

Welcome to the 2022 Consolidated Funding Application Information Session



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Agenda

- REDC Round XII Resources Overview
- Mid-Hudson REDC Vision and Strategy
- Consolidated Funding Application (CFA)
- Application Tips
- Key Aspects of the ESD Capital Grant
- Resources
- Q&A



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Round 12



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Economic Development


- The Regional Economic Development Councils support the state’s innovative approach to economic development, which empowers regional stakeholders to establish pathways to prosperity, mapped out in regional strategic plans.
- The unprecedented economic devastation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic highlighted the importance of inclusive growth and resilient strategies.
- The Strategic Plan will continue to be the basis for economic development investment in each region.



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The Consolidated Funding Application (CFA)

- Streamlined approach to funding requests
- A single portal allowing access to funding from various agencies and programs
- Currently over 20 programs from 10 state agencies



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2022 CFA Available Resources

- Governor Hochul announced funding for Round 12 is available from over 20 programs across 10 state agencies.
- \$150 million in ESD Grant Funds will be available on a rolling basis.
- Emphasis on project readiness and alignment with regional strategy.
- NEW: Funding available through both the REDC Initiative and CFA standalone programs. Round 12 programs have an application deadline of July 29 at 4pm.
- REDCs will be made aware of projects applying to standalone programs but REDCs will not score these projects.
- Open Enrollment programs will continue to accept applications on an ongoing basis and are not subject to the July 29th 4pm deadline.



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2022 CFA Available Resources

Available Resources for Regional Councils in 2022

Programs subject to the 4:00 PM July 29, 2022 Deadline

Empire State Development: Up to \$25.125 million

- Up to \$15 million for Market New York
- Up to \$8.125 million for Business Incubator & Innovation Hot Spot Support Program
- Up to \$2 million for Strategic Planning and Feasibility Studies*

Homes and Community Renewal: Up to \$24.2 million

- Up to \$4.2 million for New York Main Street Program
- Up to \$20 million for New York State Community Development Block Grant Program*

Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation: Up to \$20.875 million

- Up to \$20.875 million for Environmental Protection Fund Grants Program for Parks, Preservation and Heritage (EPF)

Department of State: Up to \$26.3 million

- Up to \$16.3 million for the Local Waterfront Revitalization Program
- Up to \$4 million for the Brownfield Opportunity Area Program
- Up to \$2 million for the Smart Growth Comprehensive Planning Grant Program*
- Up to \$4 million for Local Government Efficiency Program*

New York State Canal Corporation: Up to \$1 million

- Up to \$1 million for the Canalway Grants Program

New York State Department of Agriculture & Markets: Up to \$5.8 million

- Up to \$5.8 million for the NYS Grown & Certified Infrastructure, Technology & R&D Program

New York State Energy Research and Development Authority: Up to \$25 million

- Up to \$10 million for Carbon Neutral Economic Development Program
- Up to \$15 million for Commercial and Industrial (C&I) Carbon Challenge

Department of Environmental Conservation: Up to \$92 million*

- Up to \$4 million for the Climate Smart Communities Grant Program*
- Up to \$75 million for the Water Quality Improvement Project (WQIP) Program*
- Up to \$3 million for the Non-Agricultural Nonpoint Source Planning and Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Mapping Grant Program*

Environmental Facilities Corporation: Up to \$18 million*

- Up to \$5 million for the Green Innovation Grant Program*
- Up to \$3 million for NYS EFC Wastewater Infrastructure Engineering Planning Grant *

Open Enrollment Programs

Empire State Development: Up to \$225 million

- Up to \$150 million for ESD Grant Funds
- Up to \$75 million for Excelsior Jobs Program

