ARTS, HUMANITIES, and INTERNATIONAL

National Council on the Arts 200th Meeting National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)

Notice announcing a public teleconference for the NEA. There will be opening remarks and voting on recommendations for grant funding and rejection, followed by updates from the NEA Chairman.

This meeting will be held June 25, 2020; 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Advancing Greenland's Mineral Sector Education
Department of State (State), Bureau of Energy Resources (ENR)

Notice seeking proposals that focus on building capacity in Greenland to oversee Greenland's growing mineral resource sector and bolster domestic expertise to supply mining sector workforce needs in support of better livelihood and long-term economic development.

Proposals are due July 31, 2020. Approximately \$1.185 million is available.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Design and Implementation of the English Access Microscholarship Programs in Kazakhstan Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Kazakhstan

Notice encouraging applications for the design and implementation of the English Access Microscholarship Program. The English Access Microscholarship Program (Access) is a global program supported by the U.S. Department of State. Access provides a foundation of English language skills to talented 13-15 year-olds from economically disadvantaged sectors through after-school classes and intensive sessions. Access gives participants English skills that may lead to better jobs and educational prospects. The program also gives participants the opportunity to gain an appreciation for U.S. culture and values.

Applications are due July 15, 2020(11:59 p.m. Nur-Sultan time zone).

LINKS: Grants.gov

Promoting Accountability in Iraq and Syria For Genocide, Crimes Against Humanity, and War Crimes Department of State (State), Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs (NEA); Office of Assistance Coordination (AC)

Notice seeking proposals in the advancement of investigations and prosecutions of perpetrators of atrocities in Iraq or Syria.

Applications are due July 27, 2020. Questions are due June 29, 2020. Approximately \$4.5 million is available for three to four awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Public Diplomacy Grants in Kuwait Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Kuwait

Notice announcing an open competition for organizations or individuals to submit a statement of interest (SOI) to carry out a program (or programs) to the Public Affairs section at the U.S. Embassy Kuwait. Programs include: prepare students in Kuwait to attend U.S. universities; strengthen the ability of marginalized communities, youth, and women to participate fully in the political process and the economy;

improve intellectual property rights awareness and enforcement; promote people-to-people ties between the United States and Kuwait; foster innovative approaches to solving social, economic, or political issues; and/or promote community resiliency during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.

Required statements of interest are due July 31, 2020. Approximately \$85,000 is available for up to 10 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

EDUCATION and ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP) - Continuing Training Grants (CTG)

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Department of Homeland Security (Homeland Security), National Preparedness Directorate (NPD)

Notice seeking applications that supports building, sustaining, and delivering core capabilities through training to achieve the National Preparedness Goal (the Goal), which is "a secure and resilient Nation with the capabilities required across the whole community to prevent, protect against, mitigate, respond to, and recover from the threats and hazards that pose the greatest risk".

Applications are due July 9, 2020. Approximately \$8 million is available to support four to five awards for 36 months.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Great Lakes Bay Watershed Education and Training (B-WET) program FY21 National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (Commerce), Office of Education

Notice seeking applications to fund projects that provide meaningful watershed education experiences for k-12 students, and related professional development for teachers, while advancing regional Great Lakes watershed education priorities.

Applications are due August 21, 2020. Approximately 17 awards of up to \$80,000 each are available to support projects lasting up to 18 months. Applicants may be physically located in any U.S. state; however, education projects must target teachers and/or students in the Great Lakes watershed.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Mississippi Conservation Delivery Technical Assistance for Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)

Notice seeking applications for support from natural resource conservation partners to work together to help enhance conservation delivery in Mississippi.

Applications are due July 8, 2020. Approximately \$4 million is available to support 16 to 20 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

ORWA Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)

Notice seeking applications to counties that traditionally have been supported by timber payments. These

payments make up for the loss in timber payments caused by the decline in timber harvest on Federal lands that occurred in the 1990s.

Applications are due September 30, 2020. Approximately \$6.6 million is available to support 10 to 50 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Standing Announcement for Residential (Secure) Services for Unaccompanied Alien Children Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR)

Notice seeking applications for secure care providers to temporary shelter care and other child welfare-related services to unaccompanied alien children (UAC) in ORR custody. The secure care provider manages a specialized population of UAC who have exhibited the following behaviors: violent or criminal behavior that endangers others; serious escape history/risk, etc.

