



OREGON DEPARTMENT OF **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR NOFO Briefing

OEM HMA Webpage

<https://www.oregon.gov/oem/emresources/Grants/Pages/HMA.aspx>



HMA Grants

Non-Disaster (*annual, subapplication submitted via platform (i.e. FEMA GO)*)

- [Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities \(BRIC\)](#)
- [Flood Mitigation Assistance \(FMA\)](#)
- [~~Pre-disaster Mitigation \(PDM\)~~](#)

Post-Disaster (*subapplication submitted via email/file sharing in Word*)

- [Hazard Mitigation Grant Program \(HMGP\)](#)
- [Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Post Fire \(HMGP-PF\)](#)



Who is Eligible to Apply?

Eligible Subapplicants

- Local governments – including cities, townships, counties, and special district governments;
- Private Non-Profit (PNP) organizations, as defined in 44 CFR Sections 206.221(e) and 206.434(a)(2);
- Tribal governments; and
- State agencies

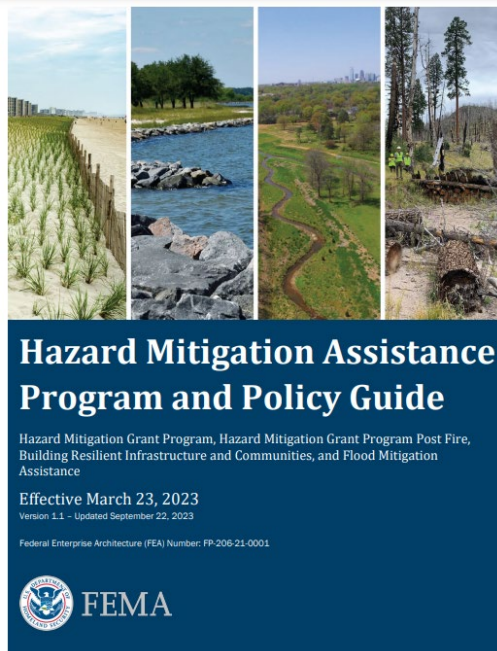
Additional Eligibility Criteria

- FEMA-approved Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan (NHMP) by the time of award
 - Private nonprofits (PNPs) exempt
 - Extraordinary Circumstances Exception (ECE) available
- SAMS.gov registration
 - Make sure entity is not debarred or suspended
 - Unique Entity Identifier (UEI)



HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR Guidance

2023 HMA Program and Policy Guide replaces the 2015 HMA Guidance for declarations after March 23, 2023 (and for FM5457)



Notable Changes:

- 48-month POP
- New Category: 5% Codes and Standards
- POP Extension Request Changes

Full list starting in the [2023 Program and Policy Guide](#), starting on page 13



HMGP-PF Grants

- Assist communities in implementing hazard mitigation measures following wildfire
- Funds available after a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG)
- Federal Amount Available: Determined by FEMA at the start of each calendar year; based on the average of national wildfire costs over the previous 10 years
- Multiple FMAGs under one grant round, after 2015
 - For example, FM-5457 (2023 FMAGs):

Declaration:	HMGP-PF Ceiling
FM-5457	\$918,774.00
FM-5471	\$918,774.00
FM-5483	\$918,774.00
TOTAL:	\$2,756,322.00

Plan Type	Last 10 Year Average Obligations >\$100,000 (adjusted for inflation)
	\$6,125,161
Standard (15% of the 10-year average)	\$918,774
Enhanced (20% of the 10-year average)	\$1,225,032