New York State Energy Research and Development Authority: Up to \$2 million*

- Up to \$2 million for Energy Efficiency Programs*

New York State Power Authority: Up to 17.9 Megawatts

- Up to 17.9 Megawatts for the ReCharge NY Program

Federal Industrial Development Bond Cap: Up to \$150 million*

- Up to \$150 million for Industrial Development Bond Cap (IDBC)*

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REDC-Scored Programs Subject to 4PM July 29th Deadline

Empire State Development: Up to \$23.125 million

- Market New York
- Business Incubator Program

Homes and Community Renewal: Up to \$4.2 million

- New York Main Street Program

Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation: Up to \$20.875 million

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- New York State Grown & Certified Infrastructure, Technology, Research and Development Grant Program

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CFA Standalone Programs Subject to 4PM July 29th Deadline

Empire State Development

- Strategic Planning and Feasibility Studies

Homes and Community Renewal

- New York State Community Development Block Grant Program

Department of State

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- Local Government Efficiency Program

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Environmental Facilities Corporation: Up to \$17.5 million

- Green Innovation Grant Program
- NYS EFC Wastewater Infrastructure Engineering Planning Grant Program

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Open Enrollment Programs: REDC-Scored


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Open Enrollment: Standalone Programs

New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA): Up to \$2 million

- Energy Efficiency Programs

Federal Industrial Development Bond Cap: Up to \$150 million

- Industrial Development Bond Cap (IDBC)

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CFA Timeline

Deadline Programs

MAY 2, 2022
CFA OPENS

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JULY 29, 2022
CFA closes at 4PM sharp
No late submissions!

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LATE FALL 2022
Award announcements

Open Enrollment Programs

MAY 2, 2022
CFA OPENS

↓

CFA remains open until funds are exhausted.
Projects are reviewed on quarterly basis or more frequently if needed.

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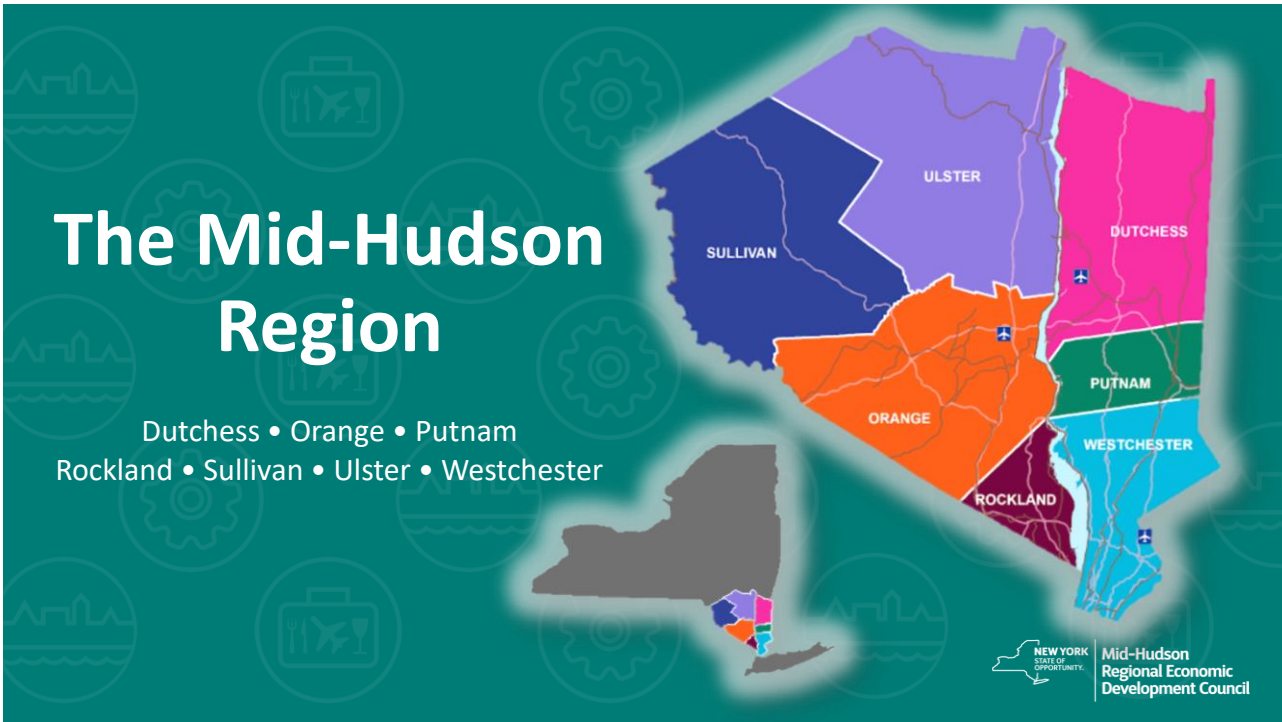
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Vision and Strategy



