higher level of service;	• The FY 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity includes language supporting Opportunity Zones. • The FY 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity includes language supporting Opportunity Zones.	• FR-FSP-20-002 / Grant posted on 6/17/20; closing date on 7/20/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-FSP-19-002 / Grant posted on 10/8/19; closing date on	Economic Development

	ensure that service can be maintained while existing assets are brought to a state of good repair; and bring existing assets into a state of good repair.		12/9/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Federal Transit Administration: Low or No Emission Grant Program	This program provides funds for the purchase or lease of vehicles that use advanced technologies for transit operations, including related equipment or facilities.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 and 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• FTA-2020-005-LOWNO / Grant posted on 1/17/20; closing date on 3/17/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FTA-2019-001-TPM-LOWNO / Grant posted on 3/18/19; closing date on 5/14/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Grants for Buses and Bus Facilities Program – 49 U.S.C. 5339(a) and (b)	The program provides resources to replace, rehabilitate and purchase buses and related equipment and to construct bus-related facilities including technological changes or innovations to modify low or no emission vehicles or facilities.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• FTA-2020-006-BUS / Grant posted on 1/30/20; closing date on 4/29/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FTA-2019-003-TPM / Grant posted on 5/15/19; closing date on 6/21/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Hazardous Materials Emergency	This program provides funds for applications from federally recognized tribes and tribal nonprofit	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the	• 693JK320NF0002 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on	Economic Development;

Preparedness (HMEP) Tribal Grants	organizations representing federally recognized tribes to provide assistance to public sector employees through training and planning grants for emergency response. The purpose of the Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) grant program is to increase State, Territorial, Tribal, and local effectiveness in safely and efficiently handling hazardous materials incidents, enhance implementation of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA), and encourage a comprehensive approach to emergency training and planning by incorporating the unique challenges of responses to transportation situations.	program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • 693JK319NF006 / Grant posted on 3/26/19; closing date on 5/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
Helping Obtain Prosperity for Everyone Program (HOPE)	This program provides funds to improve transit services or facilities in areas of persistent poverty through planning, engineering, technical studies, or financial plans.	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	FTA-2020-011-TPE-HOPE / Grant posted on 3/3/20; closing date on 6/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
High Priority-Commercial Motor Vehicle Grant Program (HP-CMV)	The program provides funding to support innovative and impactful projects that reduce crashes, injuries, and fatalities involving large trucks and buses. Funding supports enforcement projects that improve	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	FM-MHP-20-001 / Grant posted on 1/7/20; closing date on 2/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	safety and compliance with the agency's regulations for projects that are national in scope, increase public awareness and education, demonstrate new technologies and reduce the number/rate of commercial motor vehicle (CMV) crashes.			
High Priority Program – Innovative Technology Deployment (HP-ITD)	The program provides funding to support innovative and impactful projects that reduce crashes, injuries, and fatalities involving large trucks and buses. Funding supports innovative projects that improve safety and compliance with commercial motor vehicle (CMV) regulations, are in national in scope, demonstrate new technologies, and reduce the number of CMV crashes.	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	FM-MHP-20-002 / Grant posted on 1/8/20; closing date on 2/21/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Infrastructure For Rebuilding America (INFRA)	This program funding to highway and freight projects of national or regional significance.	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's FY20 award decision.	NSFHP-20-INFRA20 / Grant posted on 1/13/20; closing date on 2/25/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Innovations in Transit Public Safety	This program provides funding to improve safety infrastructure related to public transit operations.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	FTA-2019-006-TSO / Grant posted on 3/29/19; closing date on 5/28/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

Instructor Training Grants	This program provides funding for eligible nonprofit organizations that demonstrate expertise in conducting training programs for hazmat employees, and the ability to reach and involve in a training program a target population of hazmat employees.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JK320NF008 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods
Integrated Mobility Innovation Demonstration Program	This program provides funding to projects that demonstrate innovative, effective approaches, practices, partnerships, and technologies to enhance public transportation effectiveness, increase efficiency, expand quality, promote safety, and improve the traveler's experience. This NOFO integrates three distinct areas of inquiry: Mobility on Demand (MOD) and Sandbox demonstrations; FTA's Strategic Transit Automation Research (STAR); and Mobility Payment Integration (MPI) to allow applicants to comprehensively plan multiple areas of mobility research.	Language stating that projects that support public transportation service in a Qualified Opportunity Zone may be considered in FTA's award decisions is included in the Federal Register notice.	FTA-2019-006-TSO / Grant posted on 5/8/19; closing date on 8/6/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Magnetic Levitation Technology Deployment Program (Maglev Grants Program)	This program provides funding for eligible project costs for eligible Maglev projects. Eligible project costs are: 1) The capital cost of the fixed guideway infrastructure of a Maglev project including land, piers, guideways, propulsion equipment and	• For the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity, language stating that projects that support public transportation service in a Qualified Opportunity	• FR-MPS-20-002 / Grant posted on 7/15/20; closing date on 7/31/20; grant on Grants.gov • FR-MPS-20-001 / Grant posted on 11/5/19;	Economic Development

	other components attached to guideways, power distribution facilities (including substations), control and communications facilities, access roads, and storage, repair, and maintenance facilities and 2) preconstruction planning activities. Eligible project costs exclude new stations and rolling stock, as well as costs incurred solely for land acquisition pursuant to securing operation right-of-way.	Zone may be considered in FRA's award decisions is included in the Federal Register notice. • For the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity, language stating that projects that support public transportation service in a Qualified Opportunity Zone may be considered in FRA's award decisions is included in the Federal Register notice.	closing date on 12/29/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Mobility for All Pilot Program	This program provides funding to improve mobility options through employing innovative coordination of transportation strategies and building partnerships to enhance mobility and access to vital community services for older adults, individuals with disabilities, and people of low income. As required by Federal public transportation law, funds will be awarded competitively to finance innovative capital projects that will improve the coordination of transportation services and non-	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	FTA-2020-001-TPM / Grant posted on 11/1/19; closing date on 1/6/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	emergency medical transportation services.			
National Infrastructure Investments	This program provides funds for investments in surface transportation infrastructure and will be awarded on a competitive basis to projects that will have a significant local or regional impact. BUILD funding can support roads, bridges, transit, rail, ports or intermodal transportation.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• DTOS59-20-RA-BUILD / Grant posted on 2/18/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • DTOS59-19-RA-BUILD / Grant posted on 4/16/19; closing date on 7/15/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Nationally Significant Federal Lands and Tribal Projects Program	This program provides funds for nationally significant projects to construct, reconstruct, or rehabilitate transportation facilities within, adjacent to, or accessing Federal and Tribal lands.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JJ321NF-NSFTLP / Grant posted on 9/1/20; closing date on 11/2/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Passenger Ferry Grant Program	This program provides funds to designated recipients or eligible direct recipients of Section 5307 funds to assist in the financing of capital projects to support existing passenger ferry service, establish new ferry service, and to repair and modernize ferry boats, terminals, and related facilities and equipment.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	FTA-2020-008-FERRY / Grant posted on 1/30/20; closing date on 4/29/20 (Closed); grant on grants.gov	Economic Development