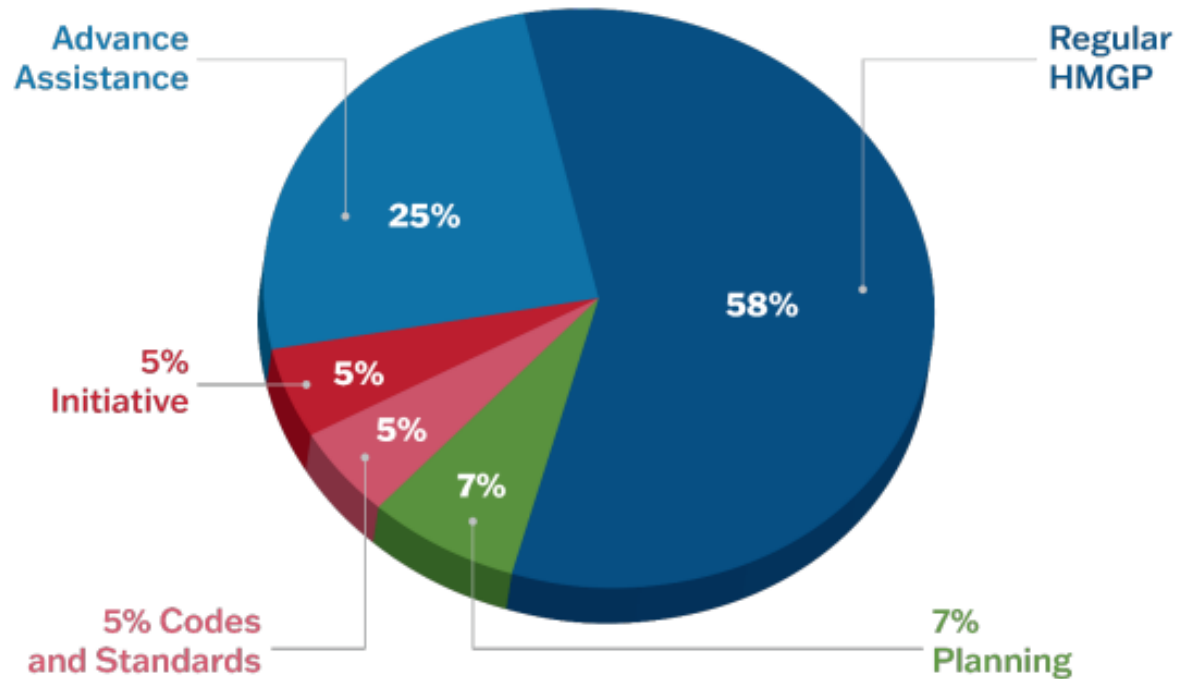
HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR Overview

Disaster-Related Dates & Information

Incident Period	Sep 9, 2022+
Type of Incident	3 Fire Management Assistance Grants (FMAGs), FM-5457 (Cedar Creek Fire), FM-5471 (Golden Fire), & FM-5483 (Liberty Fire)
Declaration Date/Pre-award Costs Start Date	January 27, 2023 (First FMAG declaration – FM-5457 Cedar Creek Fire)
Directly Affected Areas	Lane, Klamath, & Marion Counties
Total Federal Funds Available	\$2,756,322
Federal Funds Available by Proposal Category	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Projects: \$1,598,666.76• Planning: \$192,942.54• 5 Percent Initiative: \$137,816.10• 5 Percent Codes and Standards: \$137,816.10• Advance Assistance (AA): \$689,080.50
Cost Share	75% Federal; 25% Non-Federal



Post-Disaster Categories



Any 7%, 5% or 25% amounts not obligated under their categories revert back to regular HMGP funds.

Figure 9. HMGP Funding Breakdown



Post-Disaster Categories

HMGP grants have 5 different subcategories (*only one of the five per pre-application and subapplication*):

- 1) Projects:** There are a variety of eligible projects related to natural hazards.
- 2) Plans:** Natural Hazard Mitigation Plans (NHMP) and Community Wildfire Protection Plans (CWPP) are the two most common uses for planning funds. *Emergency Operations Plans are ineligible.* **Outcome:** Intent to include in the NHMP
- 3) 5% Initiative:** Mitigation activities in which benefits are difficult to quantify; does not require a BCA (construction). Education, outreach, GIS, etc. (non-construction)
- 4) 5% Codes and Standards:** Dedicated funding to strengthen the use of building codes and standards, including land use ordinances. Building codes and standards activities may also be eligible to be funded under other categories.
- 5) Advance Assistance:** Used to develop mitigation strategies and obtain data to prioritize, select, and develop complete HMA subapplications. **Outcome:** Intent to utilize HMA funds for project implementation



