2018 HAVA Election Security Grants

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Topics

1. Fund Requests Update
2. Planning Process
3. Activities
4. Critical Points
5. Next Steps
Disbursement Requests

99.8%

- Requested
- Pending
State Processes

Created a task force of federal, state and local officials and stakeholders to develop a cyber security plan.

Coordination with Vendors to develop RFPs for equipment.

Tabletop Exercises with State/Local officials.

Community Roundtable Meetings/Listening Sessions.

Surveyed local election officials for cyber security assessments and identified state level cyber security protections that could increase security.

Convene original State Plan Committee to identify needs and develop a plan.

Travel to conferences, Hosting Conferences, Leading Planning Meetings

Public Service Announcements
Narrative/Budget Submissions

- Submitted: 29
- Extension: 8
- Pending: 18

$188M
Planned Use of Funds--Categories

- Voting Equipment: $72m
- Cyber: $63m
- Registration: $19m
- Auditing: $9m
- Communications: $4.5m

$188M as of July 14
Grants/Program Management

1. Personnel on a federal grant – Time Keeping
2. Procurement – Follow state rules and have complete files
3. Inventory Management – Keep records correct from the start
4. Sub-Grant Agreements—OMB circulars and local accountability
5. Matching Funds—Don’t overmatch
6. Don’t Supplant—Improvements = New Activities
7. Flexible Funds—but be mindful of Congressional Intent and Risk
8. Spend Rate—Spend the money in 5 years of less.
9. Convene and Communicate
10. Accessibility—Funds support the full range of activities that make voting more accessible, private and secure.
Critical Dates

July 16, 2018--Submission Date

September 30, 2018--EAC Deadline for Obligating

March 22, 2020—Deadline for Match

December 30, every year—Fiscal/Program Reporting

FY 2023—Deadline to use Funds
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