

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso (the “City”) is eligible to apply for grant funding administered by the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the El Paso City Council (“City Council”) seeks to obtain grant funding through the grant application number 5894601 for the El Paso Fire Department project identified as FY26 SHSP City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management Enhancement of Emergency Operations Center (EOC) (“Grant”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 016016, the City Council previously designated the City Manager as the authorized signatory for City grant applications and acceptances in the interest of efficiency of administrative governmental operations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, through the City Manager, has authorized the Grants Administrator as the Authorized Official for purposes of compliance with grant application, administration, and reporting requirements imposed by the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, including the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency; and

WHEREAS, the City acknowledges that, for purposes of compliance with grant requirements imposed by the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, a Financial Officer separate from the Authorized Official is required to administer grant-related financial and programmatic reporting functions on behalf of the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

1. **THAT**, the City Council, through the City Manager, has authorized the Grants Administrator as the City’s Authorized Official for purposes of compliance with grant application, administration, and reporting requirements imposed by the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, with the authority to apply, submit, accept, reject, alter, or terminate grant applications, agreements, and related documents on behalf of the City.

2. **THAT**, the Grants Administrator is authorized to apply for and submit to the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas, grant application number 5894601, for the City of El Paso Fire Department project identified as FY26 SHSP City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management Enhancement of EOC to provide financial assistance to the City of El Paso.

3. **THAT**, the City of El Paso shall provide all applicable matching funds for the Grant if applicable.
4. **THAT**, in the event of loss or misuse of said grant funds, the City of El Paso agrees to return all such funds for said grant to the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas in accordance with applicable grant requirements.
5. **THAT**, the City Council, through the City Manager, hereby designates the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Comptroller as the City’s Financial Officer for purposes of compliance with grant requirements imposed by the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas and other applicable state granting authorities, either of whom is authorized to submit financial and programmatic reports and to perform grant-related actions on behalf of the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the City Council, through the City Manager, hereby designates the Grants Administrator, as the Authorized Official who is authorized to execute any related documents to carry the intent of this Resolution, including but not limited to the grant agreement, the authorization of budget transfers, and/or revisions to the operation plan, as well as any grant amendments, corrections, or extensions of the grant agreement that increase, decrease, or de-obligate program funds, provided that no additional City funds are required.

APPROVED this ____ day of _____ 2026.

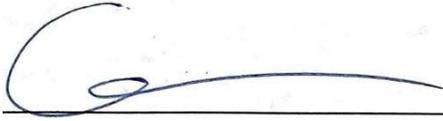
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Mayor

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Laura D. Prine
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Jonathan P. Killings
Fire Chief

Grant Information Form Part A - Grant Application

Office of the Comptroller



This form is to be used to provide information to the Grants Administration Division (GAD) for grant applications, grant awards.

Department:

Fire

DUNS-058873019/UEI-KLZGKXNFVTL4

A. GRANT APPLICATION

A1. Department Programmatic Contact Person

Name:

Armando Valencia

Title:

Assistant Emergency Management Coordinator

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valenciaa@elpasotexas.gov

A3. Financial Data

Amount of Granting Agency Funds Requested:

\$ \$204,386.97

Amount of City Matching Funds Requested:

\$ \$0.00

Amount of In-Kind Funds Requested:

\$ \$0.00

Amount of "other" matching Funds:

\$ \$0.00

Other Matching Funds Source:

N/A

Total Amount Requested:

\$ \$204,386.97

A2. Grant Data

Funding Agency:

Texas Department of Public Safety-Office of the Governor

Grant Name:

FY26 SHSP (R) City of El Paso OEM Enhancement of EOC

CFDA/ALN: ('n/a' if unavailable)

97.067

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Application Due Date:

March 16, 2026

NOTE: If application due date does NOT meet the 14 working day requirement, application MUST be accompanied with a memo from your DCM requesting a one-time exception in order to be processed.

Requires Signature or Review from:

- Mayor
- City Manager
- Legal Review

A4. Grant Classification

- Competitive (award based on competition)
- Entitlement (set of funds determined by formula)
- Continuation (ongoing funding)

Grant Information Form - Part A

A5. City Match Certification

Has City Match been secured by the Department Director?