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5% Codes and Standards: 5% of total federal funds

- Dedicated funding to strengthen the use of building codes and standards
- May be paired with 5% Initiative
- Post-disaster code enforcement projects & building code activities
- Related to land use, zoning, floodplain management, infrastructure, urban-wildland defensible space (e.g., stormwater management regulations) or other area
- 2023 HMA Program and Policy Guide, Page 280 outlines activity eligibility under HMGP, HMGP-PF, and BRIC

Activity	Eligibility			
	HMGP and HMGP Post Fire 5 Percent Initiative	HMGP and HMGP Post Fire 5 Percent Codes and Standards	HMGP and HMGP Post Fire 7 Percent Planning	BRIC
Evaluate which code adoption and enforcement activities are best suited for the jurisdiction	Yes	Yes	Yes, land use ordinances only	Yes
Adopt building codes or develop building code requirements that help make the community more resilient (including publication of those requirements) related to land use, zoning, floodplain management, infrastructure, urban-wildland defensible space (e.g., building, stormwater management regulations) or other area	Yes	Yes	Yes, land use ordinances only	Yes



Priorities for HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR



All eligible entities are invited to apply, however overarching priorities for funding under **HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR** are listed below.

Priority will be given to entities that:

- Are within the directly affected areas (Lane, Klamath, & Marion Counties)
- Have a current FEMA-approved Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan (NHMP)
- Have received no or few Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) subgrants in the past

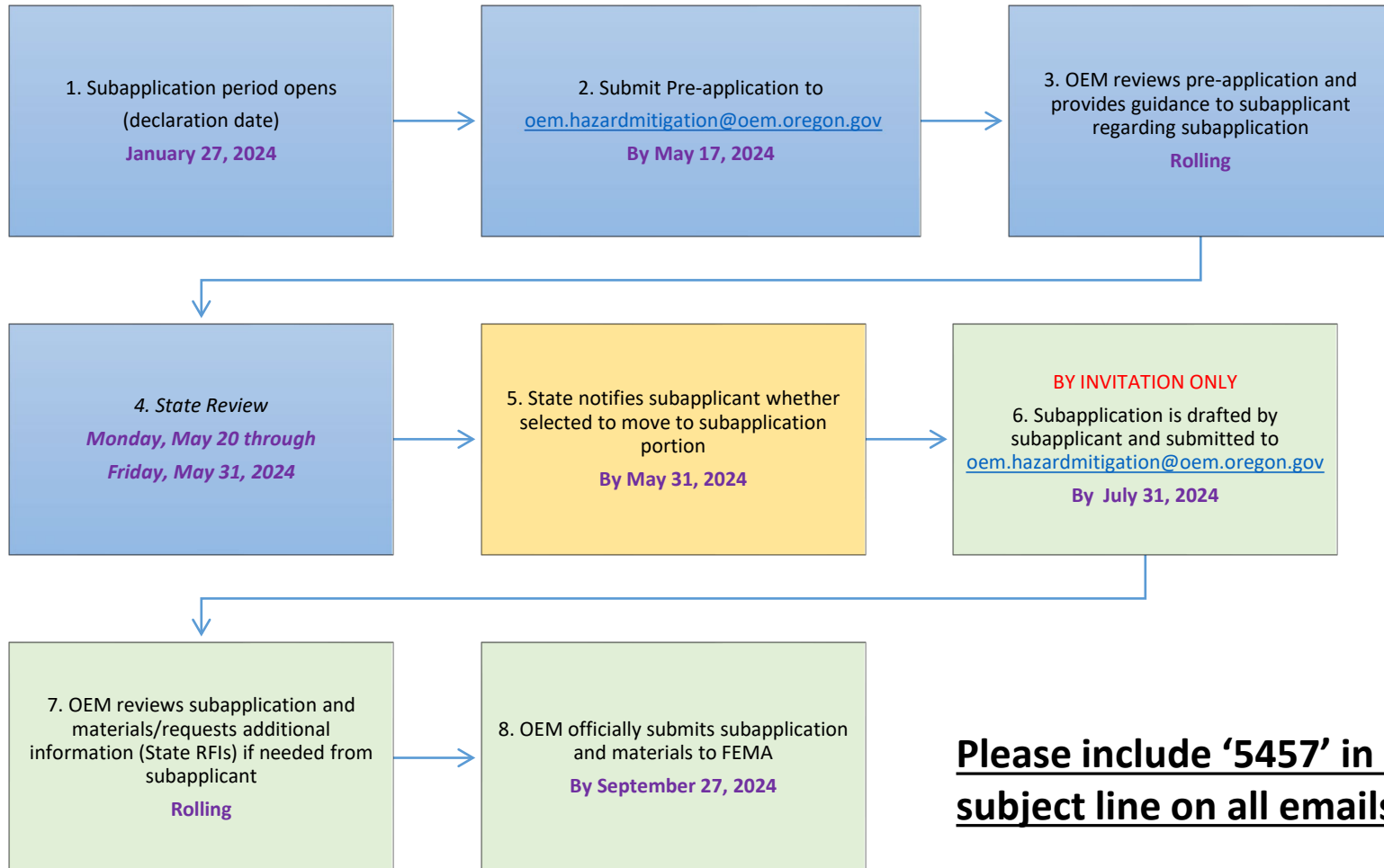
Priority will be given to proposals that:

