

FEMA HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE (HMA) Program

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WHAT IS HAZARD MITIGATION?

- Hazard mitigation is any sustainable action that reduces or eliminates long-term risk to people and property from future disasters. Mitigation planning breaks the cycle of disaster damage, reconstruction and repeated damage.
- Hazard mitigation includes long-term solutions that reduce the impact of disasters in the future.

DISASTER

Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
(HMGP-404 program)

Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Post Fire
(HMGP Post Fire)



NON-DISASTER

Flood Mitigation Assistance
(FMA)

Legislative Pre-Disaster Mitigation
(LPDM)

Flood Mitigation Assistance Swift Current
(Swift)



WHAT IS A DISASTER GRANT?

After a natural disaster occurs, a governor, tribal chief executive, or equivalent, may request a major disaster declaration from the president. If declared a disaster, HMGP (404) may receive 15% of the federal assistance, subject to a sliding scale

DR-4785

Apr 3rd – 5th Storm

OPEN

DUE: 10/17/2025 by 5pm

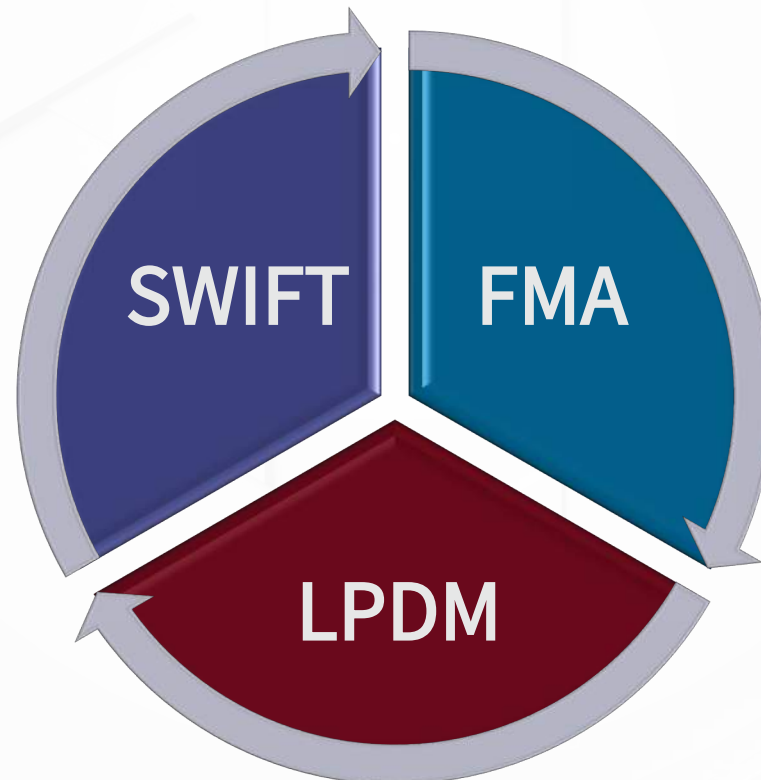
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WHAT IS A NON-DISASTER GRANT?