Applications are due August 10, 2020 through August 10, 2022. Approximately \$15 million is available for five awards to support projects lasting up to three years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Veterans' Advisory Committee on Education, Notice of Meeting Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to include the following agenda: an introduction of new Committee members, Veterans Benefits Administration Leadership, and Education Service Leadership Staff; an overview of Education Service Benefit Programs and Services; and discussion of recommendation proposals previously presented to the Secretary regarding GI Bill Education Programs.

The meeting will be held June 23 to June 26, 2020, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET via teleconference. To join, call 800-767-1750, enter access code 00684, then press#.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Eligibility of Students at Institutions of Higher Education for Funds Under the CARES Act Department of Education (Education), Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE)

Notice requesting an emergency clearance of an information collection request to allow for immediate outreach to institutions of higher education to meet the requirements of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act or the CARES Act.

Submit comments by August 10, 2020 at http://www.regulations.gov by searching the Docket ID number ED-2020-SCC-0088.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Education Innovation and Research (EIR) Application Package Department of Education (Education), Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII)

Notice soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the

Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before July 6, 2020.

LINKS: Federal Register

Conservation Technical Assistance in Vermont for the Regional Conservation Partnership Program United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)

Notice seeking applications to provide assistance with continued delivery of conservation assistance in support of covered program contracts entered into under the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) as authorized under the 2014 Farm Bill.

Applications are due July 12, 2020. Approximately \$235,000 is available.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Defense Manufacturing Communities Support Program
Department of Defense (Defense), Office of Economic Adjustment

Notice seeking applications to undertake long-term investments in critical skills, facilities, research and development, and small business support in order to strengthen the national security innovation and manufacturing base in designated defense manufacturing communities. The program also seeks to ensure complementarity of those communities so designated with existing defense manufacturing institutes.

Applications are due July 12, 2020. Approximately \$25 million is available for seven awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities--Improving Retention of Special Education Teachers and Early Intervention Personnel Department of Education (Education), Office of Special Education and Rehabilitation Services (OSERS)

Notice seeking applications to help address state-identified needs for personnel preparation in special education, early intervention, related services, and regular education to work with children, including infants and toddlers, and youth with disabilities; and ensure that those personnel have the necessary skills and knowledge, derived from practices that have been determined through scientifically based research, to be successful in serving those children.

Applications are due August 11, 2020. Approximately \$4 million is available for multiple awards. Colleges and universities may collaborate.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

Administrative Supplement for Research on Dietary Supplements (Admin Supp-Clinical Trial Not Allowed) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications for administrative supplements to current awards to support research in which the supplemental funding would investigate the role of dietary supplements and/or their ingredients in health maintenance and disease prevention. Parent awards need not be focused on dietary supplements;

this funding may provide support to include dietary supplements within the scope of relevant research projects.

Applications are due October 15, 2020; January 15, 2021; April 15, 2021; October 15, 2021; January 15, 2022; April 15, 2022; October 15, 2022; January 15, 2023; and April 15, 2023. The expiration date is April 16, 2023. Approximately \$3 million in 2021, 2022, and 2023 to support up to 20 awards each year. Only active awards with at least 18 months remaining at the time of submission will be considered. Awards in nocost extension periods are not allowed to submit an application.

LINKS: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Claude D. Pepper Older Americans Independence Centers (P30 Clinical Trial Optional)
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Aging (NIA)

Notice seeking applications to increase scientific knowledge leading to better ways to maintain or restore independence in older persons. The OAIC awards are designed to develop or strengthen awardee institutions' programs that focus on and sustain progress in a key area in aging research related to the mission of the OAIC program.

Optional letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due October 29, 2020. Approximately \$5.2 million is available to support five awards in FY 2021.

Limited Submission: Only one application per institutions is allowed.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Collaborative Centers in Children's Environmental Health Research and Translation (P2C Clinical Trial Optional)

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RFA-ES-20-001

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS)

Notice seeking applications to establish centers charged with developing effective strategies to translate key children's environmental health research findings to relevant stakeholders in the community, academia and practice.

Optional letters of intent are due October 23, 2020. Applications are due November 23, 2020. Approximately five to six awards of up to \$500,000 per year are available to support projects lasting up to five years.

Limited Submission: Only one application per institution.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Pilot Projects Increasing the Impact of the NIH Centers for Advancing Research on Botanicals and Other Natural Products (PI2 CARBON) (R03 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of Dietary Supplements (ODS); National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH)

Notice seeking applications to support collaborative pilot research projects focused on potential effects relevant to human health of chemically complex natural products and/or the causal, molecular mechanisms underlying such effects. A critical element of each proposed project must be collaboration with one or more of the NIH Centers for Advancing Research on Botanicals and Other Natural Products (CARBON).