Yes No N/A

Is the match secured for the life of the grant?

Yes No N/A

Does this grant allow for operating/administrative costs?

Yes No % Amount: \$

How is the match amount determined?

Fixed Amount: \$

Percentage of Project Cost: %

Other (Please explain):

No City Grant Match Required

For this fiscal year, how much of the local match amount is already in the department's budget:

\$

Not budgeted:

\$

Proposed source of match:

N/A

Description of Grant:

City of El Paso Fire Department Office of Emergency Management is seeking funding from the Public Safety Office of the State of Texas FY26 SHSP (R) Grant Application. Funding will be used to purchase equipment and supplies for the OEM Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and back EOC (computer equipment and peripherals, misc., etc. Generator for backup EOC)

REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Preparer

eSigned via GovOS.com


Key: 986a2d42-0362-46fc-ab00-18bf9ccfb0e4
SIGNED BY: CLAUDIA MARTINEZ
Department Director

Date

Grants Administration Div.

eSigned via GovOS.com


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SIGNED BY: ELDA RODRIGUEZ-HEFNER
Legal Review

Date

Date



Date

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Key: 1e178a5a-70cb-46b0-bda0-4167055301bb
SIGNED BY: JONATHAN P. KILLINGS

Agency Name: City of El Paso

Grant/App: 5894601

Start Date:
9/1/2026

Project Title: FY26 SHSP City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management Enhancement of EOC

Status: Application Pending Submission

End Date:
8/31/2027

Fund Source: HS-Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)

Current Program Manager:

Liquidation Date:

Original Award: \$0.00

Current Budget: \$204,386.97

Current Award: \$0.00

CFDA: 97.067

OOG Solicitation: SHSP Regular Solicitation - FY26 [Announcement](#)

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Your organization's Texas Payee/Taxpayer ID Number:

746000749

Application Eligibility Certify:

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Applicant Agency Name: City of El Paso

Project Title: FY26 SHSP City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management Enhancement of EOC

Start Date: 9/1/2026

End Date: 8/31/2027

Division or Unit to Administer the Project: Office of Emergency Management

Regional Council of Governments(COG) within the Project's Impact Area: Rio Grande Council of Governments

Headquarter County: El Paso

Counties within Project's Impact Area: Brewster,Culberson,Hudspeth,Jeff Davis,Presidio

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Payment City/State/Zip:

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Position: Comptroller

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Position: Assistant Emergency Management Coordinator

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Salutation: Mr.
Position: Grant Coordinator

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Organization Type: Unit of Local Government (City, Town, or Village)
Organization Option: applying to provide homeland security services
Applicant Agency's State Payee Identification Number (e.g., Federal Employer's Identification (FEI) Number or Vendor ID): 746000749
Unique Entity Identifier (UEI): KLZGKXNFVTL4
Payment Address Line 1:
Payment Address Line 2:
Payment City/State/Zip:

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Overview

The purpose of the Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) is to support state and local efforts to prevent terrorism and other catastrophic events and to prepare the Nation for the threats and hazards that pose the greatest risk to the security of the United States. HSGP provides funding to implement investments that build, sustain, and deliver the 32 core capabilities essential to achieving the National Preparedness Goal (the Goal) of a secure and resilient Nation. The building, sustainment, and delivery of these core capabilities are not exclusive to any single level of government, organization, or community, but rather, require the combined effort of the whole community. HSGP supports core capabilities across the five mission areas of Prevention, Protection, Mitigation, Response, and Recovery based on allowable costs.

Primary Mission and Purpose

State Homeland Security Program (SHSP): Supports state, Tribal and local preparedness activities that address high-priority preparedness gaps across all core capabilities where a nexus to terrorism exists. All investments must be consistent with capability targets set during the Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA) process, and gaps identified in the State Preparedness Report (SPR).