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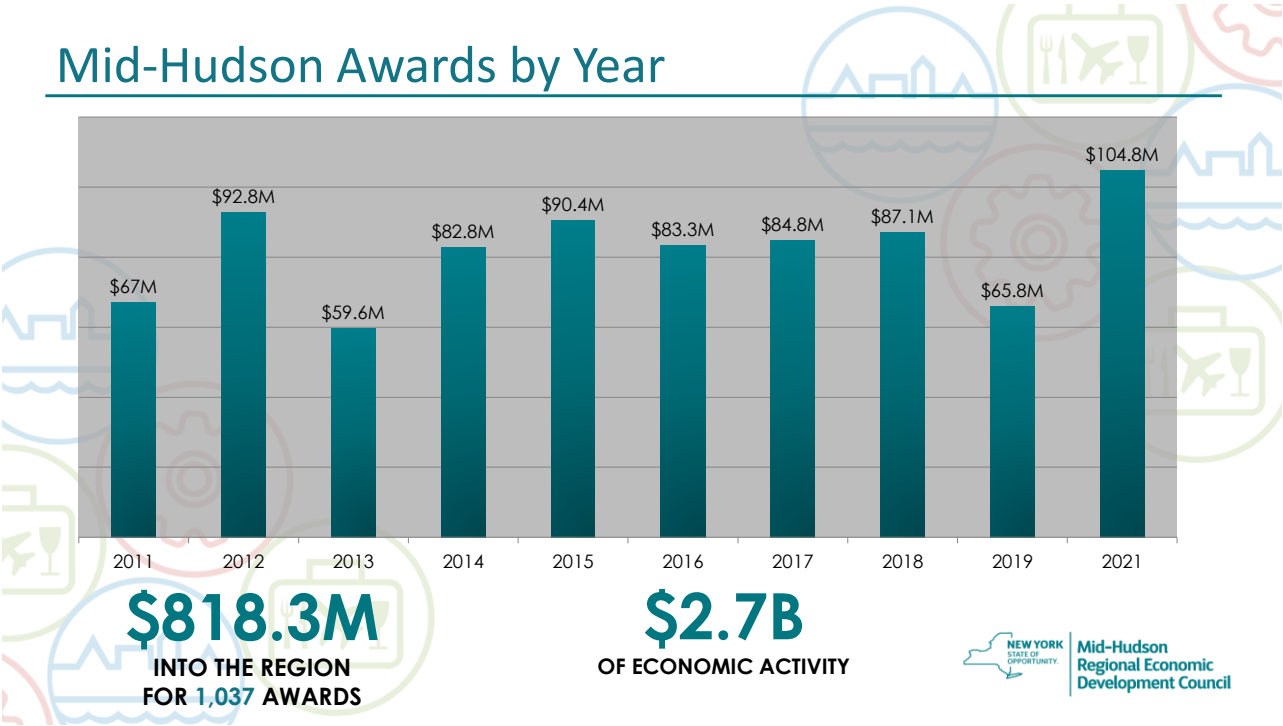


MHREDC Vision

The MHREDC imagines a future that includes **dynamic community centers** featuring businesses in **thriving industry sectors**, residents from all walks of life benefitting from **quality employment**, and countless **tourist attractions** that make the Mid-Hudson a **unique destination and place to live**.



