



# MENDOCINO COUNTY GRANTS UNIT

## PRRM SUPPORT ACTIVITIES

**\$ 10,493,241.15**  
in awarded PRRM grant funds

- Emergency Warning Sirens
- Essential County Infrastructure Projects
- Community Planning & Critical Generators
- Fuels Reduction & Community Preparedness
- Expanding Departmental Capacity & Viability

### Fuels Reduction & Community Preparedness

2022 - 2025



**\$ 1,894,185**

CAL FIRE Climate Investments Fire Prevention Grant

Roadside fuels reduction in Covelo & Laytonville, CEQA analysis for future projects, funding for Community Chipper Days, and design for emergency evacuation routes for Ukiah’s East Hills.

**\$ 167,968.50**

Orr Springs Road  
Fuels Reduction  
Phase 1



Reducing hazardous fuels along Orr Springs to reduce the likelihood the route becoming impassible during a fire event. Phase 1 includes a route survey to identify and mark trees, landowner outreach, project mapping, and CEQA review.

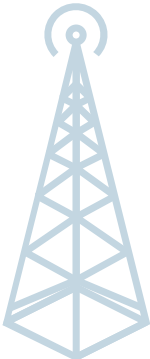
### Essential County Infrastructure Projects

2022 - 2026



**\$ 3,732,597**

911 Switching  
Equipment



**\$ 1,150,823**

Microwave & Radio  
Communications  
Systems

**\$ 33,141**

for Emergency  
Warning Sirens  
Phase 1

2022 - 2024



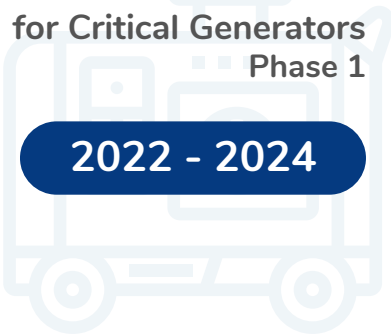
A comprehensive emergency warning system with multiple sirens alerts the public to potential emergency events. Phase 1 activities include design development activities, including a feasibility study to determine the appropriate system and installation locations.

Generator instalation at five County communications relay facilities, emergency dispatch and management centers, and administrative buildings. Phase 1 consists of procurement of design consultant, regulatory permitting, as well as project and site design.

**\$ 80,285**

for Critical Generators  
Phase 1

2022 - 2024



**\$ 263,957**

Planning

2022 - 2025



Community Wildfire  
Protection Plan

Hazard Mitigation  
Plan Update Match

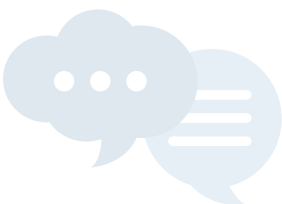
General Plan Safety  
Element Integration of  
the MultiHazard  
Mitigation Plan Match

Expanding departmental capacity and viability through investment in a new Grant Unit, grants management software and consultants' technical assistance and additional grant writing capacity. Community outreach sessions were conducted as opportunities for the public to communicate their resilience goals to the County and will be used to help determine resilience projects for which to pursue grant funding.

**\$ 992,000**

CalOES PrepareCA  
Jumpstart

2022 - 2027





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## FIRST QUARTER ACTIVITY SUMMARY

**\$ 109,058,566**  
in grant funds applied for & in progress

Climate Resiliency  
EV Charging Network  
Hazard Mitigation Planning  
Community Wildfire Resilience

### Community Resiliency & Planning

2023 - 2027

**\$ 50,116,590**  
Wildfire Community Resilience Project - FEMA  
Wildfire mitigation project involving approximately 750 residential home retrofits using ignition-resistant construction materials, defensible space establishment, and hazardous fuels reduction to build community resiliency in the Sherwood Corridor. Match covered by PrepareCA grant.



The project will result in a FEMA approved update of the County's Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan which was last approved in 2021 and is due for update in 2026. Match covered by PrepareCA grant.

**\$ 328,570**  
Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan - CalOES



**\$ 50,383,900**  
NOAA Climate Resilient Regional Challenge



Regional collaboration between local governments, Tribes, and academic institutions in Sonoma and Mendocino Counties led by SMEDD prioritizing green infrastructure investments to reduce climate change's growing physical and economic risks. Targets climate impacts posed by warming waters, rising seas, drought, and increased flooding through protection, restoration, and propagation of kelp forests, building economic resilience and supporting a just transition to a new climate reality, mitigation of estuarine flooding through enhanced ecosystem services and adaptation of critical harbor infrastructure and public access to rising seas, inspiring future generations of coastal stewards and facilitating cultural access for Tribal members.

**\$ 5,907,296**  
Rural EVCS Deployment Project - US Dept. of Transportation



Proposes installation of up to sixteen (16) dual-port Level 2 EVCS and up to twenty (20) Level 3 DCFC EVCS at 10 sites to fill existing gaps in the current distribution of EVCS infrastructure in Mendocino County.

Unifies county-wide climate efforts under one deciding body of public, nonprofit, and academic partners. Committed to finding sustainable and equitable solutions to climate change, it aims to leverage local voices and foster healthy, more resilient communities.

**\$ 994,300**  
Regional Climate Collaborative (RCC) Strategic Growth Council



### Departmental Assistance



#### CANNABIS

- Local Equity Entrepreneur Program (LEEP) Grant
- Program audit
  - Equity eligibility audit
  - Budget amendments
- Local Jurisdiction Assistance Program (LJAGP) Grant
- Biannual report
  - Program audit
  - Program manual updates
  - Budget amendments

#### FACILITIES & DOT

- United States Forest Service (USFS) Community Wildfire Defense Grants (CWDG) Program Grant
- Concept development
  - Grant application

#### FACILITIES

- Identify appropriate funding for fuel reduction work at County-owned facilities.
- Connected department with Ukiah Valley Fire Chief to plan Ukiah's CWDG grant activities on County-owned property.