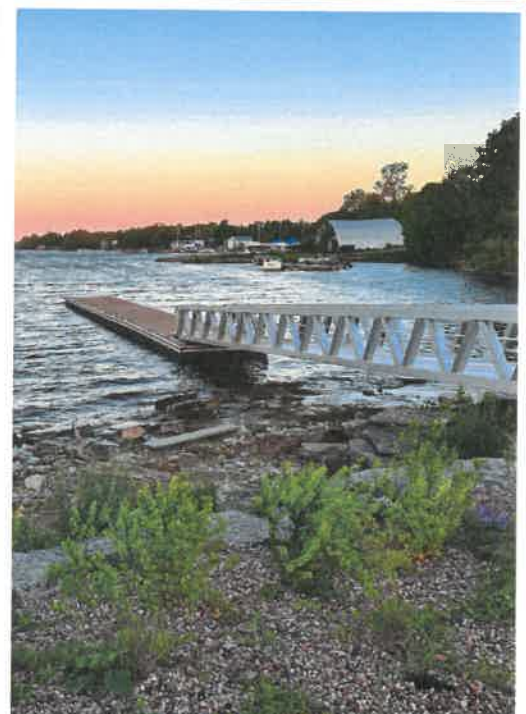


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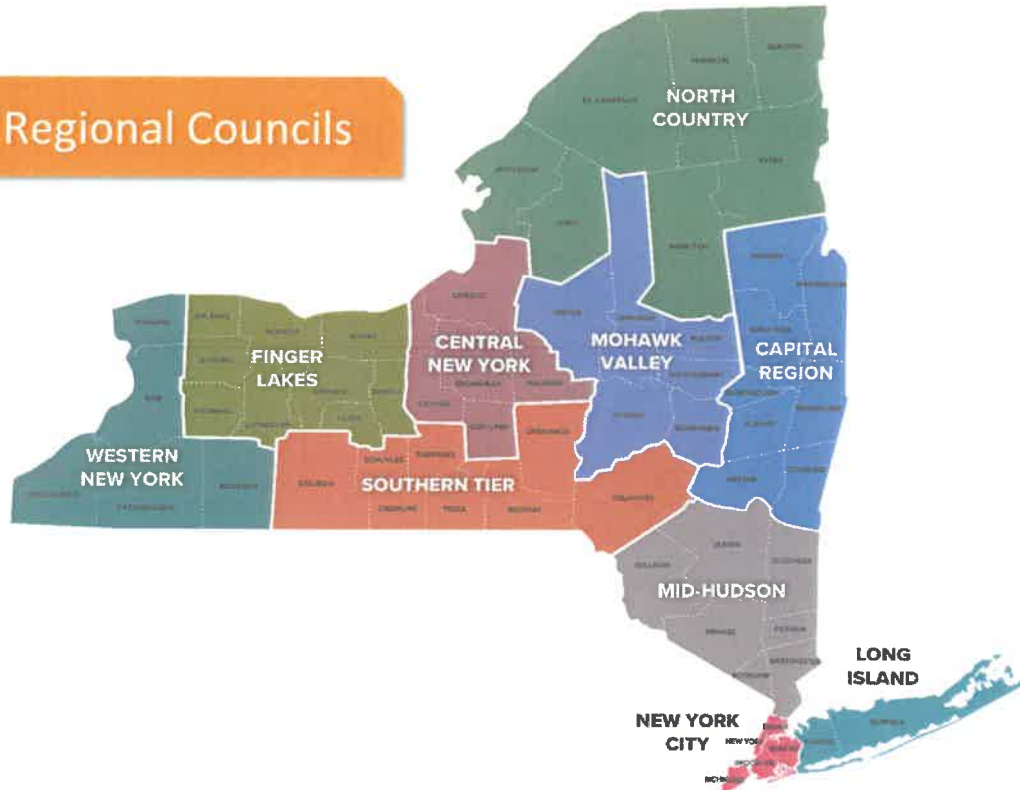
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Regional Economic Development Councils