Pilot Program for Transit-Oriented Development (TOD) Planning	The Pilot Program for TOD Planning provides funding to local communities to integrate land use and transportation planning in new fixed guideway and core capacity transit project corridors. Any comprehensive planning funded through the pilot program must examine ways to improve economic development and ridership, foster multimodal connectivity and accessibility, improve transit access for pedestrian and bicycle traffic, engage the private sector, identify infrastructure needs, and enable mixed-use development near transit stations.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• FTA-2020-014-TPE / Grant posted on 9/25/20; closing date on 10/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FTA-2019-010-TPE / Grant posted on 9/18/19; closing date on 11/18/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Pipeline Safety One-Call Grant	The program provides funds for state agencies' damage prevention efforts, including training, changing state underground damage prevention laws, related compliance activities, and public education.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JK320NF0005 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Pipeline Safety Research Competitive Academic Agreement Program (CAAP)	The program provides funds to sponsor R&D projects focused on providing near-term solutions that will improve the safety, reduce the environmental impact, and enhance the reliability of the Nation's pipeline transportation system. The goals and objectives of the CAAP initiative, as	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JK320NF0001 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/23/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	discussed below, directly support both this mission and the congressional mandate.			
Port Infrastructure Development Program	The program provides funds that will improve the safety, efficiency, or reliability of the movement of goods into, out of, around, or within a coastal seaport, as well as the unloading and loading of cargo at a coastal seaport.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• 693JF7-20-BAA-0001 / Grant posted on 2/18/20; closing date on 5/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • 693JF7-19-BAA-002 / Grant posted on 6/12/19; closing date on 9/16/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Prosecutor Support for Impaired Driving	The purpose of the Cooperative Agreement is to assist State prosecutors and traffic safety resource prosecutors (TSRPs) in the prosecution of alcohol and drug impaired driving cases. The Recipient will support State and local prosecutors, TSRPs, State prosecutor coordinators and other criminal justice professionals in the development, evaluation and delivery of training to increase the effectiveness of State, and local prosecutors as well as law enforcement personnel in the prosecution of impaired driving cases in State courts. In addition, the Recipient will also hold a yearly	Applicants are required to state whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ920R000008 / Grant posted on 4/14/20; closing date on 5/14/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	training seminar for the State TSRPs to expand prosecutor knowledge on issues presented in impaired driving cases.			
Public Sector Training Grants	This program provides funds for national nonprofit fire service organizations for Supplemental Public-Sector Training (SPST) grant funds. The foundation of the SPST Grants Program is a "train-the-trainer" model. The intent of the grant is to train hazmat instructors who will then train public-sector hazmat responders. Properly planned and maintained training programs are essential to ensuring that emergency responders who receive training under the grant will have the ability to protect nearby persons, property, and the environment from the effects of accidents or incidents involving the transportation of hazardous material in accordance with existing regulations or National Fire Protection standards for competence of responders to accidents and incidents involving hazardous materials.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones was added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• 693JK320NF0009 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • 693JK319NF009 / Grant posted on 3/26/19; closing date on 3/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Railroad Trespassing	This provides funds to conduct law enforcement activities at hot spots within their respective jurisdictions on	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the	FR-LEL-20-001 / Grant posted on 10/22/19; closing date on 12/23/19	Economic Development

Enforcement Grant Program	Federal Railroad Administration regulated track, such as investigating incidents of trespassing, as well as providing warnings and citations to the trespassers they observe in the act of trespassing.	program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Railroad Trespassing Suicide Prevention Grant Program	This program provides funds to assist in funding targeted outreach campaigns to reduce the number of railroad-related suicides that involve railroad trespassing.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	FR-TSP-20-002 / Grant posted on 6/9/20; closing date on 8/10/20 (Closed); grant posted on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Restoration and Enhancement (R&E) Grants Program	This program provides funds for operating assistance grants for initiating, restoring, or enhancing intercity rail passenger transportation.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's Notice of Funding Opportunity that covers FY18 and FY19.	FR-RAE-20-001 / Grant posted on 11/6/19; closing date on 11/6/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Railroad Rehabilitation and Improvement Financing (RRIF) Express Pilot Program Under the Railroad Rehabilitation & Improvement	This is a pilot Railroad Rehabilitation and Improvement Financing ("RRIF") Express Program ("RRIF Express") aimed at increasing access to the RRIF program by short line and regional railroads. The RRIF Express Program will be administered by the DOT's National Surface Transportation and Innovative Finance Bureau (the "Build America Bureau" or "Bureau"). The overall RRIF program finances development of railroad	Prospective RRIF Express borrowers should describe in Letter of Interest if the project will: decrease transportation costs and improve access, especially for rural communities or communities in Opportunity Zones, through reliable and timely access to employment centers and job	Federal Register Notice published on 12/13/19 (Document Number 2019-26743, Pages 68298-68300) deadline for Letters of Interest from Prospective borrowers for the program must be submitted from 1/13/20 to 4/13/20 (Closed).	Economic Development