Optional letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due Oct 1,2020; June 1, 2021; February 1, 2022; and September 30, 2022. Program expires October 15, 2022.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Standing Announcement for Residential (Therapeutic) Services for Unaccompanied Alien Children Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR)

Notice seeking applications for therapeutic residential care providers (including psychiatric treatment facilities and therapeutic shelter /group home services) specializing in the care of children with conduct and behavioral issues to provide psychiatric treatment services.

Applications are due August 10, 2020 through August 10, 2022. Approximately \$15 million is available for 10 awards to support projects lasting up 36 months.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and Response, (BSC, CPR) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and Response. The agenda will include discussions on CPR Director Updates, Listening Session: BSC Members' Perspectives on COVID-19 Pandemic, Preparedness and Response 2.0: What does it look like and how do we get there, CPR BSC Workgroups Review and Future Directions.

The meeting will be held July 16, 2020, 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET via virtual. If you wish to attend the virtual meeting, please pre-register by accessing the link at https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WNsAWIf9f4RO6UKTLI8_Jj9A.

LINKS: Federal Register

Meeting of the Tick-Borne Disease Working Group Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH)

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to review the Tick-Borne Disease Working Group's draft 2020 report to the HHS Secretary and Congress and review and approve graphics and images for the report. The 2020 report will address ongoing tick-borne disease research, including research related to causes, prevention, treatment, surveillance, diagnosis, diagnostics, and interventions for individuals with tick-borne diseases; advances made pursuant to such research; federal activities related to tick-borne diseases; and gaps in tick-borne disease research.

The meeting will be held July 8, 2020 from 9:00 am to 5:30 pm, ET online. Register to attend at https://kauffmaninc.adobeconnect.com/tbdwg_july2020/event/event_info.html.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Institutional Review Board Review of Individual Patient Expanded Access Requests for Investigational Drugs and Biological Products During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency; Guidance for Institutional Review Boards and Clinical Investigators; Availability

Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing the release of guidance, in order to facilitate patient access to investigational drugs for treating COVID-19, to provide recommendations regarding the key factors and procedures IRBs should consider when reviewing requests—including when such reviews are conducted by a single-member of an IRB—for individual patient expanded access.

The guidance takes effect today and is available on the Agency Site.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Center for Inherited Disease Research (CIDR) High Throughput Sequencing and Genotyping Resource Access (X01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI)

Notice seeking applications for high-throughput genotyping, sequencing and supporting statistical genetics services designed to aid the identification of genes or genetic modifications that contribute to human health and disease or to enhance existing collections of well-phenotyped specimens by the addition of genotype or next-generation sequence data. The laboratory specializes in genomic services that cannot be efficiently carried out in individual investigator laboratories. CIDR provides the most up-to-date platforms, services and statistical genetic support.

Applications are accepted by continuous receipt through July 9, 2023.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Emergency Awards: RADx-UP Coordination and Data Collection Center (CDCC) (U24 Clinical Trial Optional)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to understand factors that have led to disproportionate burden of the pandemic on the underserved and/or vulnerable populations so that interventions can be implemented to decrease these disparities. This FOA seeks to fund a single Coordination and Data Collection Center (CDCC) as an integral part of the consortium. The funding for this supplement is provided from the Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement Act, 2020.

Optional letters of intent are due July 8, 2020. Applications are due August 7, 2020. Approximately \$7.5 million is available.

Limited Submission: Only one application per institution is allowed.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Rural Communities Opioid Response Program – Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (RCORP-NAS)
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications for a multi-year initiative aimed at reducing the morbidity and mortality of substance use disorder (SUD), including opioid use disorder (OUD), in high-risk, rural communities. The purpose of the RCORP- NAS project is to advance RCORP's overall goal and reduce the incidence and impact of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS) in rural communities by improving systems of care, family supports, and social determinants of health. Applicants are encouraged to select the strategies that best address the needs identified in their respective service areas and target populations. The Target Population for this grant is pregnant women, mothers, and women of childbearing age who have a history of, or who are at risk for, SUD/OUD and their children, families, and caregivers who reside in HRSA-designated rural areas.