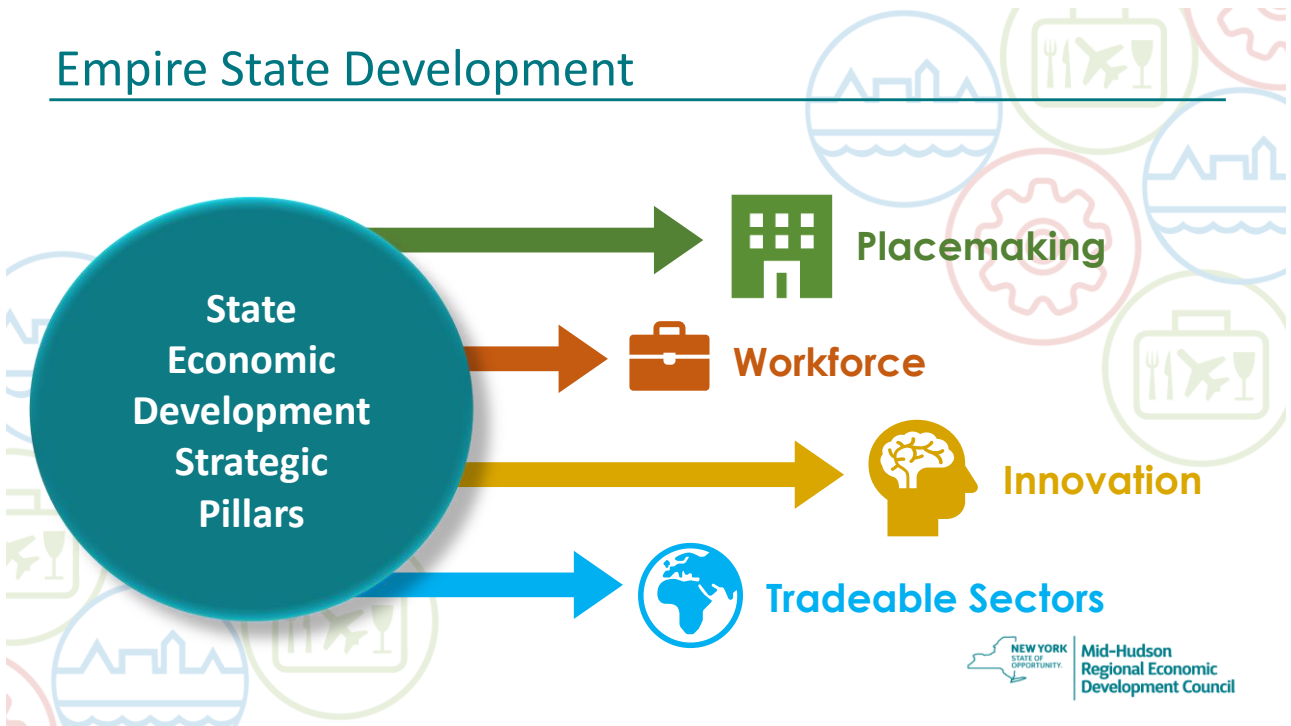
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MHREDC Strategy



Empire State Development



MHREDC Strategy



LIVE

- Smart Growth
- Transit Oriented Development
- Downtown Revitalization
- Retention of Residents
- Infrastructure Improvements
- Placemaking
- Environmental Justice
- Healthcare



WORK

- Workforce
- Life Sciences
- Advanced Manufacturing
- Information Technology
- Distribution
- Innovation
- Financial & Professional Services
- Film & Television Production
- Diverse Small Businesses




PLAY

- Premier Tourist Destination
- Food & Beverage
- Local Agriculture
- Arts, Culture, Recreation
- Resiliency

