



November 22, 2017

TO: ALL FEDERALLY-RECOGNIZED TRIBES IN CALIFORNIA
RE: HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM TRIBAL ALLOCATION
FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2017 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), Homeland Security Grants Program (HSGP), is soliciting proposals for the Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) tribal allocation for FY 2017.

The tribal allocation is part of a continuing initiative intended to build on the prevention, protection, response, and recovery capabilities within California tribal nations. This will be accomplished through funding a range of activities with a terrorism nexus, including planning, organization, equipment purchase, training, exercises, and management and administration.

For FY 2017, \$650,000 is available in the tribal allocation, and Applicants may request up to \$100,000 each. Proposals will be rated and ranked competitively. The highest ranked Applicants will be selected for funding.

The funding cycle for the allocation will begin approximately on January 1, 2018, and end May 31, 2020. Applicants are encouraged to read the entire HSGP guidance and Request for Proposal guidelines carefully to ensure proposals contain the required elements. A Notice of Interest and Project Narrative(s) must be submitted via email and received by **Wednesday, January 31, 2018**.

Grant proposals are subject to the California Public Records Act, Government Code Section 6250, et seq. Do not put any personally identifiable information or private information on this proposal. If you believe that any of the information you are putting on this proposal is exempt from the Public Records Act, please indicate what portions of the proposal and the basis for the exemption. Your statement that the information is not subject to the Public Records Act will not guarantee that the information will not be disclosed.

All questions regarding this Request for Proposal must be submitted in writing to Cal OES Infrastructure Protection Grant Unit at Tribal.HSGP@CalOES.ca.gov

Sincerely,

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