Applications are due July 20, 2020. Approximately \$15 million is available for 30 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Ryan White HIV-AIDS Program Part A HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing financial assistance to an eligible metropolitan area (EMA) or a transitional grant area (TGA) that has been severely affected by the HIV epidemic. Grant funds assist eligible jurisdictions to develop or enhance access to a comprehensive continuum of high quality, community-based care for people with HIV who are low-income through the provision of formula, supplemental, and Minority AIDS Initiative (MAI) funds. RWHAP Part A recipients must provide comprehensive primary health care and support services throughout the entire designated geographic service area. The goal is to provide optimal HIV care and treatment for people with HIV who are low-income, uninsured, and underserved, to improve their health outcomes.

Applications are due October 7, 2020. Approximately \$620 million is available for 52 awards. Collaborative opportunities may exist for colleges and universities.

LINKS: Grants.gov

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

C4ISR, Information Operations, Cyberspace Operations and Information Technology System Research Department of Defense (Defense), Naval Information Warfare Systems Center (NIWC)

Notice seeking applications which provides for competitive selection of basic research, applied research, advanced technology development, and advanced component development and prototype (hereinafter referred to as research). Submissions in response to this announcement shall be for areas relating to the advancement of Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance (C4ISR) capabilities, enabling technologies for Information Operations and Cyberspace Operations, and Information Technology systems.

White papers and proposals are due anytime until June 4, 2021. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Division of Physics: Investigator-Initiated Research Projects
Directorate for Mathematical & Physical Sciences (MPS), National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice seeking proposals for physics research across a broad range of physics disciplines that span scales of space and time from the largest to the smallest and the oldest to the youngest including the following disciplinary programs: Atomic, Molecular and Optical Physics; Elementary Particle Physics; Gravitational Physics; Integrative Activities in Physics; Nuclear Physics; Particle Astrophysics; Physics at the Information Frontier; Physics of Living Systems; Plasma Physics; and Quantum Information Science.

Proposal deadlines vary by physics discipline between October 19 and December 1, 2020. Competitions will recur annually. The program expires January 12, 2023. Approximately \$90 million is available for multiple awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

DTRA Chemical Biological Technologies Broad Agency Announcement Department of Defense (Defense), Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA)

Notice seeking applications addressing a variety of topics related to the development of a mobile tactical assault kit to aid decision-making, support training, and provide situational awareness.

Applications are due July 13, 2020. Questions are due June 16, 2020.

LINKS: Contract Opportunities, Agency Site

FY21 Saltonstall-Kennedy Competition

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

Notice seeking applications to provide grants or cooperative agreements for fisheries research and development projects addressing aspects of U.S. fisheries, including, but not limited to, harvesting, processing, marketing, and associated business infrastructures (see section IV, F; Funding Restrictions). Proposals submitted to this competition must address at least one of the following priorities: Promotion, Development, and Marketing; Science or Technology that Promotes Sustainable U.S. Seafood Production and Harvesting.

Pre-proposals are due August 7, 2020. Proposals are due November 20, 2020. The maximum award amount is \$300,000.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Metals-based Additive Manufacturing Grant Program
National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

Notice seeking applications to support significant measurement science research in addressing barriers to wide-spread adoption of metals-based additive manufacturing, such as feedstock, machine, and process characterization; real-time process monitoring and control; increasing process optimization and throughput; rapid qualification methodologies for processes and parts via characterization of surface quality, part accuracy, material properties as well as model-based approaches; and computational requirements for systems integration.

Applications are due August 6, 2020. Approximately \$5 million is available to support five awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

ROSES 2020: Solar Irradiance Science Team National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking proposals to support the development of consistent multi-instrument/multi-platform space-based data sets of both total and spectrally resolved solar irradiance. The data sets should be useful as input to global models (e.g., general circulation models, atmospheric chemistry/transport models) and data assimilation systems, so that the effects of variations in solar output can be properly represented and their impacts on the Earth system investigated.

Requested notices of intent are due August 7, 2020. Proposals are due September 11, 2020. Approximately \$1 million is available to support six to eight awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Defense Innovation Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting Department of Defense (Defense), Under Secretary of Defense for Research & Engineering

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to include the following agenda: deliberation on a recommendation concerning testing, evaluation, verification, and validation of autonomous systems; a presentation from the Workforce Behavior and Culture subcommittee on their work defining innovation terms and concepts for DoD and their perspective on the DoD response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and discussion of the latest implementation activities related to Defense Innovation Board recommendations.

The meeting will be held June 23, 2020 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm, ET, via online stream. Register to attend at http://innovation.defense.gov/meetings by June 18, 2020.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

NASA Astrophysics Advisory Committee; Meeting National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice announcing a meeting of Astrophysics Advisory Committee to solicit from the scientific community and other persons, scientific and technical information relevant to program planning.

