Overview

- 60 active federal grants
- Two active grants terminated
- Several grants paused / "suspended"
- Daily changing procedures
- Federal staff changes and unavailability

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3/24/2025 Community Health Worker grant terminated by CDC through KDHE. The grant began in January 2023, and with a recent grant amendment that had increased to $789,248 with the funds available through mid-July.   We had spent $648,000 of the grant.   Still some remaining costs that we hope to recoup.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

CFDA	GRANT	PURPOSE	GRANT TOTAL	FEDERAL AMOUNT
93.495	**Kanas Department of Health and Environment KC Regional Community Health Worker Collab 2023** DATE: Jan. 1, 2023 – June 30, 2025 FUNDER: Kansas Department of Health and Environment	This program provides training and policy support toward building the Community Health Worker workforce and assisting agencies in securing insurance reimbursement. Core competency, supervisor, leadership and other trainings have been provided to almost 1,000 participants available to fill gaps the workforce across Kansas and Missouri.	$789,248	$789,248

Federal Budget regional impact

- Safety and security

- Head Start

- Older Americans Act

- Energy and environment

Notified on April 4 – through Webgrants (Missouri)

*Please be informed that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has **temporarily suspended grant funding across the country**. The grants affected by this pause include the **Homeland Security Grant Program**, the Nonprofit Security Grant Program, and the State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program. We have not yet received any official updates from FEMA concerning potential future modifications to these grant programs. We will share any new information with you as soon as it becomes available. Thank you.*

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

CFDA	GRANT	PURPOSE	GRANT TOTAL	FEDERAL AMOUNT	COMMUNITY MATCH
97.067	**Kansas Homeland Security Grant Program FY 2022** DATE: Sept. 1, 2022 – May 31, 2025 **Kansas Homeland Security Grant Program FY 2023** DATE: Sept. 1, 2023 – May 31, 2026 **Kansas Homeland Security Grant Program FY 2024** DATE: Sept. 1, 2024 – May 31, 2026 FUNDER: Kansas Highway Patrol HS/EMO	This funding is used to enhance the capabilities of the region to prevent, protect against, mitigate, respond to and recover from acts of terrorism and other catastrophic events through shared equipment purchases and a variety of training and exercises. The program serves Wyandotte, Johnson and Leavenworth county agencies including law enforcement, hazmat, emergency management and others.	$464,819 $464,820 $418,338	$464,819 $464,820 $418,338	
97.067	**Missouri Homeland Security Grant Program FY 2021** DATE: Sept. 1, 2021 – July 31, 2025 FUNDER: Missouri Office of Homeland Security	This funding is used across the eight-county bistate area for training and exercises of first responders related to the prevention, protection, and preparation for and response to acts of terrorism. 1,406 first responders trained together through these and other funds, and the grant supported the update of regional plans across jurisdictions and disciplines. The funds also purchased specialized emergency response equipment for fire and law enforcement agencies.	$605,582	$605,582	
97.067	**Urban Area Security Initiative FY 2022** DATE: Sept. 1, 2022 – Aug. 31, 2025 **Urban Area Security Initiative FY 2023** DATE: Sept. 1, 2023 – Aug. 31, 2026 **Urban Area Security Initiative FY 2024** DATE: Sept. 1, 2024 – Aug. 31, 2027 FUNDER: Missouri Office of Homeland Security	This program provides training and policy support toward building the Community Health Worker workforce and assisting agencies in securing insurance reimbursement. Core competency, supervisor, leadership and other trainings have been provided to almost 1,000 participants available to fill gaps the workforce across Kansas and Missouri.	$1,425,000 $1,563,066 $1,402,946	$1,425,000 $1,563,066 $1,402,946	

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Kansas and Homeland Security Grant Program
- Hazardous materials/explosives/tech rescue teams in all jurisdictions in:
    - Leavenworth County
    - Wyandotte County
    - Johnson County

Missouri Homeland Security Grant Program
- Hazardous materials/explosives/tech rescue teams in all jurisdictions in:
    - Clay County
    - Ray County
    - Platte County
    - Jackson County
    - Cass County

Urban Area Security Initiative
- Kansas City Regional Fusion Center
- All first responder agencies in:
    - Leavenworth County
    - Wyandotte County
    - Johnson County
    - Clay County
    - Ray County
    - Platte County
    - Jackson County
    - Cass County

Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee (RHSCC)

The Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee operates as a policy committee of the MARC Board of Directors and oversees regional emergency preparedness and homeland security grant funds.

Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee Hospital Committee

The RHSCC Hospital Committee brings hospitals from across the MARC region together to coordinate planning, training and exercises — within and among hospitals, as well as with other organizations.

Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee Law Enforcement Subcommittee

The Law Enforcement Committee is a subcommittee of the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee.

Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee Public Health Preparedness Subcommittee

The Public Health Preparedness committee is a subcomittee of the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee.

Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee Policy Subcommittee

The Policy Committee is a subcommittee of the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee that provides input into regional, state and federal legislative platforms used by MARC and local agencies to impact public policy.

RHSCC Cybersecurity Subcommittee

Created by the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee (RHSCC) leadership and a planning team of city and county leaders, IT professionals, emergency managers and cybersecurity experts the Cybersecurity subcommittee has a shared vision of reducing cybersecurity threats.

Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee Plans Subcommittee

The Plans Committee is a joint venture of of the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Committee and the Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee.

Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee

The Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee serves as a forum for local emergency managers to discuss and resolve regional issues, problems, projects and activities related to all-hazards emergency management.

Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee Community Education Subcommittee

The mission of the Community Education group is to promote and support local programs that facilitate critical all-hazards education, information and training opportunities for the citizens of the Kansas City metropolitan region to strengthen the whole community state of readiness in the event of

- **RHSCC** met and decided to continue with basic functions [realizing they are at risk but could be covered by reserved local contributions] for **one month.**

- **Basic functions** include: MARC staff, ongoing programmatic support, support of health and medical analyst position at Olathe FD and two outreach coordinators that work out of the Kansas City Police Department Fusion Center, and monthly subscription costs for ongoing services e.g. radios and mi-fi's, secured internet.

- Estimated risk for that one month is $66,000.

- **Pause** on planned Cybersecurity exercise and training.
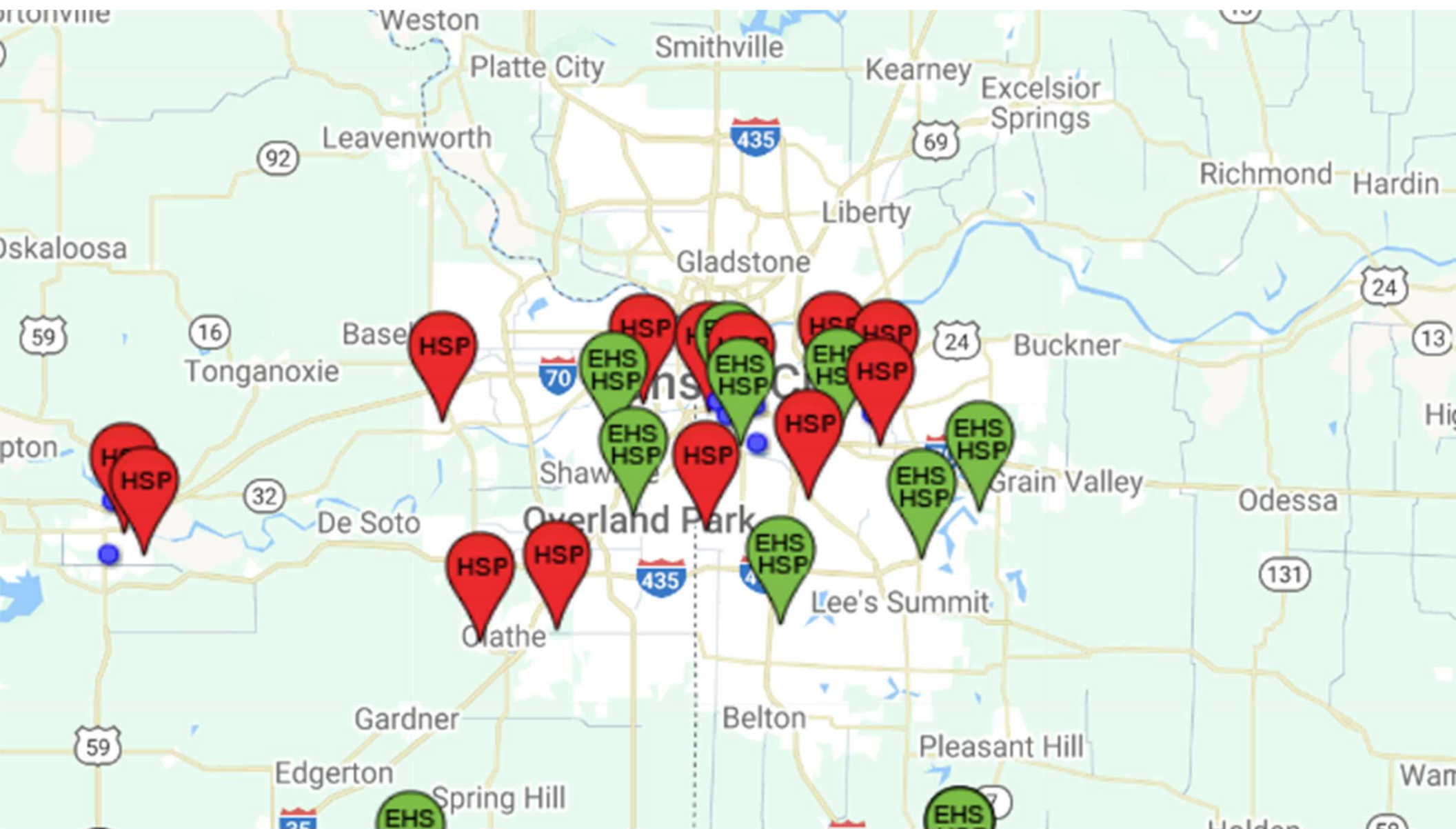
- **Reevaluate** at their next meeting.

