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***Competitive Grant Assistance Program Grants Awarded***  
***Sixteen Municipalities to Receive Funding***

More than \$6.6 million in funding, through the Competitive Grant Assistance Program (CGAP), will be awarded to 16 local units of government across Michigan in the second round of Fiscal Year 2014 funding. CGAP has helped offset local government costs associated with mergers, consolidations, inter-local agreements, and cooperative efforts among municipalities, authorities, and school districts.

“The municipalities that have been awarded funding in this round are continuing to take important steps toward cost-saving collaborations and in many cases, full consolidations of municipal services,” Gov. Rick Snyder said. “These kind of efforts are good for communities and residents who will benefit from increased cooperative partnerships and improved services and simultaneously good for taxpayers with the resulting savings.”

The following communities will receive CGAP Grants for the second round of Fiscal Year 2014, with projects and amounts noted:

<b>Local Unit</b>	<b>Project Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Delhi Charter Township	Collaboration to conduct joint trainings for six fire departments	\$224,800
City of East Lansing	Collaboration to form an active violence/shooter response team for six fire departments	\$793,167
Eaton County	Collaboration by area communities to determine the feasibility of shared recycling services	\$10,001
City of Highland Park	Consolidation of fire dispatch among the Cities of Detroit, Hamtramck, and Highland Park	\$401,000
Mecosta County	Consolidation of morgue services with Newaygo County	\$601,641
City of Melvindale	Consolidation of jail services with the City of Allen Park	\$480,000
City of Melvindale	Consolidation of building inspection services with the City of Allen Park	\$31,250
Oakland County	Collaboration by three counties to form the Great Lakes Water Authority	\$3,800,000
Oceana County	Collaboration by area communities to determine the feasibility of shared fire services	\$13,750

Ottawa County	Consolidation of the Ottawa County Sheriff's Office with the Village of Spring Lake/City of Ferrysburg Police Department.	\$31,588
City of Rochester Hills	Collaboration by three communities to determine the feasibility of forming a water authority	\$17,100
Solon Township	Collaboration with the City of Cedar Springs to determine the feasibility of shared fire services	\$11,750
Village of Spring Lake	Collaboration with Spring Lake Township to share services and facilities	\$54,000
St. Clair County	Collaboration with Sanilac County to determine the feasibility of shared public health services	\$10,500
City of Wayland	Consolidation of fire services with Leighton Township	\$25,000
City of Wyoming	Collaboration to form a joint water and ice rescue team for three fire departments	\$97,995

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