Many activities which support the achievement of target capabilities related to terrorism preparedness may simultaneously support enhanced preparedness for other hazards unrelated to acts of terrorism. However, **all SHSP projects must assist grantees in achieving target capabilities related to preventing, preparing for, protecting against, or responding to acts of terrorism.**

Eligibility Requirements

Cybersecurity Training Requirement

Local units of governments must comply with the Cybersecurity Training requirements described in Section 772.012 and Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code. Local governments determined to not be in compliance with the cybersecurity requirements required by Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code are ineligible for OOG grant funds until the second anniversary of the date the local government is determined ineligible. Government entities must annually certify their compliance with the training requirements using the [Cybersecurity Training Certification for State and Local Government](#). A copy of the Training Certification must be uploaded to your eGrants application. For more information or to access available training programs, visit the Texas Department of Information Resources [Statewide Cybersecurity Awareness Training](#) page.

Resolution from Governing Body

Applications from nonprofit corporations, local units of governments, and other political subdivisions must submit a fully executed resolution with the application to be considered eligible for funding. The resolution must contain the following elements (see [Sample Resolution](#)):

- Authorization by your governing body for the submission of the application to the Public Safety Office (PSO) that clearly identifies the name of the project for which funding is requested;
- A commitment to provide all applicable matching funds;
- A designation of the name and/or title of an authorized official who is given the authority to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant;
- A designation of the name and/or title of a financial officer who is given the authority to submit financial and/or performance reports or alter a grant; and
- A written assurance that, in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the governing body will return all funds to PSO.

Criminal History Reporting

Entities receiving funds from PSO must be located in a county that has an average of 90% or above on both adult and juvenile dispositions entered into the computerized criminal history database maintained by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) as directed in the *Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Chapter 66*. The disposition completeness percentage is defined as the percentage of arrest charges a county reports to DPS for which a disposition has been subsequently reported and entered into the computerized criminal history system.

Counties applying for grant awards from the Office of the Governor must commit that the county will report at least 90% of convictions within five business days to the Criminal Justice Information System at the Department of Public Safety.

Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

Eligible applicants operating a law enforcement agency must be current on reporting complete UCR data and the Texas specific reporting mandated by 411.042 TGC, to the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) for inclusion in the annual Crime in Texas (CIT) publication. To be considered eligible for funding, applicants must have submitted a full twelve months of accurate data to DPS for the most recent calendar year by the deadline(s) established by DPS. Due to the importance of timely reporting, applicants are required to submit complete and accurate UCR data, as well as the Texas-mandated reporting, on a no less than monthly basis and respond promptly to requests from DPS related to the data submitted.

Entities That Collect Sexual Assault/Sex Offense Evidence or Investigate/Prosecute Sexual Assault or Other Sex Offenses

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 420.034, any facility or entity that collects evidence for sexual assault or other sex offenses or investigates or prosecutes a sexual assault or other sex offense for which evidence has been collected, must participate in the statewide electronic tracking system developed and implemented by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Visit DPS's [Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking Program](#) website for more information or to set up an account to begin participating. Additionally, per Section 420.042 "A law enforcement agency that receives evidence of a sexual assault or other sex offense...shall submit that evidence to a public accredited crime laboratory for analysis no later than the 30th day after the date on which that evidence was received." A law enforcement agency in possession of a significant number of Sexual Assault Evidence Kits (SAEK) where the 30-day window has passed may be considered noncompliant.

National Incident Management System (NIMS) Implementation

Grantees are required to implement NIMS. The NIMS uses a systematic approach to integrate the best existing processes and methods into a unified national framework for incident management across all homeland security activities including prevention, protection, response, mitigation, and recovery. Grantees must use standardized resource management concepts for resource typing, credentialing, and an inventory to facilitate the effective identification, dispatch, deployment, tracking and recovery of resources.

Emergency Management Plans (Intermediate Level)

Cities and counties must have a current emergency management plan or be a legally established member of an inter-jurisdictional emergency management program with a plan on file with the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM). Plans must be maintained throughout the entire grant performance period. If you have questions concerning your Emergency Management Plan (preparedness) level, contact your Emergency Management Coordinator (EMC) or your regional Council of Governments (COG). For questions concerning plan deficiencies, contact TDEM at tdem.plans@tdem.texas.gov.

