# SUBCOMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY:

The Subcommittee on Homeland Security accepts CDS request for two accounts. Projects within this Subcommittee range from mitigation to emergency management operations.

# Account #1: Federal Emergency Management Agency Pre-Disaster Mitigation Projects

What types of projects are eligible? This account funds state, local, and tribal pre-disaster mitigation activities that reduce or eliminate risk from natural hazards and disasters. Projects submitted for this account must be eligible under FEMA's Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) <a href="mailto:program">program</a>, including the cost-share requirement, benefit cost ratio, requesting jurisdiction having a valid hazard mitigation plan, and environmental and historic preservation requirements.

## What additional requirements does this account have?

• All project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate state agency affirming that it believes the project is eligible.

### What are past examples of projects funded within this account?

- \$741,450 for a County for the rehabilitation and upgrade of pump stations.
- \$556,000 for a watershed Council for flood mitigation and drainage improvement.

#### What is a typical funding amount within this account?

• In FY2023, Congress funded projects under this account ranging from \$150,000 to \$10,000,000. The average award was \$2,330,438.

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# Account #2: Federal Emergency Management Agency Emergency Operations Center Grant Program

What types of projects are eligible? This account funds the construction or renovation of a State, local, or Tribal government's primary emergency operation center (EOC) as defined by the State Administrative Agency (SAA) during the application process. An EOC is defined as a facility or capability from which direction and control is exercised in an emergency. This type of center or capability is designated to ensure that the capacity exists for the leadership to direct and control operations from a centralized facility or capability in the event

of an emergency. "Construction," as defined in this program, refers to building a new facility or any changes to the footprint of an existing facility, while "renovation" refers to internal improvements to an existing facility. Projects must meet the eligibility requirements of the Emergency Operations Center grant <a href="mailto:program">program</a>, including the cost-share requirement and environmental and historic preservation requirements.

### What additional requirements does this account have?

 All project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate state administrative agency affirming that it believes the project is eligible.

### What are past examples of projects funded within this account?

- \$181,266 for a municipality for EOC upgrades.
- \$1,000,000 for a municipality for EOC renovation and expansion.

# What is a typical funding amount within this account?

• In FY2023, Congress funded projects under this account ranging from \$41,000 to \$7,500,000. The average award was \$1,266,769.

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