



# MARCH GRANT & EVENT UPDATES



## RECOVERY SUPPORT FUNCTIONS

This fact sheet is designed to provide grant information, events, opportunities, and other resources available. These resources are cycled to remain up to date.

### Grant & Loan Opportunities

#### National Coastal Resilience Fund 2026

##### **Deadline for pre-proposal: March 31, 2026**

The National Coastal Resilience Fund (NCRF) will award grants for nature-based solutions that protect coastal communities while enhancing habitats for fish and wildlife. The NCRF invests in coastal resilience projects that restore, increase and strengthen natural infrastructure such as coastal marshes and wetlands, dune and beach systems, oyster and coral reefs, rivers and floodplains, coastal forest, and barrier islands that mitigate the impacts of storms and other coastal hazards to communities.

#### Native American Library Services Enhancement Grants

##### **Deadline: April 10, 2026**

The Native American Library Services Enhancement Grants program (NAE) assists eligible Native Communities in sustaining and improving library services with their communities. As information needs change, Tribal libraries must be able to serve as knowledge and resource centers to benefit their users and the wellness of their communities. The NAE program supports Native Communities across the country to address their individual information needs and priorities.

#### Wildfire Smoke Preparedness in Community Buildings

##### **Deadline: April 15, 2026**

This program provides grants to states, federally recognized Tribes, public pre-schools, local educational agencies, and non-profit organizations for the assessment, prevention, control, or abatement of wildfire smoke hazards in community buildings and related activities. These grants are intended to support activities that will reduce indoor exposure to pollutants in wildfire smoke and, in turn, reduce the public health burden of wildfire smoke exposure.

#### Strategic Growth Council Factory Built Housing (FBH) Pilot Program - Planning Grant

##### **Deadline: May 5, 2026**

**Planning Grants** are designed for projects that have progressed beyond the early-stage activities and are poised to implement or meaningfully advance coordinated planning efforts that position their region for scalable factory-built housing delivery. The FBH Program will provide Planning Grants of up to \$3 million over a three-year term to support initiatives that are ready to translate exploratory and early-stage coordination efforts into actionable strategies, scalable plans, and targeted pre-implementation activities.

For more funding opportunities, visit [California Grants Portal](#)



## Grant & Loan Opportunities Cont.

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### [Strategic Growth Council Factory Built Housing \(FBH\) Pilot Program - Catalyst Grant](#)

**Deadline: May 5, 2026**

The FBH Program will provide **Catalyst Grants** of up to \$500,000 over a two-year term to help Grantees launch or advance early-stage efforts that build regional knowledge, capacity, networks, and stakeholder support for the production and deployment of factory-built housing in California.

### [Drinking Water State Revolving Fund \(DWSRF\) Construction](#)

**Deadline: Ongoing**

Construction of water systems' infrastructures (treatment facilities, water sources, storages, and distribution systems) and contingency of change orders are common eligible construction cost. Additional eligible construction cost examples are value appraisal and land purchase for right-of-way and easements, planning and design, administration, and construction management.

The DWRSF program assists public water systems in financing the cost of drinking water infrastructure projects needed to achieve or maintain compliance with Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) requirements and support to human right to water.

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## Events

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### [Your Path to Rebuilding: Insurance Help & Resources Workshop](#)

**March 7, 2026, from 10 AM - 12 PM**

**Location:** Altadena, CA Community Center

This free, in-person workshop is designed to support the Altadena community through the rebuilding process. Learn directly from the California Department of Insurance and Unites Policyholders about insurance claims, coverage, and your rights as a policyholder. Get practical guidance, trusted resources, and answers to your questions.

### [Housing California 2026 Conference](#)

**March 18-20, 2026**

**Location:** Sacramento, CA

Registration is officially open for the 2026 Housing California Annual Conference, taking place March 18-20 at the SAFE Credit Union Convention Center in Sacramento. This year's event is expected to draw more than 2,800 leaders committed to advancing homes, health, and prosperity for all Californians. For registration types, pricing, agenda details, group registration options, and more, visit the conference website on the link above.

### [National Disaster Preparedness Training Center: Community Planning for Disaster Recovery](#)

**March 25-26, 2026, from 1 PM - 5 PM**

**Location:** Virtual

Community Planning for Disaster Recovery is an eight-hour awareness-level course that provides facilitated discussions on key concepts for disaster recovery planning, including the benefits of pre-disaster planning, key elements, and the plan development process. Target Audience: Government Administration, Emergency Management, Public Health, Public Works, Transportation, Community Volunteer.