10 Regional Councils



- Western New York: Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Niagara
- Finger Lakes: Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, Wyoming, Yates
- Southern Tier: Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Delaware, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga, Tompkins
- Central New York: Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga, Oswego
- Mohawk Valley: Fulton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Otsego, Schoharie
- North Country: Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence
- Capital Region: Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Warren, Washington
- Mid-Hudson: Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster, Westchester
- New York City: Bronx, Brooklyn, New York, Queens, Richmond
- Long Island: Nassau, Suffolk

2024 Program Descriptions

Program	Program Description
Department of State (DOS)	
Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (DOS LWRP)	The Department of State's Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP), funded under Title 11 of the Environmental Protection Fund, provides matching grants on a competitive basis to eligible villages, towns, cities, and counties located along New York's coasts or designated inland waterways for planning, design, and construction projects to revitalize communities and waterfronts. Grant categories include preparing or updating an LWRP, including updating an LWRP to be more resilient to climate risks (UCR); preparing an LWRP Component, including a watershed management plan; and implementing an LWRP or a completed LWRP Component. This program helps communities breathe new life into their waterfront and underused assets in ways that ensure successful and sustainable revitalization.
Brownfield Opportunity Area Program (DOS BOA)	The Department of State's Brownfield Opportunity Area (BOA) program provides resources to New York communities to transform known and suspected brownfields from liabilities to community assets that generate businesses, jobs and revenues for local economies and provide new housing and public amenities. Funded under the Environmental Protection Fund, BOA provides grants on a competitive basis to eligible municipalities, certain community-based not-for-profit organizations, and NYC Community Boards to complete development of a BOA Plan, formerly known as BOA Nomination, that identifies strategies for revitalization of an area affected by known or suspected brownfields that will culminate in a request to the Secretary of State for BOA Designation; County-wide Pre-Planning to inventory brownfields and other underutilized properties across a larger geography; Predevelopment Activities to advance projects within a State-Designated BOA; and Phase II Environmental Site Assessments within a State-Designated BOA.
Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)	
Water Quality Improvement Project Program (DEC WQIP)	The Water Quality Improvement Project (WQIP) program is a competitive, statewide reimbursement grant program open to local governments and not-for-profit corporations for implementation projects that directly address documented water quality impairments or protect a drinking water source. Projects eligible under the Water Quality Improvement Project program include: municipal wastewater treatment; nonpoint source pollution abatement and control from non-farm sources; land acquisition projects for source water protection (SWP); salt storage and road salt reduction practices; aquatic connectivity restoration; vacuum trucks for municipal separate storm sewer systems, dam safety repair/rehabilitation and dam removal; Marine District Habitat Restoration; and Fish and Wildlife Habitat Restoration and Enhancement.
Non-Agricultural Nonpoint Source Planning Grant Program (DEC NPG)	The Non-Agricultural Nonpoint Source Planning Grant Program offers grants to local governments and soil and water conservation districts to help pay for the initial planning of non-agricultural nonpoint source water quality improvement projects and mapping of municipal separate storm sewer systems. The goal of the program is to get non-agricultural nonpoint source water quality improvement projects ready for construction and to use the planning report funded by the grant to seek funding through the Water Quality Improvement Project program or other funding entities or to assist with mapping required by the MS4 General Permit.
Climate Smart Communities Program (DEC CSC)	The Climate Smart Communities Grant Program provides grants to municipalities to perform inventories, assessments, and planning projects that advance their ability to address climate change at the local level and become certified Climate Smart Communities. The program also supports municipal mitigation implementation projects that reduce greenhouse gas emissions from the non-power sector (transportation, refrigerants, food waste, etc.) and adaptation implementation projects (cooling centers, flood plain restoration, emergency preparedness, etc.) that directly address climate change threats or alleviate hazards in the community exacerbated by climate changes.
Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (Parks)	
Environmental Protection Fund: Parks, Preservation and Heritage Grants (OPRHP EPF: PKS: A/P/D; HP:A/P/D; HAS: A/P/D)	The Environmental Protection Fund Grants Program (EPF) provides matching grants on a competitive basis for the acquisition, planning, and development of parks, historic properties, and heritage areas located within the physical boundaries of the State of New York. Parks is for the acquisition, development and planning of parks and recreational facilities to preserve, rehabilitate or restore lands, waters or structures for park, recreation or conservation purposes and for structural assessments and/or planning for such projects. Historic Preservation is to acquire, improve, protect, preserve, rehabilitate or restore properties listed on the State or National Register of Historic Places and for structural assessments and/or planning for such projects. Heritage Areas is for projects to acquire, preserve, rehabilitate or restore lands, waters or structures identified in the approved management plans for Heritage Areas designated under section 35.03 of the Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law, and for structural assessments or planning for such projects.
New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA)	

