

# Grants

- ▶ Assessment
- ▶ Cleanup
- ▶ Multipurpose
- ▶ Revolving Loan Fund (RLF)
- ▶ Job Training
- ▶ Technical Assistance to Brownfields (TAB)



# Assessment Grants

Provides funds to carry out brownfield assessment activities at eligible sites including:

- ▶ Site inventory
- ▶ Prioritizing sites
- ▶ Phase I & II assessments
- ▶ Community outreach & involvement
- ▶ Cleanup planning (Analysis of Brownfield Cleanup Alternatives (ABCA))
- ▶ Site reuse planning\*

<https://www.epa.gov/brownfields/eligible-planning-activities>



# Cleanup Grants

- ▶ Provide funds to carry out brownfield cleanup activities at property(ies)
- ▶ An individual applicant can apply for up to 5,000,000 for one site\* or multi-site cleanups
- ▶ Period of performance is 4 years.
- ▶ No cost share with BIL, historically there was but with BIL cost share has been taken away.
- ▶ The applicant must be the sole owner of the subject property by the proposal due date.



# Revolving Loan Fund Grant

- ▶ Provides funds to capitalize a revolving fund and to make loans and subgrants to carry out cleanup activities at brownfield sites.
- ▶ Eligible use of funds includes:
  - ▶ Loans or subgrants for cleanups.
  - ▶ Preparing and updating ABCAs
  - ▶ Developing a Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP)
  - ▶ Limited site characterization to confirm effectiveness of proposed cleanup design once action has been completed.
- ▶ Period of performance is 5 to 15 years.

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# Multipurpose Grants

- ▶ Provide funds to carry out brownfield assessment and cleanup activities at eligible sites including:
  - ▶ Site inventory
  - ▶ Phase I and Phase II assessments
  - ▶ Community outreach and involvement
  - ▶ Cleanup and Reuse planning
  - ▶ Developing an overall plan for revitalization
  - ▶ Site cleanup

# Environmental Work Force Development and Job Training Program Grants

- ▶ Create a local workforce that supports various aspects of environmental cleanup
  - ▶ Can apply for up to \$500,000
  - ▶ Period of performance is 5 years.
- ▶ Must provide 40-Hour Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) to all trainees.
- ▶ Examples of other acceptable training tailored to local job market:
  - ▶ Solid waste management or cleanup training
  - ▶ Wastewater treatment and/or stormwater management training
  - ▶ Emergency response training
  - ▶ Enhanced environmental health and safety and/or chemical safety training.





# Targeted Brownfields Assessment (TBA)

- ▶ Direct Assistance program (not a grant)
- ▶ Simple application form
- ▶ EPA contractors perform brownfields activities
  - ▶ Phase I ESA (due diligence)
  - ▶ Phase II ESA
  - ▶ Development of ABCA
    - ▶ Cleanup options and cleanup cost estimates
- ▶ Applicant need not own the site, but must obtain property access

<https://www.epa.gov/brownfields/targeted-brownfields-assessments-tba>

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# EPA Land Revitalization

- ▶ Connections across EPA and other federal agencies
  - ▶ Green infrastructure
  - ▶ Smart growth
  - ▶ Urban waters
- ▶ How-to Guides for
  - ▶ Reuse Planning
  - ▶ Pre-Development
  - ▶ Development
  - ▶ Reuse Management and Operations

<https://www.epa.gov/land-revitalization>



## Land Revitalization TOOLKIT



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