State Priorities

State Priority	LIVE	WORK	PLAY
Business Incubators and Hot Spots		•	
Child Care	•	•	
Downtown Revitalization & Placemaking	•		•
Environmental Justice	•		•
Life Sciences		•	
Opportunity Agenda	•	•	
Regional Economic Cluster Plan: Food & Beverage Manufacturing Supply Chain		•	•
Workforce Development	•	•	•
Veterans		•	

Past Project Highlight



LIVE

Saw Mill River Daylighting

Organization: City of Yonkers


CFA #: 19436, 26857, 39716, 65952


Location: City of Yonkers, Westchester County

Total Project Cost: \$37+ Million

REDC Awards:


- \$921,425 – EFC Green Innovation Grant – Round II
- \$1,076,977 – EFC Green Innovation Grant – Round III
- \$2,500,000 – ESD Capital Grant – Round IV
- \$2,400,000 – DEC WQIP – Round VI





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Past Project Highlight



WORK

RBW Studio

Organization: RBW Studio


Project #: 134,117


Location: Town of Ulster, Ulster County

Total Project Cost: \$5.4+ Million

REDC Awards:


- \$547,500 Excelsior Tax Credits





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Past Project Highlight



PLAY

LEGOLAND New York

Organization: Merlin Entertainments

CFA #: 43451, 57588, 57595, 71029

Location: Town of Goshen, Orange County


Total Project Cost: \$420+ Million


REDC Awards:

- \$15 Million ESD Capital Grants
- \$100,000 ESD Market NY
- \$8 Million Upstate Revitalization Initiative

Other State Awards:

- \$10,588,000 NYSDOT





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Consolidated Funding Application Overview



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CFA Review & Scoring

Regional Council Statewide Endorsement Standard		
For each CFA the Regional Council reviewer will determine the degree to which the application implements the regional strategic plan and assign the corresponding number of points.		
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN	DEGREE	POINTS
The proposal is identified as a priority project by the Regional Council.	Priority	20
The proposal is identified in the plan and has regional benefits	Very Strong	15
The proposal advances the plan and has local benefits	Strong	10
The proposal is consistent with the plan and has project level benefits.	Moderate	5
The proposal has limited relationship to the plan.	Weak	0

REDC Endorsement

Agency Technical Review

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To access the CFA, click "Apply now"

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The Consolidated Funding Application for Round XII is now open through July 29, 2022 at 4:00 PM. [Apply now.](#)

Sign up to receive email updates on the CFA and other economic development initiatives here.

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Consolidated Funding Application - Round XII Is Open!

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2022 Available CFA Resources

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2022 Regional Council Guidebook

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2022 CFA Application Manual

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2022 CFA Program Webinars

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Standalone CFA Programs for 2022