The virtual meeting will be held on June 23, 2020 from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and June 24, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST. To join, dial: 1-312-470-7379, passcode 5276208, to participate in this meeting by telephone on both days.

June 23- Click: https://nasaenterprise.webex.com/; the meeting number is: 905 738 400/password is Apac0620#

June 24- Click: https://nasaenterprise.webex.com/;and the meeting

number is: 904 887 045/ password is Apac0620#

LINKS: Federal Register

Public Meeting of the National Sea Grant Advisory Board National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Sea Grant Advisory Board. The purpose is to discuss and provide advice on the National Sea Grant College Program (Sea Grant) in the areas of program evaluation, strategic planning, education and extension, science and technology programs, and other matters as described in the agenda found on the Sea Grant website.

The meeting will be held Tuesday June 23, 2020 from 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. ET. The meeting will be held virtually only.

LINKS: Federal Register

Defense Sciences Office Office-wide

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), Department of Defense (Defense), Defense Sciences Offices (DSO)

Notice seeking proposals for high-risk, high-payoff research initiatives across a broad spectrum of science and engineering disciplines in four Technical Thrust Areas: Frontiers in Math, Computation & Design; Limits of Sensing & Sensors; Complex Social Systems; and Anticipating Surprise.

Proposals are accepted on a rolling basis until June 11, 2021. Optional executive summaries and/or proposal abstracts are strongly encouraged before submitting a full proposal. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Contract Opportunities, Agency Site

Disaster Resilience Research Grants

Directorate for Engineering (ENG), National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Department of Commerce (Commerce), National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice seeking proposals for research to advance fundamental understanding of disaster resilience in support of improved, science-based planning, policy, decisions, design, codes, and standards.

Required Letters of intent are due August 14, 2020. Proposals are due September 15, 2020. Approximately \$3.1 million is available to support 8 to 12 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Restricted-Access Research Data Centers

Directorate for Social, Behavioral & Economic Sciences (SBE), National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice seeking proposals for the establishment of new Research Data Centers (RDCs). RDCs are secure Census Bureau facilities within which external researchers are given access to confidential micro data in accordance with specific statutory requirements.

Proposals are due September 30, 2020. Approximately \$300,000 is available for one to three awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

ROSES 2020: Citizen Science for Earth Systems Program National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking proposals to develop and implement capabilities to augment and enhance NASA scientific data and capacity through voluntary observations, interpretations, or other direct participation by members of the general public to advance understanding of the Earth as a system.

Mandatory notices of intent are due August 4, 2020. Proposals are due September 11, 2020. Approximately \$3 million is available for 8 to 13 awards for initial 18 months.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Transforming the Battlespace

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), Department of Defense (Defense), Tactical Technology Office (TTO)

Notice seeking proposals for applied research, advanced technology development, platform demonstrations, or systems studies that aim to transform the future of warfighting across four domains: Air, Ground, Maritime, and Space.

Proposals are due June 11, 2021. Executive summaries and pre-proposal abstracts are strongly encouraged before submitting a full proposal. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Contract Opportunities, Agency Site

DOE NSF High Energy Physics Advisory Panel

Directorate for Mathematical & Physical Sciences (MPS), Department of Energy (Energy), National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to include the following agenda: Discussion of Department of Energy High Energy Physics Program; Discussion of National Science Foundation Elementary Particle Physics Program; and Reports on and Discussions of Topics of General Interest in High Energy Physics.

The meeting will be held July 9, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and July 10, 2020 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET. Information on how to join the meeting virtually will be posted on the Agency Site.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Teleconference Webinar Department of Energy (Energy), Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE); Advanced Manufacturing Office (AMO)

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to discuss and finalize the 2019 Annual Report of the Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technical Advisory Committee and the HTAC Roadmap Subcommittee Report.

The meeting will be held July 7, 2020, from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., ET via teleconference and webinar. Call or email the contact for information on how to join the meeting.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

The National Drinking Water Advisory Council: Request for Nominations Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Notice announcing a meeting scheduled to discuss candidates to be considered to fill vacancies on the National Drinking Water Advisory Council, which provides independent advice, consultation, and recommendations to the EPA Administrator on matters relating to the activities, functions, policies, and regulations required by the Safe Drinking Water Act.

Email nominations to the contact by July 13, 2020, with the subject line "NDWAC Membership 2020".

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site