

## **Notice of Funding Availability for Applications for Financial Assistance Under the State of Montana 9-1-1 Grant Program**

**AGENCY:** Department of Justice, Montana Highway Patrol (Department)

**ACTION:** Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA).

**SUMMARY:** The Department shall award competitive grants annually.

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this NOFA is to notify potential applicants of the amount of funding available in state fiscal year (SFY) 2022 from the Department's 9-1-1 Grant Program. **A minimum of \$3 million in funding is available for the award of 9-1-1 grants by the Department in SFY 2022.** The department will issue a notice for the application submittal period and will award grants by June 30, 2022.

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:** Eligible applicants and recipients of Department 9-1-1 grants include: private telecommunications providers and local and tribal government entities that host certified public safety answering points.

Eligible uses of awarded grant funds include project feasibility studies or project plans; the implementation, operation, and maintenance of 9-1-1 systems, equipment, devices, and data; and the purchase of services that support 9-1-1 systems.

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