- Relate to wildfire mitigation across all proposal categories
- Will create or update an NHMP and/or CWPP
- Are outlined in the mitigation actions of the entity's FEMA-approved NHMP, or, if not listed in the NHMP mitigation actions, clearly outlines the importance of the activity to the resilience of the area (relating to any or all hazards)
- Clearly identify and articulate the proposal's benefits and risk reduction to underserved and/or disadvantaged communities.
- Located in [Community Disaster Resilience Zones](#) (CDRZs)





Life of an HMA Subapplication: State



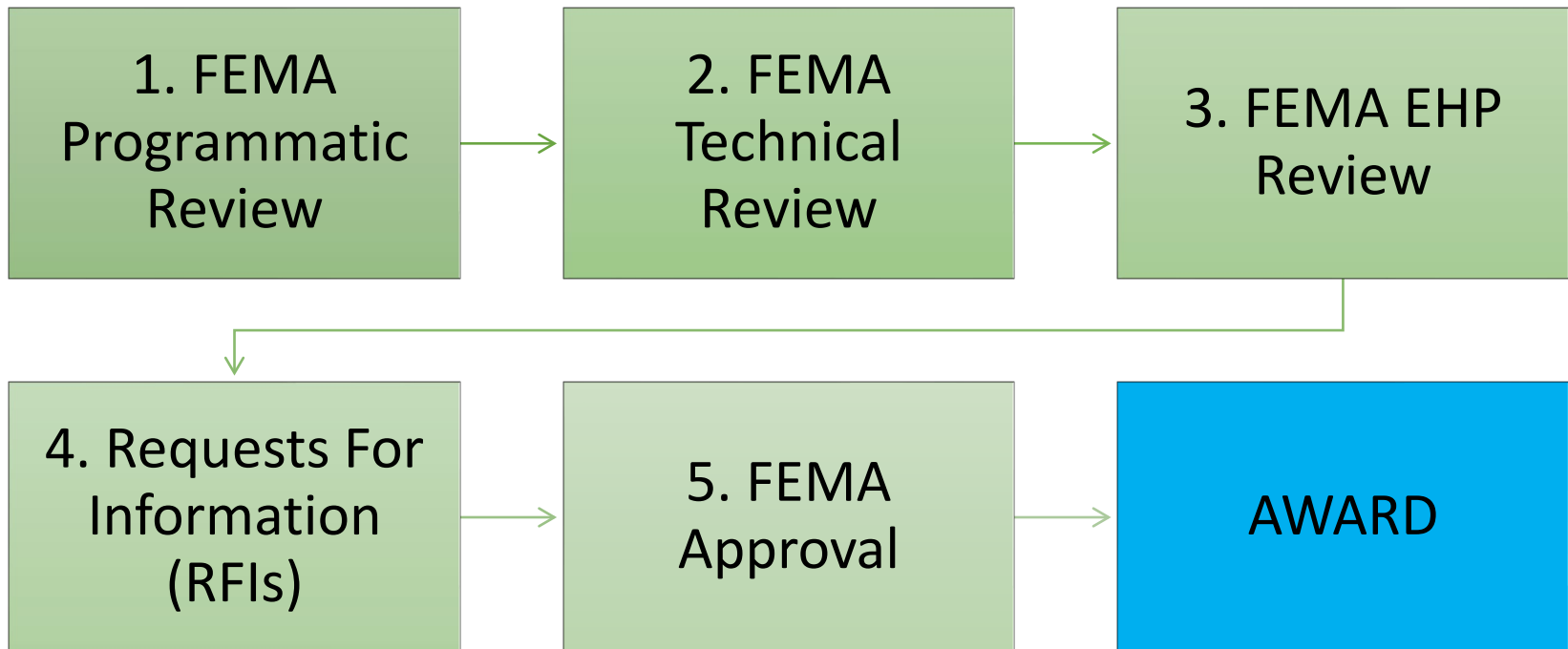
Please include '5457' in the subject line on all emails!