Program Income

Applicant agrees to comply with all federal and state rules and regulations for program income and agrees to report all program income that is generated as a result of the project's activities. Applicant agrees to report program income through a formal grant adjustment and to secure PSO approval prior to use of the program income. Applicant agrees to use program income for allowable costs and agrees to expend program income immediately after PSO's approval of a grant adjustment and prior to requesting reimbursement of funds.

Deduction Method - Program income shall be deducted from total allowable costs to determine the net allowable costs. Program income shall be used for current costs unless PSO authorizes otherwise. Program income which the grantee did not anticipate at the time of the award shall be used to reduce the PSO award and grantee match rather than to increase the funds committed to the project.

Asset Seizures and Forfeitures - Program income from asset seizures and forfeitures is considered earned when the property has been adjudicated to the benefit of the plaintiff (e.g., law enforcement entity).

Compliance with State and Federal Laws, Programs and Procedures – Local Units of Government

Local units of government, including cities, counties and other general purpose political subdivisions, as appropriate, and institutions of higher education that operate a law enforcement agency, must comply with all aspects of the programs and procedures utilized by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security ("DHS") to: (1) notify DHS of all information requested by DHS related to illegal aliens in Agency's custody; and (2) detain such illegal aliens in accordance with requests by DHS. Additionally, counties and municipalities may NOT have in effect, purport to have in effect, or make themselves subject to or bound by, any law, rule, policy, or practice (written or unwritten) that would: (1) require or authorize the public disclosure of federal law enforcement information in order to conceal, harbor, or shield from detection fugitives from justice or aliens illegally in the United States, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iii); (2) impede federal officers from exercising authority under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), § 1226(c), § 1231(a), § 1357(a), § 1366(1), or § 1366(3); (3) encourage or induce an alien to come to, enter, or reside in the United States in violation of law, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iv); (4) result in the illegal transport or movement of aliens within the United States, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(ii). Lastly, eligible applicants must comply with all provisions, policies, and penalties found in Chapter 752, Subchapter C of the Texas Government Code.

Each local unit of government, and institution of higher education that operates a law enforcement agency, must download, complete and then upload into eGrants the [CEO/Law Enforcement Certifications and Assurances Form](#) certifying compliance with federal and state immigration enforcement requirements. This Form is required for each application submitted to PSO and is active until August 31, 2027 or the end of the grant period, whichever is later.

Compliance with State and Federal Laws, Programs and Procedures – Nonprofit Organizations

Each non-profit 501(c)(3) organization must certify that it does not have, and will continue not to have any policy, procedure, or agreement (written or unwritten) that in any way encourages, induces, entices, or aids any violations of immigration laws. Additionally, the organization certifies that it does not have in effect, purport to have in effect, and is not subject to or bound by any rule, policy, or practice (written or unwritten) that would: (1) encourage the concealment, harboring, or shielding from detection of fugitives from justice or aliens who illegally came to, entered, or remained in the United States, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iii); (2) impede federal officers from exercising authority under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), § 1226(c), § 1231(a), § 1357(a), § 1366(1), or § 1366(3); (3) encourage or induce an alien to come to, enter, or reside in the United States in violation of law, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(iv); (4) result in the illegal transport or movement of aliens within the United States, 8 U.S.C. § 1324(a)(1)(A)(ii). Lastly, the organization certifies that it will not adopt, enforce, or endorse a policy which prohibits or materially limits the enforcement of immigration laws, and will not, as demonstrated by pattern or practice, prohibit or materially limit the enforcement of immigration laws.

Each non-profit organization must download, complete and then upload into eGrants the [CEO/NGO Certifications and Assurances Form](#) certifying compliance with federal and state immigration enforcement requirements.

Program Requirements

Building and Sustaining Core Capabilities

1. All capabilities being built or sustained must have a clear link to one or more Core Capabilities in the National Preparedness Goal.
2. Many capabilities which support terrorism preparedness simultaneously support preparedness for other hazards. Grantees must demonstrate this dual-use quality for any activities implemented under this program that are not explicitly focused on terrorism preparedness. Activities implemented under SHSP must support terrorism preparedness by building or sustaining capabilities that relate to the prevention of, protection from, mitigation of, response to, and recovery from terrorism.
3. Funding should be used to sustain core capabilities. New capabilities should not be built at the expense of maintaining current and critically needed core capabilities. New capabilities must be aligned with capability targets and gaps identified through the THIRA/SPR process.

