



Flood Mitigation Assistance Swift Current



Est. application deadline: TBD (previous round was due 01/15/2025)



Est. available funding: TBD (previous round was \$300M)

Note: Estimated based on prior year's NOFO. Subject to change with future announcements (e.g., agency announcements, actual NOFOs).

Source: [Flood Mitigation Assistance Swift Current Notice of Funding Opportunity](#)

Considerations for NOFO guidance and application preparation

- As of March 6, 2026, this fact pack was based on the prior program NOFO (released in 2024)
- NOFOs may be subject to change. Recent updates to NOFOs for other grants have included:
 - Revisions to program names
 - Removal of language, merit criteria, and application requirements around climate change and sustainability; environmental justice; equity; and workforce development (e.g., BUILD, Large Bridge Projects)
 - Updates to total funding amounts available
 - Defining Historically Disadvantaged Communities using the same statutory definition for Areas of Persistent Poverty
 - New language on applicant compliance with federal laws, regulations, executive orders, policies, guidelines, and requirements, “including cooperating with and not impeding U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and other Federal offices and components of the Department of Homeland Security in the enforcement of Federal law”¹
 - Clarifying all grant agreements or contracts must include terms that are in compliance with Section 3(C)(iv) of EO *Ending Illegal Discrimination and Restoring Merit-Based Opportunity*
- Please refer to the MIO TAC website, grants.gov, and other source materials linked in this presentation for the latest information on NOFOs

1. [2025 BIP Large Bridge Project Grants Notice of Funding Amendments](#)

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Source: [2025 BUILD Notice of Funding Amendment](#), [2025 BIP Large Bridge Project Grants Notice of Funding Amendments](#)

FMA Swift Current aims to streamline funding to Individual Flood Mitigation Projects



Goals and merit criteria:

FMA Swift Current funds Individual Flood Mitigation Projects for Repetitive Loss (RL), Severe Repetitive Loss (SRL), or properties deemed Substantially Damaged after the applicant's disaster declaration incident period start date.

The following are key performance indicators for this grant:

- Total number of NFIP-insured properties selected that are FMA and/or NFIP defined Severe Repetitive Loss (SRL), Repetitive Loss (RL), and properties deemed Substantially Damaged after the applicant's disaster declaration incident period start date
- Total federal cost share funding invested in or benefiting Justice40 Communities identified using version 1.0 of the Climate and Economic Justice Screening Tool (CEJST)
- Number of State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial Governments (SLTTs) that attended tailored pre-application support and outreach activities hosted by FEMA
- Timeliness of obligation from the disaster declaration date
- Total dollar amount of flood losses avoided in projects or communities funded by FMA Swift Current subapplications

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FMA Swift Current Details

Match funding
requirement: 0-25%¹

Direct Pay
applicability: No

Eligible grant uses

All properties must be covered by a contract for flood insurance made available under the NFIP

Severe Repetitive Loss (SRL) properties have four or more separate claims payments made under flood insurance coverage, with each claim exceeding \$5,000, or have two separate payments cumulatively exceeding the market value of the insured structure

Repetitive Loss (RL) properties have incurred two occasions of flood-related damage where the cost of repair was at least 25% of the market value of the structure, and where the contract at the time of the second flood had Increased Cost of Compliance coverage

Substantially Damaged property properties

Award figures

- Up to \$10M if the applicant has at least \$1M in prior NFIP flood insurance claims between a pre-specified date and the disaster declaration; OR if the applicant receives 500 or more NFIP flood insurance claims in the declared disaster
- Up to \$20M if the applicant has at least \$5M in prior NFIP flood insurance claims from a pre-specified date to the disaster declaration date; OR if the applicant both has at least \$1M in prior NFIP flood insurance claims between a pre-specified date and the disaster declaration AND receives 500 or more NFIP flood insurance claims in the declared disaster
- Up to \$40M if the applicant both has at least \$5M in prior NFIP flood insurance claims from a pre-specified date to the disaster declaration date AND receives 500 or more NFIP flood insurance claims in the declared disaster
- Up to \$5M if federally recognized Tribes and U.S. Territories do not meet the NFIP flood insurance claims-based allocation determination criteria above; OR for special consideration requests sent to the FEMA Regional Administrator.

Period of Performance 36 months

Previous awards (national)

2023 awards 22 projects selected, with \$415M in funding

1. Federal cost-share funding varies from up to 100% for SRL properties, 90% for RL properties, and 75% if a higher federal cost share is not available

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Source: [Flood Mitigation Assistance Swift Current Notice of Funding Opportunity](#), [Fiscal Year 2023 Swift Current Activations](#)

High level requirements to apply for a FMA Swift Current grant

NON-EXHAUSTIVE



Eligible Entities

- States
- District of Columbia
- U.S. territories
- Federally recognized Tribal nations

Note: Eligible applicants must designate one agency to serve as the applicant for FMA Swift Current funding. Local governments and federally-recognized tribal governments (who choose to apply as subapplicants) are considered subapplicants and must submit subapplications to their state, territory, or tribal applicant agency.



Key Grant Application Components

- SF-424, Application for Federal Assistance
- Grants.gov Lobbying Form, Certification Regarding Lobbying
- SF-424A, Budget Information (Non-Construction)
- For construction under an award, submit SF-424C, Budget Information (Construction), in addition to or instead of SF-424A
- SF-424B, Standard Assurances (Non-Construction)
- For construction under an award, submit SF-424D, Standard Assurances (Construction), in addition to or instead of SF-424B
- SF-LLL, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities

Supplemental documents

- **Benefit-Cost Analysis (BCA):** Applicants and sub-applicants applying for an Individual Flood Mitigation Project must provide a BCA or other documentation that validates cost-effectiveness
- **Statement of Voluntary Participation:** The subrecipients must provide a signed copy of the Statement of Voluntary Participation for each property post-award
- Applicants and sub-applicants applying for hazard mitigation projects must **provide information needed to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)** and the related Department of Homeland Security and FEMA instructions and directives

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Example of a past winner in Michigan



DR-4757-MI Michigan Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding (2023, 2024 declaration date)

- **Applicant:** Affected Michigan counties were Kent, Ionia, Eaton, Ingham, Livingston, Oakland, Macomb, Wayne, and Monroe
- **Funding:** \$20M
- **Project description:** Funding received after properties sustained damage in Presidential Declared Disaster 4757