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Governor Cuomo Announces $4.3 Million in Federal Funding to Support Local COVID-19 Planning and Response

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Funding Being Made Available to County Emergency Management Agencies and the City of New York to Support COVID-19 Planning and Operational Readiness

Funding Allocations Derived from Population-Based Formula

Deadline for Applications is July 16, 2020

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced $4.3 million in federal funding is being made available to county emergency management agencies and the City of New York to support COVID-19 planning and operational readiness. This grant opportunity will provide an additional level of direct support to counties as New York, and the rest of the world, continues to grapple with the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. Eligible recipients will be able to utilize this funding to cover various emergency management-related costs already borne during the pandemic, as well as costs associated with local prevention and operational efforts moving forward.

"As the COVID-19 Pandemic continues to threaten the health and safety of people around the world, New York continues to be the model for effectively responding to this crisis and controlling infection levels despite the financial toll it has taken on state and local governments," **Governor Cuomo said.** "While this funding is a first step in providing local governments with much needed relief, this situation is far from over and I will keep fighting to ensure the federal government is providing real financial support to those who have been on the front lines since Day One."

As part of FEMA's Emergency Management Performance Grant program, this COVID-19 Supplemental will provide recipients with funding to cover costs associated with COVID-19-related planning, training, travel, support from

consultants or contractors, equipment purchases, and facility construction and maintenance. Funding allocations are derived from a population-based formula and require a 1:1 cost match from each recipient.

Funding availabilities for each eligible jurisdiction are as follows:

Jurisdiction	Available Funding
New York City	$1,787,193
Albany County	$66,503
Allegany County	$10,700
Broome County	$43,854
Cattaraugus County	$17,558
Cayuga County	$17,495
Chautauqua County	$29,492
Chemung County	$19,419
Chenango County	$11,035
Clinton County	$17,954
Columbia County	$13,794
Cortland County	$10,786
Delaware County	$10,489

Dutchess County	$65,035
Erie County	$200,914
Essex County	$10,000
Franklin County	$11,280
Fulton County	$12,140
Genesee County	$13,134
Greene County	$10,760
Hamilton County	$10,000
Herkimer County	$14,105
Jefferson County	$25,409
Lewis County	$10,000
Livingston County	$14,296
Madison County	$16,055
Monroe County	$162,724
Montgomery County	$10,979
Nassau County	$292,840

Niagara County	$47,323
Oneida County	$51,347
Onondaga County	$102,098
Ontario County	$23,595
Orange County	$81,502
Orleans County	$10,000
Oswego County	$26,695
Otsego County	$13,611
Putnam County	$21,798
Rensselaer County	$34,853
Rockland County	$68,139
St. Lawrence County	$24,472
Saratoga County	$48,009
Schenectady County	$33,825
Schoharie County	$10,000

Schuyler County	$10,000
Seneca County	$10,000
Steuben County	$21,641
Suffolk County	$326,466
Sullivan County	$16,953
Tioga County	$11,177
Tompkins County	$22,203
Ulster County	$39,895
Warren County	$14,364
Washington County	$13,820
Wayne County	$20,500
Westchester County	$207,489
Wyoming County	$10,000
Yates County	$10,000

The New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services will administer this funding on behalf of FEMA. DHSES will be in contact with each jurisdiction's emergency management office directly to not only ensure all guidance and application documents are in hand, but also to assist with the application process and provide additional information as necessary.

New York State Homeland Security and Emergency Services Commissioner Patrick A. Murphy said, "Throughout the COVID-19 Pandemic, first responders and emergency management experts from throughout the state have

worked tirelessly to keep their communities safe. Despite the situation improving on a number of fronts, we must collectively remain vigilant as this very real public health threat still remains. This funding will play an important role in this effort by providing our local partners with the resources they need to not only support ongoing operations, but plan and train for the future as well."

Ineligible costs include:

- Anything unrelated to COVID-19 planning, prevention, or response;
- Activities and projects unrelated to the completion and implementation of this Emergency Management Performance Grant COVID-19 Supplemental;
- Costs to support hiring sworn public safety officers for the purposes of fulfilling traditional public safety duties; or
- Costs already paid for with funding from FEMA's Public Assistance Program or any other federal program.

The performance period for this grant is from January 27, 2020 through July 31, 2021. Applicants must submit applications for funding to DHSES by emailing the application worksheet to Grant.Info@dhses.ny.gov (mailto:Grant.Info@dhses.ny.gov) **no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 16, 2020.**

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