Financing Program	infrastructure, and is authorized to have up to $35 billion in outstanding principal amounts from direct loans and loan guarantees at any one time.	opportunities; or will increase the economic productivity of land, capital, or labor, including assets in Opportunity Zones.		
Small Shipyard Grants	This program provides funds for capital and related improvements to qualified shipyard facilities that will be effective in fostering efficiency, competitive operations, and quality ship construction, repair, and reconfiguration.	Language stating that projects that are located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone will be considered in the agency's award decision.	DTMASSG20 / Grant posted on 1/6/20; closing date on 2/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Special Transportation Circumstances Projects	This program provides directed grant funding under the Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvements Program and the Restoration and Enhancement Grant Program to certain states that lack intercity passenger rail service or are not connected to the national rail system.	• Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity. • Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	• FR-CRS-20-002 / Grant posted on 5/8/20; closing date on 7/7/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • FR-CRS-19-002 / Grant posted on 9/10/19; closing date on 11/12/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
State Damage Prevention (SDP) Grant	This program provides funds for a state authority (including a municipality with respect to intrastate gas pipeline transportation) to assist in improving the overall quality and	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693KL320NF0006 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

	effectiveness of a damage prevention program of the state authority.			
State Ignition Interlock Support and Resources	The purpose of the Cooperative Agreement (CA) is to develop, deliver and evaluate an ignition interlock program for administrators that oversee ignition interlock programs. The overall objective is to develop a program that will provide effective training, technical assistance, guidance, best practices and relevant resources to ignition interlock program administrators across the country. The Recipient will develop training curricula, technical guidance documents, webinars, deliver technical assistance to state ignition interlock programs and develop annual training and advanced training for new and experienced state ignition interlock program Administrators and personnel.	Applicants are required to state whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ920R000010 / Grant posted on 5/6/20; closing date on 6/4/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development
Supplemental Public-Sector Training Grants	The foundation of the SPST Grants Program is a train-the-trainer model. The intent of the grant is to train hazmat instructors who will then train public-sector hazmat responders. Properly planned and maintained training programs are essential to ensuring that emergency responders	The grant guidelines state that the application will be evaluated on how well they address the department's objectives including project located in or that support service in an Opportunity Zone.	693JK319NF0009 / Grant posted on 4/5/19; closing date on 5/24/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	who receive training under the grant will have the ability to protect nearby persons, property, and the environment from the effects of accidents or incidents involving the transportation of hazardous material in accordance with existing regulations or National Fire Protection standards for competence of responders to accidents and incidents involving hazardous materials.			
Support for Alcohol Law Enforcement to Prevent Impaired Driving	The purpose of the Cooperative Agreement (CA) is to develop and measure the effectiveness of a demonstration program that improves training and technical assistance available to Alcohol Law Enforcement (ALE) Agencies. ALE agencies oversee the issuance, regulation, compliance, and enforcement of liquor licenses and laws. These agencies play a role in enforcing alcohol laws and reducing impaired driving. NHTSA will provide assistance to support monitoring new and emerging issues among ALE agencies regarding the enforcement of alcohol laws as it pertains to preventing impaired driving. The Recipient will provide tools such as in-person and web-based education and	Applicants are required to state whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ920R000016 / Grant posted on 4/14/20; closing date on 5/13/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	training to ALE agencies to support reducing impaired driving.			
Support for Probation Services for DWI Offenders	The purpose of the Cooperative Agreement (CA) is to develop and measure the effectiveness of a probation program that supervises Driving While Impaired (DWI) offenders to reduce recidivism. Specifically, NHTSA will provide assistance to support training, technical assistance, information sharing, and development among community supervision professionals. This support will be used to assist the Recipient in demonstrating the effectiveness of tools such as in-person and web-based education and training, and other activities to the probation community related to the following topics: best practices for State and local community supervision providers in managing DWI offenders; promotion of empirically supported tools and products aimed at improving assessment, treatment, rehabilitation, integration, and the reduction of recidivism of DWI offenders; the collection of alcohol and drug impaired driving recidivism data; Significant and emerging issues related to supervision of DWI	Applicants are required to state whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ920R000018 / Grant posted on 4/23/20; closing date on 5/25/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	offenders; and the identification of future needs of the supervision community as it relates to DWI offenders.			
Technical Assistance Grant	This program provides funds to local communities and groups of individuals (not including for-profit entities) for technical assistance relating to pipeline safety.	Language supporting Opportunity Zones has been added to the program's 2020 Notice of Funding Opportunity.	693JK320NF0002 / Grant posted on 2/4/20; closing date on 3/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods
The Public Transportation COVID-19 Research Demonstration Grant Program	This program provides research funding for innovative solutions that support the phased reopening of local economies through access to safe public transportation. The COVID-19 Recovery Research Demonstration Program will fund research grants that explore and later will disseminate ways to improve the safety of transit frontline workers and riders in areas such as sanitation/decontamination; exposure mitigation; customer confidence; and contactless payment.	The selection process criteria considers whether the project is located in or supports public transportation service in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	FTA-2020-015-TRI / Grant posted on 10/5/20; closing date on 11/2/20; grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods
University Transportation Centers (UTC) Tier 1 Competition	This program provide funds to one UTC in each of the following specific topic areas: 1) Highly Automated Transportation Systems Research; 2) Communications Technology and E-Commerce Effects on Travel Demand; 3) Implications of Accessible	The grant guidelines request applicants not whether the lead/grant recipient institution or any consortium member institution is located in a	UTCTIER1COMP2020 / Grant posted on 3/30/20; closing date on 5/29/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods

	Automated Vehicles and Mobility Services for People with Disabilities; and 4) Strategic Implications of Changing Public Transportation Travel Trends.	Qualified Opportunity Zone.		
Work Zone Data Exchange Demonstration	The purpose of this research program is to increase the safety of the traveling public through the production of consistent public work zone data feeds across jurisdictions. The program provides funding for public roadway operators to make unified work zone data feeds available for use by third parties and collaborate on specification development.	The selection process criteria considers whether the project is located in a Qualified Opportunity Zone.	693JJ320NF00003 / Grant posted on 6/16/20; closing date on 8/3/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Safe Neighborhoods

Department of the Treasury

CDFI Capital Magnet Fund (CMF) Program	Through the Capital Magnet Fund, the CDFI Fund provides financial assistance grants to Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) and to qualified Nonprofit Organizations that have the development or management of affordable housing as one of their principal purposes.	Language was added to the 2020 and 2019 Notice of Funding Availability that applications will be scored more favorably to the extent that it commits to: financing and/or supporting Economic Development Activities in Low-Income Areas only (if proposing to use CMF for Economic Development	• CDFI-2020-CMF / Grant posted on 5/28/20; closing date on 6/26/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • CDFI-2019-CMF / Grant posted on 6/25/19; closing date on 7/26/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development