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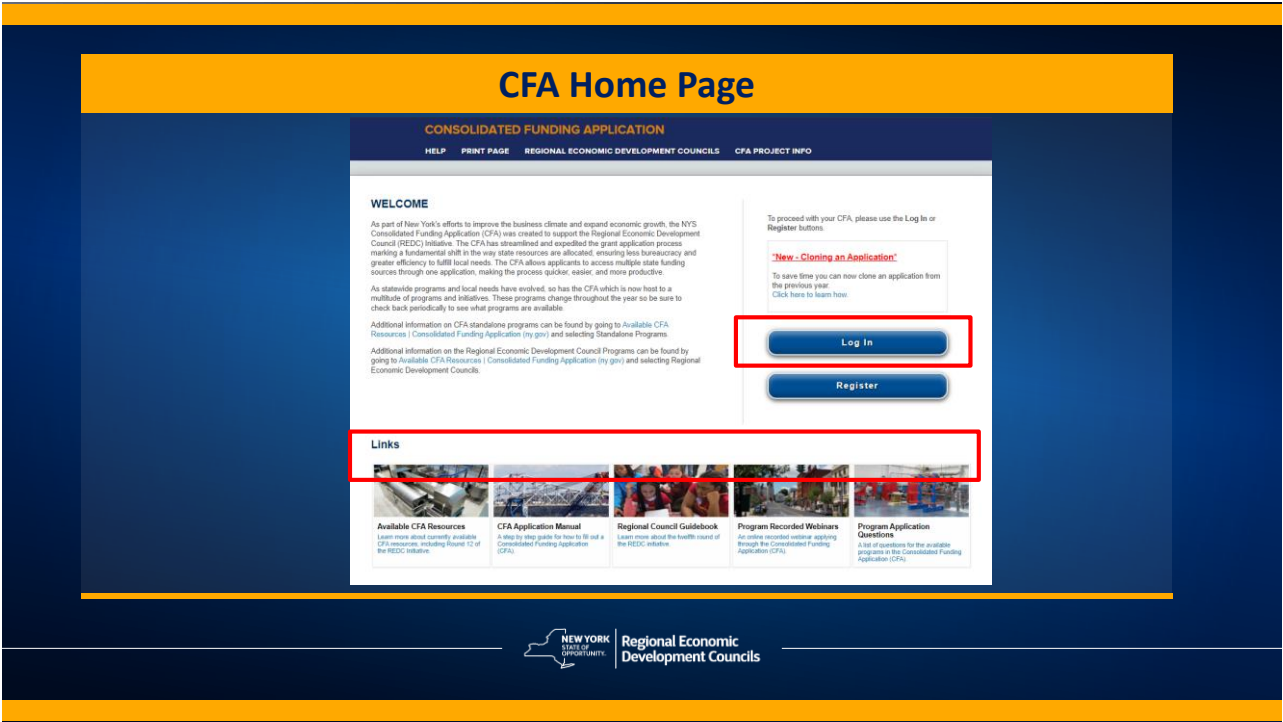
Start or Resume Your CFA here.

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Important Round 12 Resources

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CFA Overview

CONSOLIDATED FUNDING APPLICATION

HELP PRINT PAGE REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS CFA PROJECT INFO

NYS Consolidated Funding Application Registration

Email Address

Email Address Check

Please enter your email address for a verification check.

Organization Name

If you do not have a business name yet please enter your DBA "Doing Business As". Use only alpha-numeric characters.

Project Name

This will be the name associated with your project. Use only alpha-numeric characters.

Please enter the sum of the following two numbers:
1 + 8 =

This helps to protect our system from spam.

Register New Application

CONSOLIDATED FUNDING APPLICATION

APPLICATION HELP PRINT LOG OUT REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS CFA PROJECT INFO

Program Wizard

Choose project categories and types to help you decide which programs are right for your project's application

Proceed to Program Wizard

OR

Program List

Choose programs by selecting from a list of programs organized by State Agency

Proceed to Program List

Your Application's Programs

Programs were recently added to your application. To see if your application potentially qualifies for the following programs, you will need to answer a few threshold questions. [Click Here to Proceed with the Application.](#)

You potentially qualify for the following programs:

New Program

Excelsior Jobs Program

Show program description

You need to answer threshold questions for this program.

Open Enrollment

REMOVE

New Program

NYSERDA Energy Efficiency Projects

Show program description

You need to answer threshold questions for this program.

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CFA Overview (continued)

Threshold

Empire State Development Grant Funds

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Does the proposed project budget only include capital expenditures? By selecting yes, you are confirming that project funding will only be used for one or more of the following categories:

- Acquisition of land, building, machinery and/or equipment
- Acquisition of existing business and/or assets;
- Demolition and environmental remediation;
- New construction, renovation or leasehold improvements;
- Acquisition of furniture and fixtures;
- Soft costs up to twenty-five percent (25%) of total project costs; and
- Planning and feasibility studies related to a specific capital project

☒ Yes

☐ No

Q_3116

Have any of the expenses for this project (or, in the case of a multi-phase project, the phase of the project for which funds are being requested) been incurred or are expected to be incurred prior to an award of funding?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Q_3118

Does the proposed project budget include a 10% cash equity contribution from the Applicant?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Q_5702

Will the funds be used by the recipient (applicant) to create a program to disburse funds to sub-recipients?

