



## GRANT MANAGEMENT MEMORANDUM GMM 2024-17

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**Date:** October 25, 2024

**To:** All California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) Homeland Security Grant Program, Emergency Management Performance Grant, Emergency Operations Center Grant Program, and Nonprofit Security Grant Program Subrecipients

**From:** Cal OES Grants Management

**Subject:** Grants Central System (GCS)

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On July 3, 2024, Cal OES Grants Management announced its new Grants Central System (GCS). GCS will simplify the grant process with a streamlined, efficient, and automated approach to manage grant programs.

Starting with the Fiscal Year 2024 grant application cycle, Subrecipients will complete and submit their subaward applications in the GCS. All related grant activities throughout the grant cycle will also occur in the GCS. All previous open grant year activities will continue with the Financial Management Forms Workbook.

We are excited to provide additional information and resources, as detailed below, to enhance understanding of the GCS and ensure a successful application process.

- To complete your FY 2024 application, you must first register in GCS. Please visit the [GCS webpage](#) to register your organization. Community-based organizations will need to register with their legal name as identified on the IRS or federal tax return document. Questions regarding the registration process can be directed to: [grantscentralinfo@caloes.ca.gov](mailto:grantscentralinfo@caloes.ca.gov).
- Cal OES Grants Management will notify subrecipients when the FY 2024 applications are available to be completed in GCS; we anticipate this will be available mid-January 2025. For specific FY 2024 application due dates, please reach out to your assigned Grants Analyst.
- Upon completion and approval of your application in GCS, you will be able to request reimbursement of eligible subaward expenditures in the system.