



**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**  
TATE REEVES, GOVERNOR  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**  
**MISSISSIPPI OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**DATE:** June 1, 2020  
**FROM:** Marsha Manuel, Grants Director  
**RE:** 2020 FUNDING OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT AND STAKEHOLDER INPUT

The Mississippi Office of Homeland Security is announcing the availability of the FY 2020 State Homeland Security Funding Opportunity as well as conducting a State-wide Threat and Hazards review (your input will be utilized to develop Mississippi's State Homeland Security Grant Program Funding Request, State Threat and Hazard identification and Risk Assessment, as well as the annual State Preparedness Report).

**In your funding request/stakeholder response please provide the following:**

1. One brief paragraph describing each of your jurisdictions top three threats.
2. One brief paragraph describing each of your jurisdictions top three hazards.
3. One to three brief paragraph(s) describing any capability gap which inhibits your jurisdiction's ability to respond to the threats and hazards you have identified. Explain how you determined your capability gaps (i.e. a response to a real life event, an exercise, a training event). Please address how utilization of existing state-wide assets (Task Forces, Force Protection Units, bomb teams, etc) may/may not mitigate the threats and hazards you have identified.
4. Provide a Budget Detail Worksheet outlining the piece(s) of equipment, cost per item(s), number of item(s), and a grand total of the amount that you are requesting. Verify equipment eligibility: Go to "Google" and type in "DHS Authorized Equipment List"
5. Acknowledge and provide a brief description of having an adequate property management system.

**\*\* Please ensure that you submit your response on agency letterhead with an address and contact information. (Notifications will be mailed to the address and contact person provided.)**

**\*\*This document serves as your request for FY 2020 MOHS grant funding and must be completed properly and returned by the due date stated for consideration of grant funding from MOHS. Please submit your funding request/stakeholder response to Mississippi Office of Homeland Security (Attn. Mrs. Marsha Manuel, Grants Director, P.O. Box 958 Jackson, MS 39205) no later than August 15, 2020. No electronic submissions will be accepted.**

**2020 NIMS COMPLIANCE FORM**

**To: The Mississippi Office of Homeland Security  
1230 Raymond Rd.  
Jackson, MS 39204**

**Attn: Office of Grants**

**Homeland Security Directive 5 mandates governments shall implement a consistent system for working together during incidents or events. The National Incident Management System (NIMS) has been designed to provide effective incident and event management. Mississippi under Executive Order #932 established NIMS as the standard for incident management within the state. Department of Homeland Security/Federal Emergency Management Agency guidance provides that accepting grant funding is conditional on compliance with NIMS. This jurisdiction attests that we continue to strive toward NIMS compliance as provided under federal and state NIMS guidance. This jurisdiction understands receiving and/or using Homeland Security grant funds remains conditional upon successful participation in respect to NIMS compliance and reporting. Non-compliance of NIMS can result in Homeland Security dollars being withheld from or drawn back from our jurisdiction because of ineffective NIMS support and participation.**

**This understood and attested to:**

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Jurisdiction represented:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dated:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Witness sign:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed name:** \_\_\_\_\_