Mission Areas

The National Preparedness Goal organizes the core capabilities into the five mission areas:

- Prevention. Prevent, avoid or stop an imminent, threatened or actual act of terrorism.
- Protection. Protect our citizens, residents, visitors, and assets against the greatest threats and hazards in a manner that allows our interests, aspirations, and way of life to thrive.
- Mitigation. Reduce the loss of life and property by lessening the impact of future disasters.
- Response. Respond quickly to save lives, protect property and the environment, and meet basic human needs in the aftermath of a catastrophic incident.
- Recovery. Recover through a focus on the timely restoration, strengthening and revitalization of infrastructure, housing and a sustainable economy, as well as the health, social, cultural, historic and environmental fabric of communities affected by a catastrophic incident.

Overall Certification

Each applicant agency must certify to the specific requirements detailed above as well as to comply with all requirements within the PSO Funding Announcement, the *Guide to Grants*, the *Grantee Conditions and Responsibilities*, any authorizing or applicable state and federal statutes and regulations to be eligible for this program.

I certify to all of the application content and requirements.

Project Summary :

Briefly summarize the project, including proposed activities and intended impact.

This project is requesting funds to purchase computer hardware, peripherals and supplies to enhance and support the existing City of El Paso Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and to purchase a back up generator, internet service and supplies for the existing back up EOC. The City of El Paso OEM Emergency Operations Center (EOC), located at 6055 Threadgill, in Northeast El Paso, Texas, is a central hub that coordinates emergency response efforts, supporting city departments, local agencies, and community partners during disasters and critical incidents. The backup Emergency Operations Center (EOC), serving as a secondary facility to maintain continuity of operations during emergencies or disruptions at the primary EOC, is located at 5625 Confetti Dr, West El Paso, Texas 79912. Enhancing the capabilities of both the primary and backup EOCs will enable the City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management to more effectively prevent, prepare for, protect against, and respond to acts of terrorism.

Problem Statement :

Provide a detailed account of the issues, threats or hazards that your project will target. For federal Homeland Security Grants, include specific references to the regional or state *Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA)*, as applicable.

The City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management relies on its primary Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to coordinate multi-agency response efforts during disasters, critical incidents, and potential acts of terrorism. However, the current Emergency Operations Center and its designated backup facility face limitations in technological capacity, resiliency, and operational redundancy. Without modernized hardware, resilient power capability, and redundant connectivity, the City risks degraded response coordination, delayed information sharing, and reduced operational effectiveness during high-consequence incidents. Investment in upgraded equipment and infrastructure for both the primary and backup EOCs is necessary to ensure operational continuity, strengthen interagency coordination, and enhance the City's overall emergency management and homeland security capabilities. THIRA - Operational Communications - Page. 75 - Office of Emergency Management supported multi-agency communications coordination through WebEOC and emergency operations activities.

Existing Capability Levels :

Describe the existing capability levels, including resources that are currently in place to support this project prior to the use of grant funds.

The City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management (OEM) maintains an existing, operational Emergency Operations Center that can be activated by OEM during large-scale emergencies, disasters, or incidents that require multi-agency coordination. This primary EOC, located at 6055 Threadgill, El Paso, Texas 79924, serves as the strategic coordination hub for emergency management functions across city and county agencies. The EOC is co-located with the regional communications center where 911 call taking and dispatch functions operate together with emergency management coordination — ensuring integrated communications with first responders (Police, Fire, EMS) and other agencies. The secondary/emergency support location or back-up EOC, located at 5625 Confetti Drive, El Paso, Texas 79912, is a repurposed former middle school, leveraged for sheltering and emergency activities.

Capability Gaps:

Describe the capability gaps which will be addressed by the project. For federal Homeland Security Grants, include specific references to the regional or statewide State Preparedness Report (SPR).