Notified on Friday, April 18

Mo DPS Office of Homeland Security - Missouri Department of Public Safety received funding from the federal government today. They are releasing funds. More formal communication is expected from FEMA next week.

State Administrative Agency (KHP) - able to draw down all pending reimbursements that had been submitted since the February 2025 freeze.

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- Since 1974, provides comprehensive health, nutrition and education services to children in poverty with the goal of helping them be kindergarten ready.

- Based on four major components of education, health, parent involvement and social services.

- Must be below poverty level to be eligible, family of four making less than $32, 150.

- Annually: 800,000 children, 275,000 staff and 1600 grant recipients

Head Start

MARC Direct Service Providers

- Blue Springs School District
- Emmanuel Family and Child Development Center
- Excelsior Springs
- Front Porch Alliance
- Guadalupe Center
- High Grove Early Childhood Center (Grandview C-4 School District
- Learn-A-Lot Academy
- Lee's Summit R-7 School District
- Ability KC
- Three Trails Preschool (Raytown Quality Schools
- Yellowjacket Early Learning Center (Center School District)
- The Family Conservancy
- EarlystART KC
- Independence School District
- Kansas City Public Schools
- Operation Breakthrough

The Family Conservancy

- Center Based
  - Angels of Grace
  - Delightful Learning
  - Early Learners Academy
  - El Centro Academy for Children
  - Exploring Minds
  - Little Hands
  - The Rock at Stony Point
- Family Child Care
  - Genesis
  - Grace's Angels, LLC

Project Eagle

Growing Futures

Kansas City Kansas Public Schools

Olathe Head Start

Older Americans Act

- Realignment under HHS - splitting OAA program between two agencies

- Eliminating funding for safety programs including Chronic Disease Management, Ombudsman and Adult Protective Services programs

- Continuing resolution included flat funding which means a reduction in service levels due to increasing demand, increasing costs and new administrative requirements

- Delay in reimbursements of federal to states

- Uncertainty about federal budget in September

Area Agencies on Aging in the Region

- Wyandotte-Leavenworth Area Agency on Aging
- East Central Kansas Area Agency on Aging (Miami County)
- Johnson County Area Agency on Aging
- MARC: Cass, Clay, Jackson, Platte and Ray counties

Questions?