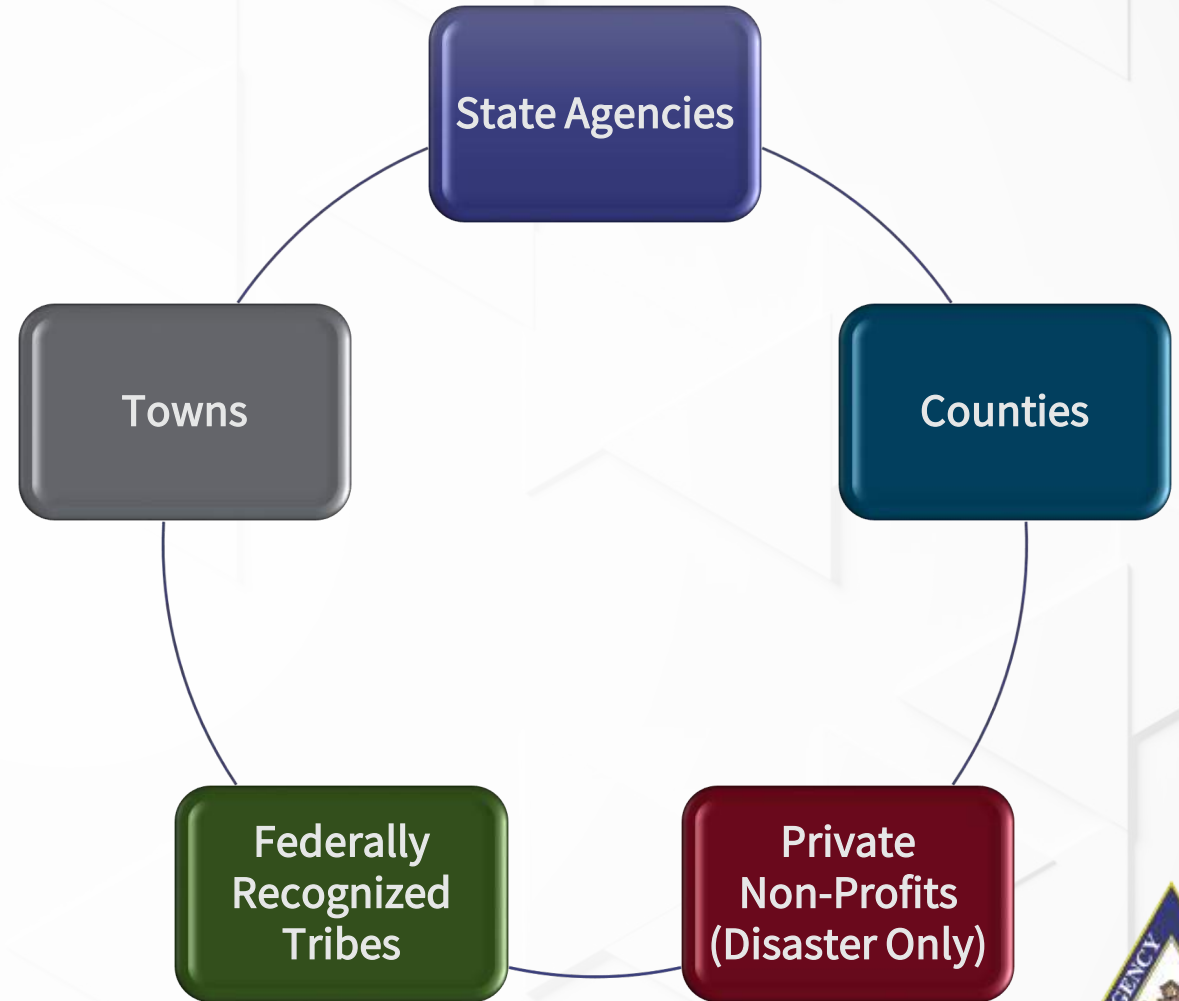
FEMA non-disaster hazard mitigation assistance programs were created to fund effective and innovative activities that will reduce risk, increase resilience, and serve as a catalyst to encourage the whole community to invest in and adopt mitigation policies.