		Activities), and financing and/or supporting a higher percentage of units located in Areas of Economic Distress, to include Opportunity Zones.		
CDFI Financial Assistance (FA) Program - Financial Assistance Application	Financial Assistance Awards promote economic and community development through investment in, and assistance to, Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs), which include community development banks, credit unions, loan funds, and venture capital funds. CDFIs use Financing Assistance (FA) awards to expand the availability of financial services and affordable credit to underserved populations.	Opportunity Zones are a policy objective review step under the application evaluation process.	• Application opened 2/20/20; closing date on 4/21/20 (Closed). Also posted as CDFI-2020-FATA / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 3/23/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Application opened 4/4/19; closing date on 6/6/19 (Closed). Also posted as CDFI-2019-FATA / Grant posted on 4/4/19; closing date on 5/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Grant on CDFI website at https://www.cdfifund.gov/programs-training/Programs/cdfi-	Economic Development

			program/Pages/default.aspx	
Investing in Qualified Opportunity Funds	The "Investing in Qualified Opportunity Funds" final regulations govern the extent to which taxpayers may elect the Federal income tax benefits provided by Section 1400Z-2 of the Internal Revenue Code with respect to certain equity interests in a qualified opportunity fund (QOF).	The final regulations address the comments received in response to the two notices of proposed rulemaking issued under section 1400Z-2 and provide additional guidance for taxpayers eligible to elect to temporarily defer the inclusion in gross income of certain prior gains if corresponding amounts are invested in certain equity interests in QOFs, as well as guidance on the ability of such taxpayers to exclude from gross income additional gain recognized after holding those equity interests for at least 10 years. The final regulations also address various requirements that must be met for an entity to qualify as a QOF, including requirements that must be met for an entity to qualify as a qualified opportunity zone business. The final	The final regulations are effective on 3/13/20. The final regulations were published in the Federal Register on 1/13/20. The regulations as so posted are located at https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2020-01-13/pdf/2019-27846.pdf	Economic Development

		regulations affect entities that self-certify as QOFs and eligible taxpayers that make investments, whether qualifying or non-qualifying, in such entities.		
Native American CDFI Assistance Program (NACA) – Financial Assistance Application	NACA Financial Assistance awards are available to certified CDFIs that demonstrate that at least 50 percent of past activities were in one or more Native Communities and that will use an award to target lending/investing activities to one or more Native Communities. Financial Assistance Awards promote economic and community development through investment in, and assistance to, Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs), which include community development banks, credit unions, loan funds, and venture capital funds. Native CDFIs use Financial Assistance (FA) awards to expand the availability of financial services and affordable credit to underserved populations.	Opportunity Zones are a policy objective review step under the application evaluation process.	• Applicated opened on 2/20/20; closing date on 4/21/20 (Closed). Also posted as CDFI-2020-FATA / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 3/23/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • Application opened 4/4/19; closing date on 6/6/19 (Closed). Also posted as CDFI-2019-FATA / Grant posted on 4/4/19; closing date on 5/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov. • Grant on CDFI website at https://www.cdfifund.gov/programs-training/Programs/cdfi-	Economic Development

			program/Pages/default.aspx	
New Markets Tax Credit Program (NMTC)	The New Market Tax Credit Program (NMTC Program) aims to break a cycle of disinvestment by attracting the private investment necessary to reinvigorate struggling local economies. The NMTC Program attracts private capital into low-income communities by permitting individual and corporate investors to receive a tax credit against their federal income tax in exchange for making equity investments in specialized financial intermediaries called Community Development Entities (CDEs).	Although the CDFI Fund does not give preference to NMTC Applicants proposing to target Opportunity Zones, an Applicant that identifies it will be working in an eligible Opportunity Zone or other defined areas of higher distress will generally be scored more favorably. (Note that not all Opportunity Zones are eligible for New Market Tax Credits.)	• CY20 Application opened on 9/22/20; closing date on 11/16/20; information on CDFI website at https://www.cdfifund.gov/programs-training/Programs/new-markets-tax-credit/Pages/default.aspx • CY19 Application opened 9/4/19; closing date on 10/28/19 (Closed)	Economic Development
Social Impact Partnerships to Pay for Results Act Demonstration Projects (SIPPRA)	SIPPRA is a standing fund that makes outcome payments in social impact partnership projects and to fund selected feasibility studies. These funds are available for state and local governments that are implementing programs that produce defined and rigorously-measured outcomes and cost savings.	Language was added to the 2019 Notice of Funding Availability for the consideration of qualified Opportunity Zones.	UST-SIPPRA-2019-001 / Grant posted on 2/15/19; closing date on 5/22/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development, Education and Workforce Development; Safe Neighborhoods

General Services Administration

Lease Acquisition Circular	This Lease Acquisition Circular (LAC) issues revisions to the Leasing Desk Guide, which contains authorities, policies, technical and procedural guides, and administrative limitations governing the acquisition by lease of real property.	GSA issued revisions to the Leasing Desk Guide, Chapter 1, Requirements Development, to implement Executive Order 13853, establishing the White House Opportunity and Revitalization Council, to encourage public and private investment in urban and economically distressed areas, including Opportunity Zones.	Chapter 1 revisions issued on June 7, 2019 to the Leasing Desk Guide. Lease Acquisition Circular LAC-2019-02.	Economic Development
Prioritize Opportunity Zones for Federal Government Buildings and Leases	When seeking locations for future federal buildings and leases, the General Services Administration first prioritizes mission, cost and security.	The White House Executive Order Targeting Opportunity Zones and Other Distressed Communities for Site Locations instructed GSA to prioritize Opportunity Zones, other distressed communities, and centralized business areas, including specific areas recommended by local officials. GSA has incorporated Opportunity Zones into the factors for consideration for future	White House Executive Order 13946 issued on August 24, 2020. Federal Register Notice Document Number 2020-19032; Posted on 8/24/20. https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2020/08/27/2020-19032/targeting-opportunity-zones-and-other-distressed-communities-for-federal-site-locations. GSA will begin conducting rulemaking to further codify these changes.	Economic Development

		federal government buildings and leases.		
Site Acquisition Policy Letter	The Site Acquisition Policy Letter (SAPL) explains the requirements, processes and procedures for ensuring place-based directives are followed in Federal site selection.	Outlines GSA's policy for promoting efficiency, economic development, and sustainability in location planning decisions in support of Opportunity Zones.	Memorandum and Letter dated June 21, 2019 (SAPL-2019-01)	Economic Development

