2023 Government Procurement Workshop

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Overview on Federal Funds (BIL, IRA & CHIPS)

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WA State Facts

- For FY2023, Washington state obtained total \$83.4B
 - Direct Payments: \$42.6 B
 - Grants: \$28.7B
 - Contracts: \$11.6B
- For WA-09
 - Grants: \$486.58M
 - Contracts: \$1.43B



Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL)



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- Also known as Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA)
- The BIL was signed into law on November 15, 2021 by President Biden.
- Largest ever federal investments in broadband, transportation, clean energy, environment, and infrastructure.
- Dispersed through several mechanisms including formula funds, competitive grants, and tax credits.



Transportation

- Roads, bridges and major projects
- Passenger and freight rail
- Public transportation
- Airport & FAA facilities
- Ports and waterways
- Safety
- Electric vehicles, buses and ferries



Climate, Energy and Environment

- Clean energy
- Water
- Resilience towards climate change
- Environmental remediation



Broadband

- Formula Grants:
 - Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program (\$42.45B)
 - Digital Equity Planning, Capacity and Competitive Grants (\$2.75B)
 - Tribal Broadband Connectivity Program (\$2B)
- Competitive Grants:
 - Middle Mile Grant Program (\$1B)
- Rural Broadband Programs at the Department of Agriculture (\$2 billon)
- Affordable Connectivity Program (\$14.2B)
- Private Activity Bonds (~\$600B)



Inflation Reduction Act (IRA)



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- The IRA was signed into law on August 16, 2022 by President Biden.
- The IRA provides federal funding for investments in clean energy, climate, supply chain, and more.
- Commitment to Equity, Environmental Justice, and Working Families in Clean Energy and Climate Programs



Advancing and Deploying American Made Clean Energy Technologies

- Financing and expediting deployment of clean energy technologies including clean hydrogen
- Investing in America's electricity grid
- Investing in affordable and reliable clean energy in rural and on tribal lands
- Incentivizing and supporting deployment of clean vehicles and development and use of cleaner transportation fuels
- Expanding America's leadership in industrial decarbonization and carbon management



Other Programs

- Investing in a sustainable, lower-carbon federal government
- Protecting communities from harmful air pollution
- Making homes and buildings cleaner and more efficient
- Supporting climate-smart agriculture and rural economic development
- Preserving and protecting the nation's lands and waters for climate mitigation and resilience
- Increasing the resilience of our communities in a changing climate
- Making permitting of energy infrastructure more efficient and effective

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Creating Helpful Incentives to Produce Semiconductors (CHIPS) and Science Act of 2022



CHIPS and Science Act of 2022

- On August 2022, President Biden signed into law the CHIPS and Science Act investing \$53 billion in America's semiconductor industry, strengthens supply chains, enhances domestic research and development (R&D) capabilities, and bolsters national security.
- Department of Commerce is responsible for carrying out key programs including semiconductor financial incentives, the National Advanced Packaging Manufacturing Program, microelectronics research, and Manufacturing USA Institutes.
- Other agencies, including the National Science Foundation, and Departments of Energy, State, Treasury, and Defense play leading roles as well.

Grant Resources

- Office of Congressman Adam Smith's Grant Services
- Office of Congressman Adam Smith's BIL Resources
- Grants.Gov
- Technical Assistance from the White House
- IRA Guidebook from the White House
- Resources for Rural
- Resources for Tribal
- Additional Resources from the White House
- Updated List of Funding Opportunities
- CHIPS and Science Act Information



Thank You

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Q&A



Forecast Update from Federal Agencies



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Forecast Update from Public Works



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Forecast Update from DES and King County



Forecast Update from Cities



Resource Fair