Program	Program Description
<p>Building Cleaner Communities Competition (NYSERDA BCCC)</p>	<p>The New York State Energy Research and Development Authority’s Building Cleaner Communities Competition encourages the design and installation of economic development projects that operate at carbon neutral or net zero energy performance across New York State. The program supports eligible commercial, industrial, institutional, municipal and mixed-use applicants with incentives on a competitive basis, for the construction of, or renovation to existing, buildings designed to achieve carbon neutral or net zero energy performance. Projects must demonstrate as part of their proposal how the project is replicable to a large number of similar buildings and how the approach is cost effective and reliable.</p>
<p>Commercial and Industrial Carbon Challenge (NYSERDA CICC)</p>	<p>NYSERDA's C&I Carbon Challenge provides awards to large energy users or preferred solution providers to unlock highly cost-effective carbon reduction opportunities. C&I Carbon Challenge helps companies and organizations implement their best energy-saving/carbon-reduction projects through a competitive proposal process. All projects must include beneficial electrification, carbon capture, manufacturing process emission reductions or low-carbon fuel projects.</p>

SOUTHERN TIER

Agency/ Program	CFA #	County	Applicant	Project Title	Description	Award	REDC Priority Project
DOS SGCP	140499	Tompkins	Town of Lansing	Town of Lansing Zoning Update	The Town of Lansing will update its zoning code to align with community values and sustainability principles, as outlined in its 2018 Comprehensive Plan. The Town hosts an abundance of natural resources, scenic vistas, and sensitive environmental areas. The update will protect resources while supporting development near existing nodes of activity to ensure the long-term well-being of the community.	\$100,000	n/a
OPRHP EPF HAS D	141177	Broome	Roberson Museum and Science Center	Roberson Mansion and Carriage House Roof Restoration	Roberson Museum, located in Binghamton, will address the deterioration of the Roberson Mansion's iconic green tiled roof and cornice, as well as the significant degradation of the Carriage House's built-in gutters and downspouts. The goal of the project is to restore the mansion's historic elements to their original state and prevent further deterioration, ensuring the buildings' historic integrity and the safety of visitors and collections.	\$595,477	
OPRHP EPF HP D	140655	Chemung	Chemung County Chamber of Commerce	Chemung County Chamber of Commerce Roof Rehabilitation	The Chemung County Chamber of Commerce will undertake improvements to the roof, skylight, and front entrance of its historic office building located at 400 East Church Street, Elmira, also known as the Carnegie Library. These improvements will allow the historic qualities of the building to remain intact, while simultaneously ensuring the building can remain a cornerstone of the City of Elmira's civic historic district for years to come.	\$346,807	
OPRHP EPF HP P	139532	Steuben	Town of Urbana	Railroad Depot Flood Mitigation Planning	The Town of Urbana will evaluate the Bath and Hammondsport Railroad Depot, located at Depot Park, to reduce flood risk from intensifying storm and flood events at Keuka Lake. Local engineers, historic preservation experts, and architects will determine the appropriate techniques to protect the building for years to come.	\$45,357	
OPRHP EPF PKS D	140369	Chemung	Village of Wellsburg	Village of Wellsburg Park Improvements	The Village of Wellsburg will renovate the park on the corner of Church Street and W 5th Street by replacing the sidewalk and updating the playground equipment to provide a safe play environment for the public.	\$66,000	
OPRHP EPF PKS D	141644	Chemung	Chemung County	Chemung Canal Connector Trail, Phase 1A and 1B	Chemung County will undertake final design and construction of Phases 1A and 1B of the Chemung Canal Connector Trail connecting the Catharine Valley Trail to the Lackawanna Rail Trail.	\$675,000	X
OPRHP EPF PKS D	141930	Steuben	City of Hornell	City of Hornell Skatepark Improvements	The City of Hornell will repair and expand the aging municipal skatepark located at Fucci Park (Shawmut Park) to ensure the safety of residents and visitors.	\$530,631	