The following capability gap was identified: Equipment Office of Emergency Management identified the lack of equipment such as generators, power sources, equipment, laptops, heating/cooling units, triple slide-out mobile command trailer, STARLINK system, and ham radio equipment that are needed to run a successful alternate Emergency Operations Center (EOC). 2025 Stakeholder Preparedness Review (SPR) - Rio Grande Council of Governments, Page 23

Impact Statement :

Describe the project goals/objectives and how this project will maintain capabilities or reduce capability gaps.

This project will significantly strengthen the City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management's ability to prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from acts of terrorism and other high-consequence incidents—benefiting not only the City of El Paso but also surrounding communities throughout the region. Upgrading computer hardware and essential peripherals at the primary EOC (6055 Threadgill) and equipping the backup EOC (5625 Confetti Dr) with a generator and dedicated internet service will ensure uninterrupted command and control during

power outages, cyber incidents, or facility disruptions. These enhancements will improve real-time situational awareness, accelerate information sharing, and sustain coordinated multi-agency response operations across municipal departments, regional partners, and neighboring jurisdictions.

Homeland Security Priority Actions:

Identify the Texas Homeland Security Priority Action most closely aligned with this project. Each Priority Action is linked with an *Objective from the Texas Homeland Security Strategic Plan (HSSP)*. List the Priority Action by number and text (e.g. 1.2.3 *Expand and enhance the network of human sources that can provide detailed and relevant information on known or suspected terrorist and criminal enterprises.*)

Goal 4: Respond Objective 4.1 - Enhance the systems and organizational structures that coordinate and manage response operations to ensure unified, efficient effort. Texas Homeland Security Strategic Plan, Page 64

Target Group :

Identify the target group and population expected to benefit from this project.

The primary target group for this project is the City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management (OEM) personnel and partner agencies who operate within the Emergency Operations Centers (EOCs), including city departments, public safety agencies, and regional response partners. Indirectly, the project benefits the residents, businesses, visitors, and critical infrastructure sectors of the City of El Paso by enhancing coordinated emergency response, ensuring continuity of operations, and strengthening preparedness against acts of terrorism and other large-scale incidents.

Long-Term Approach:

Describe how the applicant agency will maintain the capabilities supported by this project without additional federal or state funds. If sustainment is dependent upon federal or state grants, describe the ongoing need for future grants, as applicable.

The City of El Paso Office of Emergency Management will sustain the capabilities provided by this project through dedicated departmental funding, preventive maintenance programs, and ongoing staff training, ensuring all computer hardware, peripherals and other equipment remain mission-ready. While future federal or state grants may support enhancements, core operational readiness and specialized team capabilities will be maintained without reliance on additional external funding.

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HSGP Instructions for Project Activity Selection

Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) applicants should only select one project activity. The eGrants system will allow multiple selections, but each HSGP subrecipient project must fit into one and only one of the Investment Categories that are listed as project activities under the "Activity List".

Selected Project Activities:

ACTIVITY	PERCENTAGE:	DESCRIPTION
Emergency Operations Center Technology and Enhancements	100.00	The proposed project will strengthen the operational readiness, coordination capabilities, and resilience of the jurisdiction's Emergency Operations Center (EOC) through targeted technology modernization and infrastructure enhancements. These improvements will enhance the EOC's ability to support multi-agency response and recovery efforts during natural disasters, public health emergencies, critical infrastructure failures, other large-scale incidents and acts of terrorism.

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Objective Output Measures

OUTPUT MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
Number of exercises conducted.	10
Number of individuals participating in exercises.	50
Number of operational coordination programs (EOCs/EOC systems or other Incident Command structures) created, maintained or enhanced.	2

Number of people trained.	50
Number of trainings conducted.	10

Objective Outcome Measures

OUTCOME MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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Custom Output Measures

CUSTOM OUTPUT MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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Custom Outcome Measures

CUSTOM OUTCOME MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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For applicant agencies requesting grant funds in excess of \$100,000, have any federally appropriated funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant loan, or cooperative agreement?

Select the appropriate response:

- Yes
 No
 N/A

For applicant agencies that selected either **No** or **N/A** above, have any non-federal funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress in connection with this federal contract, loan, or cooperative agreement?