Life of an HMA Subapplication: FEMA

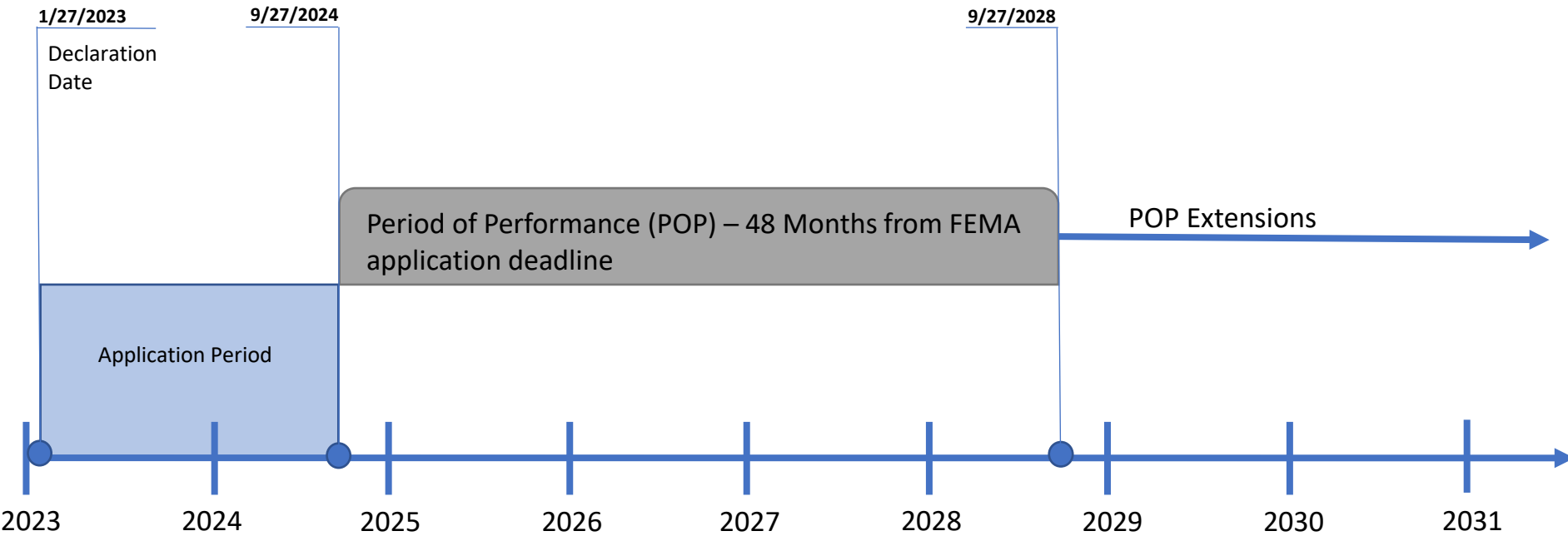


This process can take **10-18 months**





HMGP-PF-FM-5457-OR Grant Timeline





Cost-Effectiveness

- Determines the future risk reduction benefits of a hazard mitigation project (**benefits in the context of hazard mitigation are avoided future damage and losses**) and compares those benefits to its costs.
- Benefit Cost Ratio (BCR) = total benefits / total costs
- Cost-effectiveness = Benefit-Cost Ratio (BCR) is 1.0 or greater.
- Pre-calculated benefits for several projects including:
 - Acquisitions and Elevations in the Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA)
 - Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Post Wildfire
 - Hospital Generators
- Must use FEMA-approved methodologies and tools—such as the [BCA Toolkit](#)—to demonstrate the cost-effectiveness
- BCA Toolkit Support: bchelp@fema.dhs.gov; 1-855-540-6744 (cannot review or perform benefit-cost analysis)



BCA Post-Wildfire
Mitigation



Costs



FEMA Cost Share
Guide



Cost Share Fact
Sheet

- **Cost Share:** 75% federal & 25% local cost
Contributions of cash, third-party in-kind services, materials, or any combination
- **Management Costs:** FEMA will provide 100% funding for subapplicant management costs
 - Up to 5% of total project cost
 - Includes indirect costs
 - Grant Management vs Project Management
 - Delivery of technical assistance
 - Managing awards
 - Technical monitoring
 - Purchase of equipment, per diem and travel expenses, and professional development
 - Staff salary costs directly related to performing the activities listed above



Management
Costs Fact Sheet

** Recommendation to write in at least \$1 in management costs in your subapplication

- **Pre-award Costs:** incurred after the HMA subapplication period has opened (January 27, 2023), but prior to FEMA subgrant award (individual to your proposal)