Small Business Administration

504 Loan Program (Certified Development Companies)	This program fuels economic growth and job creation by providing small businesses with long-term, fixed-rate financing to acquire fixed assets (e.g., real estate, buildings, machinery).	On November 2, 2018 via Federal Register Notice, SBA designated Opportunity Zones as additional areas where our 504 Program's job creation or retention requirements will be more relaxed, to incentivize lending by Certified Development Companies (CDCs) and Third-Party Lenders in these areas. Opposed to a requirement to create or preserve one job for every $75,000 guaranteed by SBA, the requirement for specially-	Federal Register Document Number: 2018-24033; Posted on 11/2/18. https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2018/11/02/2018-24033/development-company-loan-program-job-creation-and-retention-requirements-additional-areas-for-higher	Entrepreneurship

		designated areas (which now includes Opportunity Zones) is now $85,000 per job created or preserved if the project is in an Opportunity Zone.	
7(a) Loan Program	SBA's flagship loan program provides small businesses with access to capital to finance a wide variety of business activities, including purchasing machinery, furniture, fixtures, supplies and materials, improvements to land and buildings, and working capital.	For FY2019, 7(a) loans in the amount of $150,000 or less made to small businesses where the physical address of the operating concern is located in a rural area or a historically underutilized business zone (HUBZone), both of which overlap significantly with Opportunity Zones: (a) the annual service fee paid by lenders will be zero (b) the upfront guaranty fee typically paid by the small business applicant will be lowered significantly to 0.6667% (66.67 basis points) of the guaranteed portion of the loan.	Entrepreneurship

Community Advantage Loan Pilot Program	The Community Advantage (CA) Pilot program is intended to expand small business access to capital in underserved markets by allowing mission-focused, community-based lenders to make 7(a) loans to small businesses in an amount up to $250,000, with an SBA guarantee as high as 85 percent.	Effective October 1, 2018, SBA expanded the Pilot Program definition of "underserved markets" to include Opportunity Zones. CA lenders are required to make at least 60% of their CA loans in underserved markets.	Federal Register Document Number: 2018-19885; Posted on 9/12/18. https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2018/09/12/2018-19885/community-advantage-pilot-program	Entrepreneurship
Growth Accelerator Fund Competition	This prize competition, pursuant to the America COMPETES Act, recognizes the nation's most innovative accelerators and awards them cash prizes that they may use to fund their operations costs focused towards helping entrepreneurs apply for government R&D funding. SBA will award up to 60 prizes of $50,000 each for a total of $3 million in prizes.	Participants in this competition must target at least 60% of the Growth Accelerator's effort under the funding opportunity to entrepreneurs in one of four specified groups. One of the targeted groups is: "Entrepreneurs that live in an Opportunity Zone, or whose businesses are located in and operate out of an Opportunity Zone." The competition begins on June 10, 2019 and ends June 20, 2019.	https://www.sba.gov/offices/headquarters/ooi/spotlight	Economic Development; Entrepreneurship
Federal and State Technology (FAST)	The Federal and State Technology (FAST) Partnership Program provides organizations with funding for Outreach, Mentoring, Technical and Business Assistance to R&D-focused	Applicants will be evaluated on their ability and positioning to extend project services to individuals in federally	SB-OIIFT-20-001 / Grant posted on 5/8/20; closing date on 6/19/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Entrepreneurship

Partnership Program	Small Businesses Interested in the SBIR/STTR Federal R&D Programs.	designated Opportunity Zones.		
HUBZone Program Provisions for Governor-Designated Covered Areas	The Federal government limits competition for certain contracts to SBA-certified small businesses in historically underutilized business zones (HUBZones), areas with low income, high poverty and/or high levels of unemployment. It also gives preferential consideration (i.e., 10 percent price evaluation preference) to those businesses in full and open competition. Congress has statutorily imposed Federal small business procurement goals; namely, that the Federal government shall direct a percentage of contract spending dollars to small businesses and certain categories of small businesses. Currently, one of the contracting goals is that 3 percent of all Federal prime contracting dollars go to HUBZone-certified small businesses; who commit to employing HUBZone residents.	SBA issued a direct final rule on November 18, 2019 that will allow governors to petition the SBA's Administration to designate HUBZone status to certain covered areas. A covered area is an area in a state that is located outside of an urbanized area, as determined by the Census Bureau, with a population of not more than 50,000, and for which the average unemployment rate is at least 120 percent of the average unemployment rate. The rule was published in the Federal Register and is effective January 1, 2020, unless significant adverse comment is received by December 15, 2019. SBA anticipates that included within the covered areas that a Governor may seek to be designated as a qualified HUBZone area are	Federal Register Notice published on 11/15/19 (Document Number 2019-24610, Pages 62447-62449) located at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/11/15/2019-24610/hubzone-program-provisions-for-governor-designated-covered-areas?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery	Entrepreneurship

		Opportunity Zones, that do not otherwise qualify as HUBZones.		
Makerspace Training, Collaboration and Hiring (MaTCH) Pilot Competition	The MaTCH Pilot Competition, pursuant to the America COMPETES Act, seeks to address the job skills and placement gap faced by U.S. businesses by providing funding to create or expand programs within existing makerspaces that offer job-specific and soft skills training. The Competition will award up to $1 million in total prizes, based on a tiered approach. Up to $25,000 will be awarded in seed small workforce development programs; up to $100,000 will be awarded to grow programs with a proven history of training and/or workforce development; and up to $200,000 will be awarded to capacity building of successful existing programs with a strong history of training and/or workforce development.	Additional factors may be considered in the application review, such as, but not limited to whether the Makerspace and/or jobs filled are located in an Opportunity Zone.	Competition opened on 5/21/19 and applications are due on 7/8/19 (Closed); competition posted on SBA's website at https//www.sba.gov/match	Economic Development; Entrepreneurship
Program for Investment in Micro-Entrepreneurs (PRIME)	The SBA's Program for Investment in Micro-Entrepreneurs (PRIME) provides grants to organizations that help low-income entrepreneurs who lack sufficient training and education	For the 2020 and the 2019 Applications: The SBA gave additional consideration to those applicants that (1) provide training and technical assistance to	• PRIME-2020-001 / Grant posted on 5/1/20; closing date on 5/31/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Entrepreneurship