☐ Yes

☒ No

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CFA Overview (Continued)

PROGRAMS

LOCATION

DOCUMENTS

QUESTIONNAIRE

JOB

FUNDING

REVIEW

REQUIRED & OPTIONAL DOCUMENTS

Instructions

Your application may require you to upload supporting documents. These files must be in PDF, JPG or ZIP format (unless specifically noted otherwise below) and cannot be larger than 30 MB in size. You may combine multiple PDF files into a single ZIP file if necessary. Avoid using special characters like %, &, ., \$, *, @ in your document name as this will cause errors in the upload. If an attachment question requires more than one document, you must create a single PDF or JPG file that contains all the required documents or a ZIP file that contains the required documents. More information is available on how to create PDFs from other documents and how to create ZIP files.

You may proceed with your application without uploading these documents. However, if supporting documents are required, you must return to this section and upload the required documents before you can finalize and submit your application.

Your answers will be automatically saved whenever you tab to the next question or when you click outside the answer box in which you are working. You may also click the "Save" button at the bottom of the screen to save your responses.

Legend

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this document is optional and has not been provided. Optional documents are helpful in the evaluation of your application, but not required.

the uploaded document is "redacted". The document will only be shared with the state agency authority that is required to review this application.

PROJECT FUNDING

Instructions

The following questions will collect information regarding your project's cost and funding. Please follow the instructions associated with each section below.

Total Project Cost

The TOTAL cost of the project for which funds are being requested via this CFA. Projects that have multiple phases should be careful to include ONLY the phase covered by this CFA round. Please use only numbers, no commas (,), dollar signs (\$), or special characters.

Total project cost: \$

Save

Funding Requested from Program

The amount you are requesting from each program on your application. Please use only numbers, no commas (,), dollar signs (\$), or special characters.

Program	Amount Requested	
Executive Jobs Program	\$	Amount Not Requested
NYSED/EA Energy Efficiency Projects	\$	
Total Amount Requested	\$	

Save

REVIEW

Application Checklist

Programs

Completed

Non-Profit

Completed

Location

Completed

Documents

Completed

Questionnaire

Completed

Job

Completed

Funding & Budget

Completed

Please Acknowledge

By clicking the "Save" button, you are certifying that the information provided in this application is true and correct, and that you understand that the information provided in this application is subject to review and verification by the State of New York. You agree to provide all information requested in this application, and you agree to provide all information requested in this application, and you agree to provide all information requested in this application.

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Application Tips

- ✓ **Review** the 2022 Resources Available Guide
- ✓ **Answer** the questions asked
- ✓ **Articulate the economic impact** and connection to Regional Strategy
- ✓ **Address** State Priority Questions
- ✓ **Collect** Letters of Support
- ✓ **Not-for-Profits:** Register with Grants Gateway
- ✓ **Tech Support:** CFA-Tech@ny.gov
- ✓ **Apply BEFORE the deadline of July 29th at 4PM** (for non-open enrollment programs)



Application Tips

Example Program Budget (ESD Capital Grant)				
Use	Source	Status	Amount	Comments
Infrastructure/Site Work	Cash Equity	Secured	\$500,000	
Construction/Renovation	Lending Institution	Anticipated	\$800,000	XYZ Bank - application submitted
Construction/Renovation	ESD Grant Funds	Anticipated	\$100,000	Also applying for Market NY Capital Grant
Architectural/Engineering/Soft Costs	Cash Equity	Secured	\$100,000	
TOTAL			\$1,500,000	