What is next?

1. Gather information and fill out the pre-application sent out with the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)



5457 NOFO

2. If you need support (TA) in filling out this pre-application, email oregon.hazardmitigation@oem.oregon.gov or get in touch with your OEM Regional Coordinator (contact information can be found at: <https://oregon-oem-geo.hub.arcgis.com/apps/25e51176828e48548bd282e5eeef4521/explore>, Mitigation and Recovery Coordinators tab)
3. Submit the completed pre-application to oregon.hazardmitigation@oem.oregon.gov by May 10, 2024



FEMA HMA Links & Resources

- 2023 [Hazard Mitigation Assistance Program and Policy Guide \(fema.gov\)](https://www.fema.gov/hazard-mitigation-assistance-program-and-policy-guide)
- FEMA Mitigation Action Portfolio:
https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema_mitigation-action-portfolio-support-document.pdf
- FEMA Hazard Mitigation Ideas:
https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-06/fema-mitigation-ideas_02-13-2013.pdf
- FEMA HMA Cost Share Guidance:
https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-08/fema_hma_cost-share-guide.pdf
- FEMA Management Costs Policy: [Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Interim Management Costs \(fema.gov\)](https://www.fema.gov/hazard-mitigation-grant-program-interim-management-costs)
- FEMA Nature Based Solutions:
https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-08/fema_riskmap_nature-based-solutions-guide_2020.pdf



Contacts and Resources

OEM Hazard Mitigation Email

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OEM HMA Webpage

<https://www.oregon.gov/oem/emresources/Grants/Pages/HMA.aspx>

OEM Mitigation ListServ Signup:

<https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/OROEM/subscriber/new>