	to gain access to capital to establish and expand their small businesses.	economically disadvantaged entrepreneurs in rural areas; and (2) training and technical assistance to support entrepreneurship in HUBZones and Opportunity Zones.	• PRIME-2019-03 / Grant posted on 11/21/19; closing date on 12/20/19 (closed); grant on Grants.gov • PRIME-2019-01 / Grant posted on 5/10/19; closing date on 6/10/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
SCORE	SCORE, through its 300+ chapters and more than 10,000 volunteers, serve entrepreneurs with in-person mentoring, training workshops, virtual counseling and online training. It provides research, information and articles to online communities for veterans, women, millennial entrepreneurs, disaster recovery and minorities. SCORE has adapted its structure and services to meet the needs of the small business community in ever-changing economic conditions.	• In the FY 2021 SBA SCORE Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) for the application for the Cooperative Agreement it states that the SBA recognizes the importance of ensuring access to capital in Opportunity Zones. SCORE Chapters are critical to mentoring clients about access to capital and promoting small business growth; therefore, SCORE engagements with Opportunity Zones are	• SCORE-2021-01 / Cooperative Agreement posted on 10/20/20; closing date on 10/30/20 (Closed); cooperative agreement posted on Grants.gov • SCORE-2020-02 / Cooperative Agreement posted on 12/4/19; closing date on 12/6/19 (Closed); cooperative agreement posted on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Entrepreneurship

critical to the economic development of distressed cities. SCORE should also develop outreach activities to encourage mentoring activities in Opportunity Zones.

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Small Business Development Centers	The SBDC program, a vital part of the entrepreneurial ecosystem that links the resources of Federal, State and local governments with that of the educational community and private sector, is the SBA's largest matching grant-funded program. The SBDCs, hosted by higher education institutions or state economic development organizations, deliver counseling and training focused on strategic and financial planning, business development, and cash flow management to small businesses and entrepreneurs across the country.	SBA, through its Office of Entrepreneurial Development (OED), is requiring SBDCs to work with their respective SBA field offices to develop and execute an annual strategic plan to craft programs and outreach that leverage the expertise of state, local and tribal officials, chambers of commerce, lenders and other public and private entities with the goal of maximizing business development in their respective Opportunity Zones. Each Opportunity Zone plan must be submitted to OED for approval, and each SBDC must also provide SBA with reports throughout the year that will document its efforts and progress in meeting its Opportunity Zone outreach goals.	• OSBDC-2021-02 / Grant posted on 10/1/20; closing date on 11/16/20; grant on Grants.gov • OSBDC-2021-01 / Grant posted on 7/29/20; closing date on 9/18/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OSBDC-2020-02 / Grant posted on 10/1/19; closing date on 10/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OSBDC-2020-01 / Grant posted on 8/2/19; closing date on 9/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Economic Development; Entrepreneurship
State Trade Expansion Program	The grants are provided to States, and the equivalent thereof, to carry out projects that help develop exports by eligible small business concerns	The grant guidelines require outcomes pertinent to individual state's landscape that need to be	OIT-STEP-2020-01 / Grant posted on 2/6/20; closing date on 7/6/20	Economic Development

	(ESBCs). The objective of STEP is to increase (1) the number of U.S. small businesses that export, (2) the dollar value of exports, and (3) the number of U.S. small businesses exploring significant new trade opportunities.	addressed that includes small businesses located in Opportunity Zones.	(Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Women's Business Center (WBC) – Initial Phase	The mission of the WBC Program is to act as the catalyst for providing in-depth, substantive, outcome-oriented business services to women entrepreneurs, both nascent and established businesses, a representative number of which are socially and economically disadvantaged. This mission is accomplished through the award of financial assistance to private, 501(c)-certified non-profit organizations to enable them to affect substantial economic impact in their communities, measured by outcomes such as successful business start-ups and capital infusion. There are currently over 100 centers in the WBC network.	The FY20 grants bonus points are awarded for projects that meet the needs of socially and economically disadvantaged communities where the project currently operates in an Opportunity Zone and/or partner with an Opportunity Fund.	• OWBO-2020-07 / Grant posted on 9/10/20; closing date on 10/22/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2020-05 / Grant posted on 7/20/20; closing date on 8/10/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2020-04 / Grant posted on 2/26/20; closing date on 3/23/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2020-03 / Grant posted on 2/11/20; closing date on 3/11/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2020-01 / Grant posted on 1/27/20; closing date on 2/27/20	Entrepreneurship

			(Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2020-02 / Grant posted on 1/16/20; closing date on 2/25/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Women's Business Center (WBC) – Option Year	The mission of the WBC Program is to act as the catalyst for providing in-depth, substantive, outcome-oriented business services to women entrepreneurs, both nascent and established businesses, a representative number of which are socially and economically disadvantaged. This mission is accomplished through the award of financial assistance to private, 501(c)-certified non-profit organizations to enable them to affect substantial economic impact in their communities, measured by outcomes such as successful business start-ups and capital infusion. There are currently over 100 centers in the WBC network.	For the FY20 grant the SBA has stated the Opportunity Zones are a priority and WBCs should engage with Opportunity Zones. WBC are required to communicate how their outreach plan will engage Opportunity Zones and contribute to producing results for the program's output measure for Unique Clients Serve. The plans should be developed in conjunction with the SBA Regional Administrator and District Office and actively engage state, local and tribal economic development officials, chambers of commerce, lenders and other public and private entities.	OWBO-WKPLN-2020-1 / Grant posted on 9/9/20; closing date on 9/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Entrepreneurship

Women's Business Center (WBC) - Renewal Grant	The mission of the WBC Program is to act as the catalyst for providing in-depth, substantive, outcome-oriented business services to women entrepreneurs, both nascent and established businesses, a representative number of which are socially and economically disadvantaged. This mission is accomplished through the award of financial assistance to private, 501(c)-certified non-profit organizations to enable them to affect substantial economic impact in their communities, measured by outcomes such as successful business start-ups and capital infusion. There are currently over 100 centers in the WBC network.	• For the FY20 grant the SBA has stated the Opportunity Zones are a priority and WBCs should engage with Opportunity Zones. WBC are required to communicate how their outreach plan will engage Opportunity Zones and contribute to producing results for the program's output measure for Unique Clients Serve. The plans should be developed in conjunction with the SBA Regional Administrator and District Office and actively engage state, local and tribal economic development officials, chambers of commerce, lenders and other public and private entities. • For the FY19 grant the SBA recognized the importance of ensuring access to capital to Opportunity Zones so for	• OWBO-2020-06 / Grant posted on 9/3/20; closing date on 9/24/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • OWBO-2019-02 / Grant posted on 9/9/19; closing date on 9/27/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Entrepreneurship

