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A GUIDE TO THE
STATE AND LOCAL CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM (SLCGP)

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Introduction

To reduce cybersecurity risks to the United States, Section 889 of the 2019 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) prohibits the procurement of non-NDAA-compliant security products by any government agency or recipient of federal grants.

As part of a broader **State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCGP)**, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has now allocated over $370 million for fiscal year 2023 in cybersecurity funding to aid and accelerate the replacement of these devices with NDAA-compliant products. This "rip and replace" program is part of a larger $1 billion FEMA cybersecurity initiative.

SLCGP grants are available to state, local, and territorial (SLT) governments and agencies, including schools and municipalities, in all 50 U.S. states and territories.

Businesses that are sub-recipients of a state, local, or territorial government receiving SLCGP funding are also eligible for the program.

The State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program is part of a **$1 billion FEMA cybersecurity initiative**

The purpose of the SLCGP

State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program funding can be used to purchase equipment and software as long as the equipment and software are directly related to implementing a comprehensive cybersecurity plan.

The SLCGP grants are not intended solely for replacing security cameras and software. FEMA is more likely to accept applications that include holistic approaches, such as developing cybersecurity plans, implementing controls, performing risk assessments and cybersecurity training.

Covered cybersecurity activities include:

☑ **Purchasing cybersecurity tools and technologies**

☑ **Developing and implementing cybersecurity plans**

☑ **Implementing cybersecurity controls and best practices**

☑ **Providing cybersecurity training to employees**

☑ **Conducting cybersecurity risk assessments and audits**

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FEMA grants will fund 80% of the cost of approved rip-and-replace projects, while recipient organizations (or other grants) must fund the remaining 20%.

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Apply for funding

Applying for an SLCGP award is a multi-step process that can take one month or more. Submit your initial SLCGP application through the grants.gov portal at www.grants.gov.

FEMA will invite eligible applicants within one to two business days to access the Non-Disaster (ND) Grants System to proceed with a full application.

Grant-seeking organizations must submit a detailed Cybersecurity Plan to FEMA with their application to qualify. This plan should outline how they will use SLCGP funds to:

- ☑ **Rip and replace non-NDAA-compliant security cameras and software**

- ☑ **Manage, monitor, and track information systems and network traffic**

- ☑ **Enhance the preparation, response, and resiliency of information systems**

- ☑ **Implement continuous cybersecurity assessments and threat mitigation practices**

- ☑ **FEMA also requires plans to establish a Cybersecurity Planning Committee to oversee the plan and outline the committee's roles and responsibilities in a Cybersecurity Charter**

Program support is available on the Grants.gov hotline at:

(800) 518-4726

The hotline is available 24/7 except for federal holidays.

Technical support for the ND Grants System is available at:

ndgrants@fema.dhs.gov

(800) 865–4076

Are there any other FEMA grant programs?

The SLCGP is one of several FEMA preparedness grants developed to help mitigate terrorism and other high-consequence disasters and emergencies.

Below are some of the other FEMA grants that have been established:

Nonprofit Security Grant Program

This grant program was established to provide support for physical security upgrades to nonprofit organizations that are susceptible to terrorist attacks. The goal of the program is to help integrate state and local preparedness efforts with nonprofit planning.

Learn more about the Nonprofit Security Grant Program.

Transit Security Grant Program

This grant program provides funding to intra-city buses, ferries, trains and other eligible public transportation systems to protect the public against acts of terrorism and other emergencies.

Learn more about the Transit Security Grant Program.

Homeland Security Grant Program

This program includes a suite of grants to assist state, local, tribal and territorial efforts in mitigating, responding to and recovering from acts of terrorism and other threats to homeland security.

Learn more about the Homeland Security Grant Program.

Why Hanwha Vision?

Hanwha Vision is a global vision solution provider, delivering valuable insights and data to end users via AI and edge analytics. For more than 30 years, Hanwha Vision has been a leader in the industry with world-class optical design, image processing and technologies.

All Hanwha Vision cameras and devices are fully NDAA compliant and meet the highest cybersecurity standards.

Hanwha Vision manufactures our products in our own ISO 9001-certified facilities in South Korea and Vietnam. Hanwha Vision products across North and Latin America are serviced in the 10,000-square-foot Hanwha Total Care Center (HTCC) near our New Jersey headquarters. Products manufactured in South Korea are fully compliant with the Trade Agreements Act (TAA) terms, which qualify them for sale under GSA guidelines.

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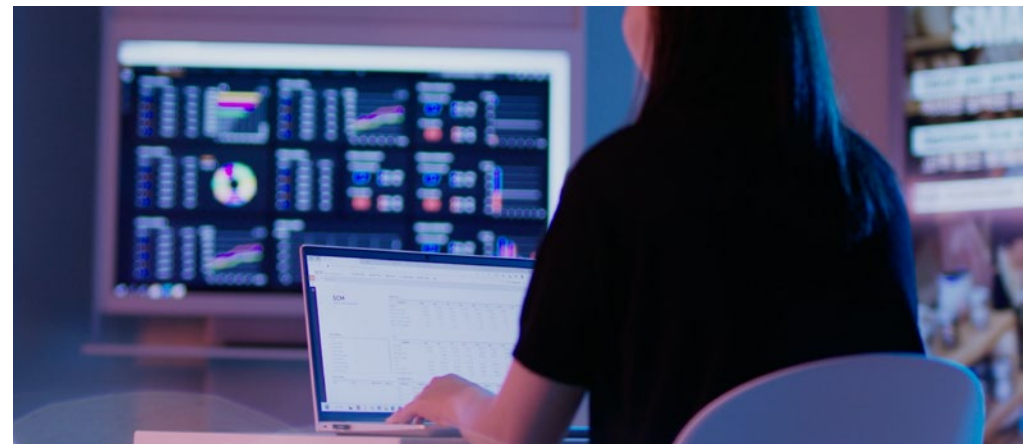# Trusted by government, defense and education

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Government, defense, and various commercial enterprises throughout the United States currently use Hanwha Vision products and solutions. Hanwha Vision proudly serves:

...and many more.

Hanwha Vision holds over 500 U.S. patents for security cameras, recording solutions and other products, with additional patents pending.

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