- Yes
 No
 N/A

Debarment

Each applicant agency will certify that it and its principals (as defined in 2 CFR Part 180.995):

- Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, sentenced to a denial of Federal benefits by a State or Federal Court, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency;
- Have not within a three-year period preceding this application been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property; or
- Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in the above bullet; and have not within a three-year period preceding this application had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default.

Select the appropriate response:

- I Certify
 Unable to Certify

Enter the debarment justification:

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FUND SOURCE INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

DHS Project Type: Establish/enhance emergency operations center

Capabilities

Core Capability: Operational Coordination

Identify if this investment focuses on building new capabilities or sustaining existing capabilities. : Existing Capabilities (Sustain)

Are the assets or activities Deployable or Shareable: Shareable

___ Check if this Investment requires new construction or renovation, retrofitting, or modification of existing structures

___ Check if these funds will support a project that was previously funded with HSGP funding

Project Management Step Involved:

Check the step that most closely resembles the phase of the project activities to be completed during the grant period.

Step: Execute

Description: The period within the project lifecycle during which the actual work of creating the project's deliverables is carried out.

Process: Involves directing, accomplishing, managing, and completing all phases and aspects of work for a given project.

Milestones

Milestone: Set up grant budget; begin procurement process.; **Completion Date:** 11-01-2026

Milestone: Order equipment & services.; **Completion Date:** 12-01-2026

Milestone: Receive all equipment & services.; **Completion Date:** 03-30-2027

Milestone: Initiate close out process (reconcile, submit FSR's); **Completion Date:** 07-30-2027

NIMS Resources

___ Check if this project supports a NIMS typed resource

Enter the name of the typed resources from the Resource Type Library Tool:

Enter the ID of the typed resources from the Resource Type Library Tool:

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CATEGORY	SUB CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL	UNIT/%
Equipment	01AR-01-SCBA SCBA, CBRN	Software, Canva, online graphic design platform that lets you create visual content; web-based and mobile app used for designing: Social media posts (Instagram, Facebook, LinkedIn), Presentations, Posters and flyers, Logos, Business cards, Resumes, YouTube thumbnails, Invitations, Videos and animations. \$230 year subscription.	\$230.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$230.00	1
Contractual and Professional Services	06CC-04-SSBR Services, Satellite, Brokered	STARLINK, satellite internet link, services; initial set up fee \$349.00, QTY 1.	\$349.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$349.00	0
Contractual and Professional Services	06CC-04-SSBR Services, Satellite, Brokered	STARLINK, internet services; monthly fee of \$120.00 per months for 12 months. \$1440. QTY.1	\$1,440.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,440.00	0
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Computer equipment for EOC, HP 17 Inch Laptop Computer, 17.3" FHD IPS Business Laptop PC, AMD Ryzen 5 (6-Cores), Windows 11 Pro, 32GB RAM 1TB SSD, Copilot AI, 10-Key Number Pad, Type-C, Wi-Fi 6. \$1099.00 EACH.	\$8,792.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,792.00	8
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Portable Monitor, 15.6" FHD 1080P Travel Portable Monitor for Laptops, Ultra-Slim External Portable Screen for Laptop with Kickstand, Screen Extender for Laptop PC Mac Phone PS4/5 Xbox Switch. 59.98 EACH	\$479.84	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$479.84	8
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	VEVOR 39 Inch Cold Laminator Machine 10mm Manual Vinyl Photo Film Cold laminator Hand Crank Pressure Cold Roll laminator(39Inch) \$136.90 EACH.	\$273.80	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$273.80	2
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	DJI Osmo Pocket 3 Creator Combo, 4K/120fps Video 3-Axis Stabilization, Handheld Vlogging Camera with Rotatable Touchscreen Mic 2 (CP.OS.00000302.01) + 64GB Memory Card + Camera Bag + More. \$994.00 EACH	\$994.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$994.95	1
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	2 Pack 12.87 x 17.72 Inch Adjustable Pedestal Floor Stand Sign Holder with Adhesive Whiteboard Sticker and Dry Erase Whiteboard Pen Rotation Outdoor	\$111.98	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$111.98	2