the first time, WBCs were required to develop detailed outreach plans focusing on how they will encourage business development in Opportunity Zones. These plans should be developed in conjunction with the appropriate SBA Regional Administrator and SBA District Office and coordinated with state, local and tribal economic development officials, chambers of commerce, lenders and other public and private entities. Relatedly, in both their Semiannual and Final reports, each WBC must discuss how their outreach and business development efforts in Opportunity Zones helped the WBC achieve its performance metrics. The Final Report should

		also discuss the impact of Opportunity Zone partnership efforts on new business starts and capital infusion outcomes.		
Environmental Protection Agency				
Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training	This program awards funds to deliver Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training programs that recruit, train, and place local, unemployed and under-employed residents with the skills needed to secure full-time employment in the environmental field. While Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training Grants require training in brownfield assessment and/or cleanup activities, these grants also require that Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) training be provided to all individuals being trained. EPA encourages applicants to develop their curricula based on local labor market assessments and employers' hiring needs, while also delivering comprehensive training that results in	• The 2020 grant guidelines include an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones. • The 2019 grant guidelines include an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones.	• EPA-OLEM-OBLR-20-03 / Grant posted on 7/27/20; closing date on 9/22/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • EPA-OLEM-OBLR-19-01 / Grant posted on 4/15/19; closing date on 6/10/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Education and Workforce Development

	graduates securing multiple certifications.			
Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment Grants	The program awards funds to assess brownfield sites.	• In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal, the 2021 grant guidelines require the proposed project to either be in an Opportunity Zones or the proposed project / revitalization plan will help spur economic growth within an Opportunity Zone. The FY 2021 grant proposal guidelines have been released and include language that would give additional ranking points to applications for site specific locations in Opportunity Zones or that would directly spur redevelopment in an Opportunity Zone. • In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal,	• EPA-OLEM-OBLR-20-06 / Grant posted on 8/17/20; closing date on 10/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • EPA-OLEM-OBLR-19-05 / Grant posted on 10/10/19; closing date on 12/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • EPA-OLEM-OBLR-18-06 / Grant posted on 11/29/18; closing date on 1/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

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- The 2019 grant guidelines included an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones.

Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants	The program awards funds to clean up brownfield sites.	• In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal, the 2021 grant guidelines require the proposed project to either be in an Opportunity Zones or the proposed project / revitalization plan will help spur economic growth within an Opportunity Zone. The FY 2021 grant proposal guidelines have been released and include language that would give additional ranking points to applications for site specific locations in Opportunity Zones or that would directly spur redevelopment in an Opportunity Zone. • In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal, the 2020 grant guidelines require the proposed project to	• EPA-OLEM-OBLR-20-07 / Grant posted on 8/17/20; closing date on 10/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • EPA-OLEM-OBLR-19-07 / Grant posted on 10/10/19; closing date on 12/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov • EPA-OLEM-OBLR-18-07 / Grant posted on 11/29/18; closing date on 1/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

		either be in an Opportunity Zones or the proposed project / revitalization plan will help spur economic growth within an Opportunity Zone. The FY 2020 grant proposal guidelines have been released and include language that would give additional ranking points to applications for site specific locations in Opportunity Zones or that would directly spur redevelopment in an Opportunity Zone. • The 2019 grant guidelines included an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones.		
Guidelines for Brownfields Multipurpose (MP) Grants	The program awards funds to assess and clean up brownfield sites.	• In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal, the 2021 grant guidelines require the	• EPA-OLEM-OBLR-20-05 / Grant posted on 8/17/20; closing date on 10/28/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

		proposed project to either be in an Opportunity Zones or the proposed project / revitalization plan will help spur economic growth within an Opportunity Zone. The FY 2021 grant proposal guidelines have been released and include language that would give additional ranking points to applications for site specific locations in Opportunity Zones or that would directly spur redevelopment in an Opportunity Zone. • The 2019 grant guidelines include an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones.	• EPA-OLEM-OBLR-18-08 / Grant posted on 11/29/18; closing date on 1/31/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	
Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grants	The program awards funds to capitalize on the Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) that provides loans and subgrants to eligible entities to carry out cleanup activities at brownfield	In order to receive the maximum points for a section of the proposal, the 2020 grant guidelines require the proposed	EPA-OLEM-OBLR-19-06 / Grant posted on 10/10/19; closing date on 12/3/19 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	sites contaminated with hazardous substances and/or petroleum.	project to either be in an Opportunity Zones or the proposed project / revitalization plan will help spur economic growth within an Opportunity Zone. The FY 2020 grant proposal guidelines have been released and include language that would give additional ranking points to applications for site specific locations in Opportunity Zones or that would directly spur redevelopment in an Opportunity Zone.		
Local Foods, Local Places	Local Foods, Local Places helps communities revitalize neighborhoods through development of local food systems. The program was supported by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and the Northern Border Regional Commission. Local Foods, Local Places aims to support projects that do all of the following: create livable, walkable, economically vibrant main streets and mixed-use neighborhoods; boost economic opportunities for local farmers and	• For 2020-2021 Applications: Communities with projects located in federally designated Opportunity Zones will receive special consideration this round. Highest consideration will be given to those communities who can identify how Local Foods, Local Places	• For 2020-2021 Applications: See website for information. Applications are due on 10/30/20 by 11:59 PM EST. https://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/local-foods-local-places-2020-2021-application • For 2019-2019 Applications: See website for information. Applications are due on	Economic Development

	main street businesses; and improve access to healthy, local food, especially among disadvantaged populations. The program will provide selected communities planning assistance that centers around a two-day community workshop. At the workshop, a team of experts will help community members develop an implementable action plan that promotes local food and neighborhood revitalization.	assistance will leverage the Opportunity Zone designation to support implementation of the resulting action plan. • For 2019-2020 Applications: Communities with projects located in federally designated Opportunity Zones will receive special consideration this round. Highest consideration will be given to those communities who can identify how Local Foods, Local Places assistance will leverage the Opportunity Zone designation to support implementation of the resulting action plan.	9/30/19 by 5 PM EST (Closed). https://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/local-foods-local-places-2019-2020-application#eligibility	
Reduction in Lead Exposure Via Drinking Water	This program provides funds to reduce lead in drinking water in disadvantaged communities through infrastructure and/or treatment improvements or facility remediation in schools and child care facilities. The goal of these projects is to address	The grant guidelines encourage applications that falls within or contain Opportunity Zones.	EPA-OW-OGWDW-19-01 / Grant posted on 2/20/20; closing date on 6/1/20 (Closed); grant on Grants.gov	Safe Neighborhoods

