

Special Bulletin: **EPA Environmental Justice Resources**

The 2022 Inflation Reduction Act provided \$3 billion for Environmental & Climate Justice Programs, administered by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). To date, the EPA has announced a total of \$650 million in grant funding for community-based nonprofits. Our “Special Bulletins” will alert you as funding and other opportunities become available.

We encourage community development nonprofits to apply for grants – and to connect with grantees who can provide access to technical assistance and funding.

Grantmaking News

[Environmental Justice Thriving Communities Grantmaking Program – Deadline Extended to June 30.](#) The goal of this \$550 million grant program is to reduce the barriers that communities face when applying for environmental justice grants. Approximately 11 Grantmakers will be selected to design competitive application and submission processes, award environmental justice subgrants, implement a tracking and reporting system, and provide resources and support to communities. **To be eligible, applicants must be community-based nonprofits — or partnerships that include community-based nonprofits.**

[Environmental Justice Thriving Communities Technical Assistance Centers – 17 State & Regional Partnerships Selected.](#) Each Technical Assistance Center will receive at least \$10 million to remove barriers for communities with environmental justice concerns. These centers will provide training and other assistance to build capacity for navigating federal grant application systems, writing strong grant proposals, and effectively managing grant funding. The centers will also provide guidance on community engagement, meeting facilitation, and translation and interpretation services. [Scroll down](#) to see who was selected in your state or region.

Learn More

Bookmark this EPA webpage: [Environmental Justice Grants, Funding, and Technical Assistance](#). It connects you to all the information you need to apply for these grant programs.

Watch this: [informational video](#) to learn about new resources that will become available in 2023. Gain perspective on the Environmental Justice Grant Program and the technical assistance and resources available to help you apply.