

Region 6

Tribal Air Funding

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FY'24 Region 6 Tribal Air STAG Funding Cycle {11 Proposals Received}

- Two CAA Section 103 (project) Grant proposals:
 - Air Monitoring (and Capacity Building Activities such as training, developing air monitoring plans, etc.)
 - All indicated some level of Workgroup Participation, Indoor Air Quality and Outreach.
- One CAA Section 105 (program) Grant proposal:
 - Air Monitoring (PM 2.5)
 - Indicated some level of Training, Permit Review/Comment, Workgroup Participation and Outreach.
- Eight Performance Partnership Grant (PPG) proposals:
 - Air Monitoring (and Preparation Activities such as training, developing air monitoring plans, etc.)
 - Indicated some level of Permit Review/Comment, Workgroup Participation and Outreach.

Annual STAG Allocation

De-obligated Funding:	\$91,450 (funds returned from recently closed grants)
FY'25 Funding Allocation:	<u>\$1,531,694</u>
FY'25 Total <u>Available</u> Funding:	\$1,722,647
FY'25 Proposal Requests:	\$2,680,166
FY'25 Remaining Balance:	\$0

Fiscal Year	Total Amount Requested	Region 6 Allocation	Grant Funds Returned (from Previous FYs)	Total \$ Awarded in R6	R6 Balance (Unobligated)
FY'13	\$1,690,675	\$1,178,038	\$12,587	\$1,171,930	\$18,695
FY'14	\$1,599,751	\$1,171,513	\$24,801	\$1,191,979	\$4,335
FY'15	\$1,699,928	\$1,176,236	\$2,076	\$1,178,312	\$0
FY'16	\$1,767,977	\$1,134,075	\$0	\$1,134,075	\$0
FY'17	\$1,896,627	\$1,135,072	\$12,165	\$1,147,237	\$0
FY'18	\$1,917,127	\$1,074,314	\$2,921	\$1,077,235	\$0
FY'19	\$1,415,361	\$1,051,000	\$59,427	\$1,110,427	\$0
FY'20	\$1,177,175	\$1,156,690	\$17,621	\$1,174,311	\$0
FY'21	\$1,493,970	\$1,220,828	\$27,941	\$1,248,769	\$85,899*
FY'22	\$1,242,264	\$1,241,991	\$78,351	\$1,406,241	\$5,810
FY'23	\$2,161,813	\$1,440,554	\$3,558	\$1,449,922	\$0
FY'24	\$2,583,216	\$1,471,194	\$244,066	\$1,715,260	\$0
FY'25	\$2,680,166	\$1,531,694	\$91,450	1,623,144	\$0
TOTALS:	\$23,326,050	\$15,983,199	\$576,964	\$16,628,842	\$0

Office of Air & Radiation (OAR)

Funding Opportunities

- OAR's grants and funding site: <https://www.epa.gov/grants/air-grants-and-funding>
- **On this page:**
 - [Open Announcements](#)
 - [Inflation Reduction Act Appropriation](#)
 - [Annual Appropriations](#)
 - [Bipartisan Infrastructure Law - Clean School Bus Program](#)
 - [Related Resources](#)
 - [See Also: Closed Announcements](#)

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{General Application Submission Information}

- **Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-xxxxxxx
- **Opportunity Package ID:** PKG002xxxx
- **Assistance Listing (formerly CFDA):** 66-xxx

Applicants should use this link to find the package: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/applicants/search-opportunity-package.html>. The main search on Grants.gov may not work.

- Standard Form (SF) 424, Application for Federal Assistance
- Standard Form (SF) 424A, Budget Information
- Key Contacts Form (EPA Form 5700-54)
- Pre-award Compliance Review (EPA Form 4700-4)
- Project Narrative Attachment (Narrative Workplan)
- Budget Detail Attachment (Budget Narrative)
- Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (approved)
- Certification Regarding Lobbying (EPA Form 6600-06) – required when budget is greater than **\$100,000**.
- Other Attachments Form (Optional Supporting Materials)
 - o Letters of commitment
 - o Resumes

Post Award Phase

Always review Terms & Conditions in Assistance Agreement (aka Grant/Award Document)

- Progress Reports & Financial Tracking (CFR 200.329)
 - Annually, at least, but no more frequent than quarterly.
 - Quarterly, Semi-Annually, or Annually, and Final Reports:
 - Due 30–days after end of each specified period for **Quarterly** and **Semi-annual**.
 - Due 90–days after end of each specified period for **Annual**.
 - Due 120–days after end of each specified period for **Final Reports**.
- Drawdowns
 - As required by 2 CFR 200.305(b), recipient must draw funds from ASAP only for the minimum amounts needed for actual and immediate cash requirements to pay employees, contractors, subrecipients or to satisfy other obligations for allowable costs under this assistance agreement. Disbursement within 5 business days of drawdown will comply with this requirement.
 - Contact **ASAP.gov** for additional information.
- QAPPs
 - MUST be approved PRIOR to ANY *data collection*.
- QMPs
 - MUST be approved PRIOR to ANY Grant approval with a Financial Action attached:
 - ❖ *New Award*
 - ❖ *Supplemental Award*
 - ❖ *Incremental Award*
 - MUST be renewed/reapproved if expiring 30 days or less, prior to award action for ANY grant in Region 6.

Quality Assurance Project Plans (Approval Process)

- All awards will need a signed Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) before any field work can begin.
- We encourage grant applicants to submit QAPPs 60-days in advance of new, or renewal, documents.
- Grantee should send the QAPP, and all referenced SOPs, to the designated EPA project officer (PO).
- EPA's technical staff will review the QAPP and provide comments for the PO to share.(approx. 10 Days)
- The grantee will need to make corrections and send the corrected QAPP to the PO. (approx. 10 Days)
- EPA's technical reviewers will perform additional reviews until document is approvable. (approx. 10 Days)
- The PO will respond, via email, with an official APPROVAL and QTRAK number assigned.

Questions ?

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