	conditions that contribute to increased concentrations of lead in drinking water. The proposed projects must support the Agency's Strategic Plan for Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 – 2022, Goal 1: A Cleaner, Healthier Environment: Deliver a cleaner, safer, and healthier environment for all Americans and future generations by carrying out the Agency's core mission, Objective 1.2: Provide for Clean and Safe Water. National Priority Areas identified in this announcement are for: (1) Reduction of Lead Exposure in the Nation's Drinking Water Systems through Infrastructure and Treatment Improvements and (2) Reduction of Children's Exposure to Lead in Drinking Water at Schools and Child Care.			
Appalachian Regional Commission				
Partnerships for Opportunity and Workforce Economic Revitalization (POWER)	Invests into Appalachia's coal-impacted communities to build a competitive workforce, enhance access to and use of broadband services, foster entrepreneurial activities, develop industry clusters in communities, and strengthen substance abuse responses.	The 2019 grant guidelines include an "other factor" to serve as a potential tie-breaker for projects located in Opportunity Zones.	The FY 2020 POWER FPP has not yet been released. It will be released in the first quarter of 2020. https://www.arc.gov/opportunityzonesinappalachia.asp	Economic Development

Delta Regional Authority

States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP)	SEDAP makes strategic investments into economic and community development projects across the Mississippi River Delta region. Seventy-five percent of these funds are invested in economically distressed counties/parishes and fifty percent of these funds are invested into basic public infrastructure and transportation improvements with the remaining being directed to workforce development and business development/entrepreneurship.	DRA closed the SEDAP funding cycle on May 31, 2019 (will reopen in 2020) and is allowing up to 10% of each state's SEDAP allocation to provide grants for rural and economically distressed communities to develop Opportunity Zone investment prospectuses.	See DRA announcement made on 4/19/19: https://dra.gov/newsroom/press-release/chairman-caldwell-meets-with-president-trump-white-house-opportunity-and-re/ and SEDAP Guidelines: https://dra.gov/images/uploads/content_files/2019_SEDAP_Manual.pdf	Economic Development

Northern Border Regional Commission

State Economic and Infrastructure Development Grants	This program awards grants to programs and projects that improve the local economy through public infrastructure, job training, downtown improvements or other locally driven initiatives.	Preference points for projects located in Opportunity Zones have been added to the program's 2019 Notice of Funding Availability.	Application due date is 5/10/19 (Closed). Applications submitted directly to the NBRC. http://www.nbrc.gov/content/2019-eid-investments and the Application Manual at: http://www.nbrc.gov/uploads/2019ApplicationManual%20copy.pdf	Economic Development

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Community Reinvestment Act Regulations	The Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) encourages insured depository institutions (banks) to help meet the credit needs of the local communities in which they are chartered, consistent with banks' safe and sound operations, by requiring federal banking regulatory agencies to examine banks' records of meeting the credit needs of the entire community, including low- and moderate-income (LMI) neighborhoods.	The Office of the Comptroller of the Currency and Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation proposal have proposed a new Community Reinvestment Act regulation that would give credit to certain qualified activities, such as loans and investments, that are done in qualified low-income Opportunity Zones. The proposal also would establish a regulatory framework with the goal to encourage banks to conduct more CRA activities to serve more of their communities, including those areas with the greatest need for economic development, investment, and financing needs, such as urban and rural areas and Opportunity Zones, that may be underserved by the current regulations.	Federal Register Docket Number OCC-2018-0008. Posted on 1/9/20; comments due by 3/9/20; notice on regulations.gov at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2020/01/09/2019-27940/community-reinvestment-act-regulations?utm_campaign=subscription+mailing+list&utm_source=federalregister.gov&utm_medium=email	Economic Development

Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Council

Land Revitalization Sector	The Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Committee (Permitting Council) was created under the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act). Title 41 of the FAST Act (FAST-41) created the Permitting Council and gave it the authority to guide large infrastructure projects that fit into designated sectors through the Federal environmental review and authorization process. FPISC consists of members from the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ), Office of Management and Budget (OMB), the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and 13 Federal agencies. Projects covered under the Permitting Council involve construction of infrastructure, require authorization or environmental review by a Federal agency, are subject to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), likely to require a total investment of more than $200 million, and do not qualify for an abbreviated environmental review and authorization process. FAST-41 does not supersede, amend, or modify any Federal statute, such as NEPA, nor does it create a presumption that a covered project will be approved or	The Permitting Council voted to add land revitalization as a covered infrastructure sector to minimize the regulatory and administrative costs and burdens that discourage public and private investment in urban and economically distressed communities. These projects can now include the development, expansion or reuse of a previously developed and extensively modified or contaminated property owned, leased, abandoned or managed by state, local or tribal governments, non-governmental organizations, or the private sector, including those within an Opportunity Zone, those receiving financial assistance from a Qualified Opportunity Fund or those subject to federal, state, local or tribal cleanup programs or other similar revitalization efforts.	The press release announcing the FPISC (Permitting Council) action was released on January 16, 2020 and is located at https://cms8.permits.performance.gov/sites/permits.dot.gov/files/2020-01/LR%20Press%20Release%20OED.pdf	Economic Development

	favorably reviewed by any agency. FAST-41 is a voluntary process; project sponsors must opt-in and meet the requirements for inclusion.			

Executive Office of the President

Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice	The Executive Order 13896 issued by the President established a Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice (Commission) and designated an individual to chair the Commission. The Commission shall study issues related to law enforcement and the administration of justice and make recommendations Start Printed Page 58596to the Attorney General, who shall submit a report and recommendations to the President on actions that can be taken to prevent, reduce, and control crime, increase respect for the law, and assist victims. The Commission shall undertake, as directed by the Attorney General, a review of relevant research and expertise and make recommendations regarding important current issues facing law enforcement and the criminal justice system.	The review of relevant research and expertise and make recommendations regarding important current issues facing law enforcement and the criminal justice system includes the potential for public and private initiatives, including in "qualified opportunity zones" to reduce crime and improve police-community relations.	Federal Register Document Number: 2019-24040; Posted on 11/1/19. Executive Order 13896 issued 10/29/19.	Safe Neighborhoods