

Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Grant Update



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HMEP Grant

- ▶ Offered by US DOT/PHMSA
- ▶ HazMat Training/Planning Grant Assistance
 - Public Sector Employees
- ▶ Increase the Safe Handling of HazMat Accidents & Incidents
- ▶ Enhance EPCRA Implementation
- ▶ Encourage Comprehensive Emergency Training & Planning
 - Incorporating Unique Response Challenges to Transportation Situations
- ▶ Performance-based grant
 - Builds on & Supports Accomplishments of Long-Term Goals & Objectives

2015–16 Planning Summary

- ▶ **US DOT/PHMSA Funding Priority**
 - Activities Addressing Bulk Transport of Energy Products by Rail & Road
- ▶ **Sub-Grant Award Projects**
 - Emergency Plans/Procedures
 - Commodity Flow Studies
 - Drills/Exercises
- ▶ **Sub-Grantees**
 - Sacramento
 - San Diego
 - Trinity
 - Tuolumne
- ▶ **Grant Administration & Planning Sub-Grant Management**
- ▶ **Sponsored CUPA Conference & Continuing Challenge**
- ▶ **LEPC Continuing Challenge Fee Registration Waivers**

2015-16 Training Summary

- ▶ Maintain HazMat Training Curriculum
- ▶ Training Grant Administration
- ▶ Coordinate & Audit Outreach HazMat Training Classes

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| HazMat Technician | Two 4-Week Series |
| HazMat Specialist | Six 2-Week Series |
| Hazardous Materials Instructor Certification & Train the Trainer | Two Classes |
| Hazardous Materials Assistant Safety Officer | One Class |
| HazMat Incident Commander | Two Classes |
| HazMat Incident Commander Refresher | Two Classes |
| Hazardous Materials Instructor Certification | One Class |
| Mass Causality Decon | Three Classes |
| First Responder Operations | One Class |
| First Responder Operations - Decon | One Class |
| Hazmat Technical Reference Specialist | One Class |

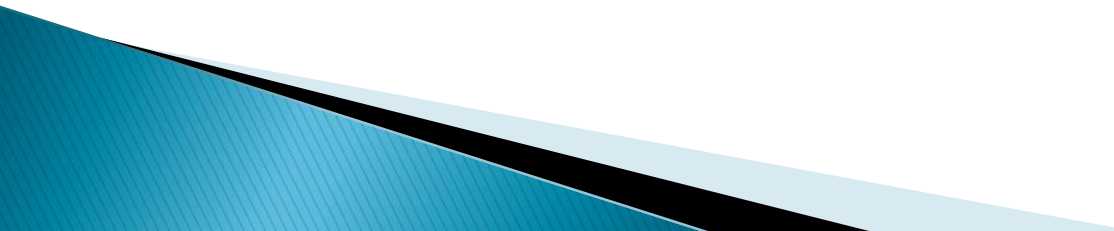
Administration

Courses Provided

2016–19 HMEP Grant

- ▶ New Grant Cycle Began October 1, 2016
- ▶ Multi-Year Performance Period
- ▶ Grantees Determine Planning/Training Allocation
 - California Allocating 30% – Planning & 70% – Training
- ▶ Removes requirement to make 75% available to LEPCs
 - Projects must still benefit LEPCs
- ▶ California Funding
 - Year 1 Allocation/\$1,503,300
 - Year 2 Projected Allocation/\$997,696
 - Year 3 Projected Allocation/\$997,696

2016–19 Proposed Planning Activities

- ▶ LEPC Regional Plan Project – Phase III
 - ▶ CUPA & Continuing Challenge Sponsorships Each Year
 - ▶ LEPC Continuing Challenge Registration Fee Waivers Each Year
 - ▶ Fund LEPC Representatives' Travel Costs to SERC Meetings
 - ▶ Unused Funds Will Roll Over to Next Grant Year
 - ▶ January 2017 – Begin Sub-Grant Solicitation for Years 2 & 3
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2016–19 Proposed Training Activities

| Each Class to be Shared Between Two Regions | Year 1 (2016-17) | Year 2 (2017-18) | Year 3 (2018-19) |
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| Regions 1 and VI | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Technician Series (Modules A, B, C, and D) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Specialist Series (Modules F and G) Incident Commander Assistant Safety Officer | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Technician Series (Modules A, B, C, and D) |
| Regions II and III | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Technician Series (Modules A, B, C, and D) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Specialist Series (Modules F and G) Incident Commander Assistant Safety Officer | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Technician Series (Modules A, B, C, and D) |
| Regions IV and V | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Specialist Series (Modules F and G) Incident Commander Assistant Safety Officer | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Technician Series (Modules A, B, C, and D) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HazMat Specialist Series (Modules F and G) Incident Commander Assistant Safety Officer |