Key Aspects of ESD Grant Awards



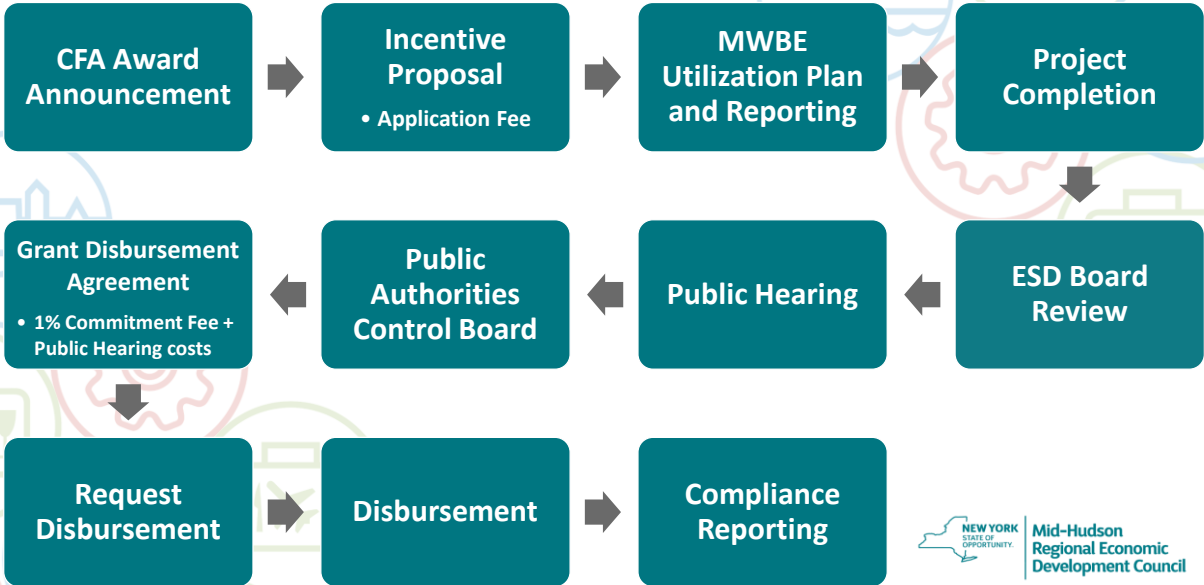
Key Aspects of ESD Grant Awards

- “But for” clause
- Minority and Women-owned Business Enterprise (MWBE) Goals
 - New York State Contract System: <https://ny.newnycontracts.com>
 - MWBE Utilization Plan and Reporting
- Performance-based awards
 - Project Completion
 - Job Creation
- Labor Peace Agreement

See the “2022 Resources Available Guide” for more at
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ESD Capital Grant Post-Award Steps Overview



CFA Round XII – Available Resources

On the Web:

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Resources include:

- Available Resources Guide
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CFA Application Deadline: Friday, July 29, 4pm SHARP!

The screenshot shows the 'Consolidated Funding Application - Round XII is Open!' page. It includes a QR code, a list of resources with 'VIEW FILE' buttons, and a section for '2022 CFA Program Webinars' with a 'VIEW WEBINARS' button. The page also mentions the deadline for applications is Friday, July 29 at 4pm sharp.

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For Awareness – Other State Funding Programs

- **NYSCA FY2023 Opportunities** - arts.ny.gov/FY2023FundingOpportunities
 - **Deadline to apply: July 12, 2022, at 4PM**
- **Downtown Revitalization Initiative (DRI) Round VI** – *stay tuned*
- **NY Forward Communities** – *stay tuned*
- **Restore NY** – *stay tuned*
- **Fast NY – Shovel Ready Investments** – *stay tuned*
- **Office of Strategic Workforce Development** – *stay tuned*
- **Small Business Rescue Plan** – *stay tuned*
- **...and much more!**



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