ANNUAL GRANTS



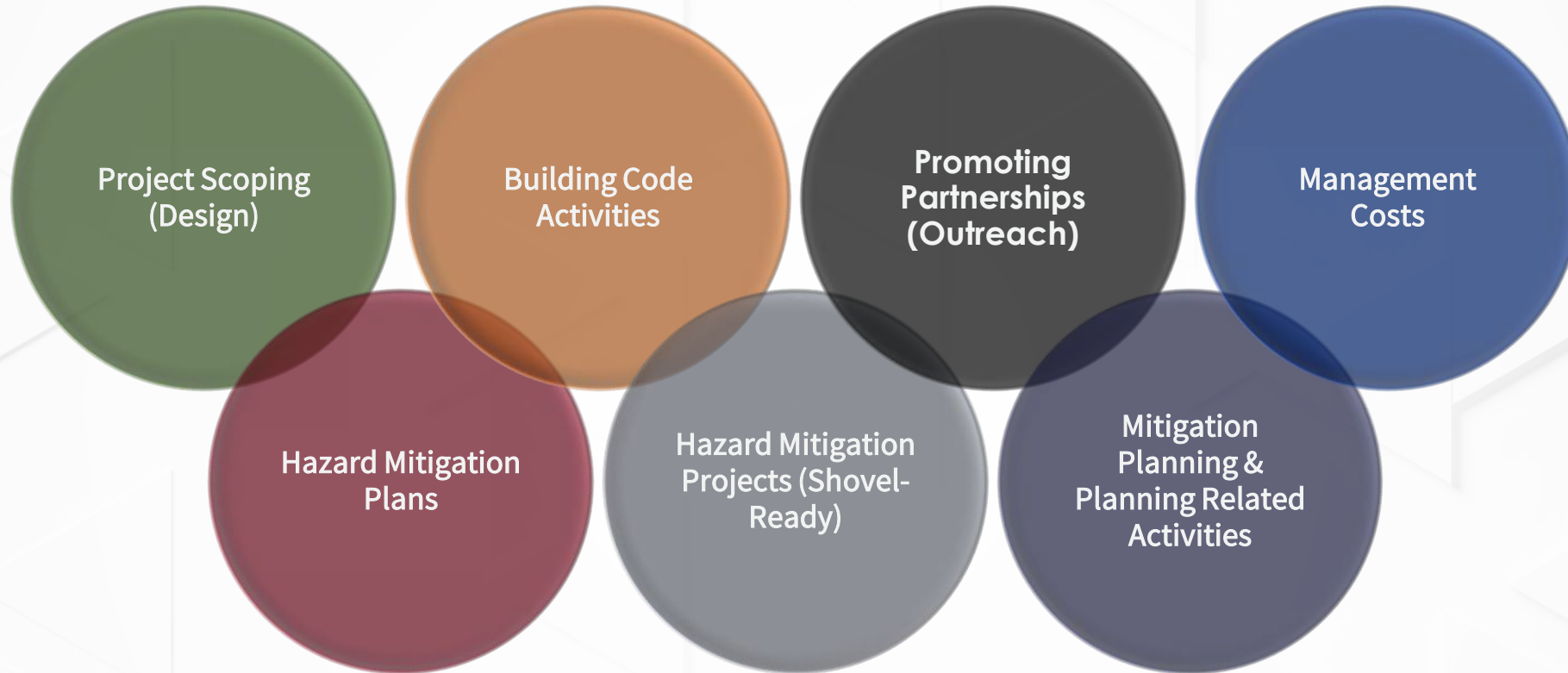
SUB-APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- ✓ All Sub-Applicants must have a FEMA approved Local Hazard Mitigation Plan or have signed on to one
- ✓ Must have an active Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) for application



Private residents, businesses, and certain non-profits are **ineligible** to directly apply for HMA however, eligible sub-applicants listed above can apply on their behalf

FUNDS MAY BE USED FOR:



(HMA) Non-Disaster grant projects over \$250,000 are subject to Build America Buy America Act

Examples of Eligible Projects

Hazard Mitigation Plans and/or other Planning-Related Activities

Property Acquisition/Elevation/Relocation

Drainage Improvements

Generators for Critical Infrastructure

Water Treatment Plant & Pump Station Upgrades/Relocation

Building Codes, Land Use & Zoning Ordinances

Sand Dunes & Beach Nourishment

Streambank/Shoreline Stabilization

Aquifer Storage, Recharge & Recovery

Dam Upgrades/Installation/Removal

Vulnerability Assessments

Bridge Renovations/Installation

Wildfire Mitigation

REIMBURSEABLE WITH COST SHARE

FMA & FMA SWIFTCOST SHARE

General Cost Share
75% Federal/25% Non-Federal Cost Share

Repetitive Loss
90% Federal/10% Non-Federal Cost Share

Severe Repetitive Loss
100% Federal Cost Share

HMGP & LPDM COST SHARE

General Cost Share
75% Federal/25% Non-Federal Cost Share



FOR MORE INFORMATION

FEMA Procurement

<https://www.fema.gov/grants/procurement>

MEMA/FEMA HMA Grant Opportunities

<https://www.maine.gov/mema/grants/mitigation-grants>

Benefit Cost Analysis

<https://www.fema.gov/grants/tools/benefit-cost-analysis>

FEMA Environmental Historical Preservation Guidance

<https://www.fema.gov/grants/guidance-tools/environmental-historic>



QUESTIONS?

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