		Indoor Standing Display Sign Holder. \$55.99 EACH.							
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Lincia 3 Pack Dry Erase Board Arrow Sign Stand Adjustable Holder Floor Signs 11.7 x 16.5 Inch Dual Sided with Heavy Duty Pedestal for Indoor Outdoor Hotel School. \$205.99 EACH	\$205.99	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$205.99		1
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	HP DesignJet T630 Large Format 36-inch Color Plotter Printer with Auto Sheet Feeder, Media Bin & Stand (5HB11D) - New Model. \$2025.00 EACH.	\$2,025.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,025.00		1
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	VOISEN Wide Format Paper,4 Rolls Plotter Paper 36 In x 150 Ft, CAD Bond Rolls,20lb,Bond Paper on 2" Core for CAD Printing on Wide Format Ink Jet Printers. \$89.99 PER PACK OF 4; 5 PACKS.	\$449.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$449.95		5
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	HP 712 29ml DesignJet Original Ink Cartridge for T650, T630, T230, T210 & Studio Plotter Printers. \$188.95 PER PACK, QTY. 2 PACKS	\$377.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$377.90		2
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	BOYA Desktop Gooseneck Condenser Microphone 18" Podium Microphones with Base LED Indicator XLR Mic for Meetings Video Conferences Streaming Lectures BY-GM18CB. \$62.00 EACH.	\$620.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$620.00		10
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Duracell Coppertop AAA Batteries with Power Boost Ingredients, 24 Count Pack Triple A Battery with Long-Lasting Power, Alkaline AAA Battery for Household and Office Devices. \$18.64 PER PACK (24 COUNT). 5 PACKS.	\$93.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$93.20		5
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Tower Power Strip Flat Plug with 12 Outlets 4 USB(1 USB C),AOFO Surge Protector Charging Station with Overload Protection, Widely Spaced Multiple Outlets 10Ft Extension Cord for Home, Dorm, Office. \$29.99 EACH, QTY. 5	\$149.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$149.95		5
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Fainne 60 Sets Dry Erase Name Tent Cards with Black Markers 8.7 x 2.8 x 1.9 Inches White Reusable Name Plate Wipe Clean Desk Tags Sign for Classroom Table Office Conference Meeting. 60 COUNT PER PACK \$76.99 - QTY. 2 PACKS.	\$153.98	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$153.98		2

Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	USB to HDMI Cable, USB-A to HDMI Adapter for Monitor, Type-A Male to HDMI Male Adapter for TV/DVD Player/Projector/Monitor-6.6FT/2M (Black). \$6.99 EACH. QTY. 10.	\$69.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$69.90	10
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Atlas Copco QAS330 - Trailer: Diesel; Output, standby/prime, 290/264KW, 60hz, Engine, John Deere, 9L, 399hp. Tier 4 Final HGACBuy. #GEO2-20DA08BACK UP GENERATOR FOR BACK EOC, \$185,149.65 EACH. QTY 1.	\$185,149.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$185,149.65	1
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Maxtek Rolling Whiteboard, 72x40 Large Double-Sided White Board Dry Erase on Wheels, Giant Magnetic White Board Standing for Office, School, Home Office, Homeschool(72 x 40). \$199.99 EACH, QTY. 10.	\$1,999.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,999.90	10
Equipment	21GN-00-OCEQ Equipment and Supplies, Information/Emergency Operations/Fusion Centers	Brother DCP-L2640DW Wireless Compact Monochrome Multi-Function Laser Printer with Copy and Scan, Duplex, Mobile, Black & White Includes Refresh Subscription Trial(1), Works with Alexa. \$209.99 EACH. QTY. 2.	\$419.98	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$419.98	2

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Detail Source of Match/GPI:

DESCRIPTION	MATCH TYPE	AMOUNT
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Summary Source of Match/GPI:

Total Report	Cash Match	In Kind	GPI Federal Share	GPI State Share
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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Budget Summary Information by Budget Category:

CATEGORY	OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL
Contractual and Professional Services	\$1,789.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,789.00
Equipment	\$202,597.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$202,597.97

Budget Grand Total Information:

OOG	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	GPI	TOTAL
\$204,386.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$204,386.97

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Condition Of Fundings

Condition of Funding / Project Requirement	Date Created	Date Met	Hold Project Funds	Hold Line Item Funds

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