

**Grant Programs Directorate Information Bulletin**  
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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Senior Emergency Management Officials for Top-100 Most-Populous Metropolitan Statistical Areas  
State Administrative Agency Heads  
State Administrative Agency Points of Contact  
State Homeland Security Directors  
State Emergency Management Agency Directors

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**SUBJECT:** **Fiscal Year 2022 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program Award Limit Increase**

**I. Purpose**

This Information Bulletin (IB) announces FEMA's decision to increase the individual award cap for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPGP) from \$1 million to \$1.5 million. This decision is driven by the low number of FY 2022 RCPGP applications received by FEMA and the total amount of funding requested, which is approximately \$1.4 million less than the \$12 million in available funding.

**II. Applicability**

This IB is applicable to those organizations that successfully submitted a complete FY 2022 RCPGP application in FEMA's Non-Disaster Grants System prior to the deadline of 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET), August. 5, 2022.

**III. Guidance**

FEMA's Grant Programs Directorate (GPD) staff will coordinate directly with FY 2022 RCPGP applicants to discuss whether they can use additional funding for their proposed projects, up to a maximum of \$1.5 million. If additional funding is requested, the applicant will be required to submit an updated budget for review and approval by FEMA GPD that accounts for how the additional funding would be expended.

**IV. Questions**

For questions regarding the FY 2022 RCPGP, please contact the Centralized Scheduling and Information Desk (CSID) at (800) 368-6498 or by e-mail at [askcsid@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:askcsid@fema.dhs.gov), Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. ET.

**V. Review Date**

This IB will sunset upon closure of all FY 2022 RCPGP awards.