Justice40 Initiative Covered Programs List

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A note on this initial list of Justice40 Covered Programs

This is an inaugural list of programs covered under the Justice40 Initiative. The Justice40 Initiative was established by President Biden in Executive Order 14008 on *Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad*,¹ and last year, formal guidance, M-21-28,² *Interim Implementation Guidance for the Justice40 Initiative*, was issued. The M-21-28 guidance memo provided further direction to Federal agencies on the Initiative, while also identifying twenty-one pilot programs.

As detailed in the M-21-28 guidance memo, Justice40 covered programs are Federal programs that make covered investments in any one of the following seven categories: climate change, clean energy and energy efficiency, clean transit, affordable and sustainable housing, training and workforce development, remediation and reduction of legacy pollution, and the development of critical clean water and wastewater infrastructure. Existing and new programs, including those created by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, that make covered investments in any of these categories are considered Justice40 covered programs in line with current statute. As such, we expect this list to evolve over time as new Federal programs are created or existing Federal programs sunset.

Since the release of the Justice40 Initiative in the EO and subsequent M-21-28 guidance memo, the Federal government has been diligently applying the interim guidance and reviewing programs for inclusion into the Justice40 Initiative. With an eye toward transparency and marking the progress made thus far, we are releasing Justice40 covered programs list for the following agencies.

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¹ Please see https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/02/01/2021-02177/tackling-the-climate-crisis-at-home-and-abroad

Corporation for National and Community Service (AmeriCorps)

The Corporation for National and Community Service (AmeriCorps) has five covered programs.

Covered programs list for AmeriCorps

1. AmeriCorps NCCC
2. AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP
3. AmeriCorps State and National formula grants
4. AmeriCorps State and National competitive grants
5. AmeriCorps VISTA
Department of Agriculture

The Department of Agriculture has 65 covered programs.

Covered programs list for USDA

Agricultural Research Service (ARS)
1. ARS 1890 Faculty Research Program
2. ARS Outreach Activities Associated with Underserved/Underrepresented Populations
3. Clean Energy
4. Climate Change

Farm Service Agency (FSA)
5. Agriculture Risk Coverage Program
6. Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program
7. Conservation Reserve Program
8. Direct Farm Operating Loans
9. Farm Storage Facility Loan
10. FSA County Committees (Urban Agriculture Pilot Locations)
11. Grassland Conservation Reserve Program
12. Organic Certification Cost Share Program
13. Price Loss Coverage
14. Transition Incentives Program
15. Food Production and Conservation Business Center Hazardous Waste Cleanup Program
16. Dairy Margin Coverage
17. Guaranteed Conservation Loans

Forest Service
18. Abandoned Hard Rock Mine and Orphaned Oil and Gas Well Reclamation
19. Collaborative Forest Landscape Restoration Program*†
20. Hazardous Fuels Management*†
21. Ecological Health Restoration Contracts*
22. Financial Assistance to Facilities That Purchase and Process Byproducts for Ecosystem Restoration Projects*
23. Landscape Scale Restoration Water Quality and Fish Passage*
24. Recreation Sites*
25. Restoration Projects Via States and Tribes*†
26. Restore Native Vegetation on Federal/Non-Federal Land*†
27. Revegetation Effort to Implement National Seed Strategy*
28. Climate-related Training
29. Joint Chiefs Landscape Restoration Partnership

* Denotes programs that received funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, P.L. 117-58.
† These programs and funding line items are listed as covered under the Justice40 Initiative because of the inclusion criteria set. In practice, these items fund a broad array of different activities, and therefore will likely not be subject to the development of a comprehensive benefits methodology or reporting.
30. Reducing Wildfire Risk to Tribes, Underserved, and Socially Vulnerable Communities
31. Tribal Authorities
32. Urban and Community Forestry Program
33. Land and Water Conservation Fund

_National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA)_
34. Bioproduct Research Program*
35. NIFA Workforce Development, Climate Research, and Extension Programs Benefitting Underserved Communities‡

_Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)_
36. Agricultural Conservation Easement Program
37. Agricultural Management Assistance
38. Watershed and Flood Prevention Operations*
39. Watershed Rehabilitation Program*
40. Conservation Operations/Conservation Technical Assistance (CTA)
41. Conservation Stewardship Program
42. Environmental Quality Incentives Program
43. Healthy Forest Reserve Program
44. Joint Chiefs Landscape Restoration Partnership (JCLRP)
45. Regional Conservation Partnership Program
46. Urban Agriculture and Innovative Production

_Risk Management Agency (RMA)_
47. Risk Management Education (RME) Partnership Program§
48. Agricultural Management Assistance (AMA)§

_Rural Business-Cooperative Service (RBCS)_
49. Rural Energy for America Grant program
50. Rural Energy for America Loan program

_Rural Housing Service (RHS)_
51. Community Facilities Direct Loans
52. Community Facilities Grants

‡ USDA NIFA has identified 14 programs that support workforce development, research, and extension in Justice40 priority areas. The 14 programs specifically benefit underserved communities (e.g. funding specifically for 1890 Institutions, 1994 Native American/Tribal Serving Colleges and Universities, Hispanic-Serving Institutions etc.). To ensure that applicants and grantees of these programs are not burdened with additional administrative work or new reporting requirements, USDA will complete any administrative requirements associated with these programs being included in Justice40 at Headquarters. For these programs, at this time, there will be no change to Requests for Funding Applications or grantee application or reporting requirements.

§ Agricultural Management Assistance (AMA) and Risk Management Education (RME) are functions under the broader crop insurance program and best suited to be included as Justice40 covered programs. Because the parameters of crop insurance are set by Congress and USDA does not retain discretion regarding which applicants receive benefits under crop insurance, USDA looks forward to engaging with Congress and crop insurance stakeholders to ensure the Federal Crop Insurance Program and crop insurance products offered provide underserved producers with the risk management tools they need to thrive and thus better align with the Justice40 initiative.
53. Multi-family Housing Section 521 Rental Assistance
54. Single Family Housing Direct Loans
55. Mutual and Self-Help Housing Grants
56. Loan Guarantee and Multi-Family Programs for Underserved Communities**

*Rural Utilities Service (RUS)*
57. Electric Infrastructure Program
58. High Energy Cost Grant
59. Rural Energy Savings Program
60. Water and Waste Direct Loan
61. Water and Waste Grant
62. Distributed Generation Energy Project Financing
63. Energy Efficiency and Conservation Loan Program
64. Energy Resource Conservation Program

*Departmentwide*
65. USDA Climate Hubs

** Rural development administers several loan guarantee and housing programs (multifamily, community facilities, etc.) where the program is specially designed to benefit underserved communities and thus USDA plans to report on those programs under the Justice40 framework while ensuring that program applicants and beneficiaries will not be subject to any program changes or additional reporting requirements.
Department of Health and Human Services

The Department of Health and Human Services has 13 covered programs

Covered programs list for HHS

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
1. Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) - Office of Community Health and Hazard Assessment (OCHHA)
2. ATSDR - Partnership to Promote Local Efforts to Reduce Environmental Exposure (APPLETREE)
3. ATSDR - Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Units (PEHSUs)
4. Flint Lead Exposure Registry (Flint Registry)
5. Climate Ready States Initiative (CRSI)

National Institutes of Health
6. National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) Environmental Career Worker Training Program (ECWTP)

Administration for Children and Families
7. Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)*
8. Low Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP)
9. Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)
10. Community Economic Development (CED)
11. Rural Community Economic Development Program (RCD)

Assistant Secretary for Administration
12. Federal Real Property Assistance Program (FRPAP)

Indian Health Service
13. Sanitation Facilities Construction (SFC) Program*

* Denotes programs that received funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) (P.L. 117-58).
Department of Homeland Security

The Department of Homeland Security has four covered programs.

**Covered programs list for DHS**

*Federal Emergency Management Agency*

1. Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Program*
2. Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) Program*
3. Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) Program
4. Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPGP)

* Denotes programs that received funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, P.L. 117-58.
Department of Housing and Urban Development

The Department of Housing and Urban Development has 24 covered programs.

**Covered programs list for HUD**

1. Choice Neighborhoods
2. Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery*
3. Community Development Block Grant – Entitlement/Non-Entitlement Grant*
4. FHA Mortgage Insurance for Single-Family Housing (MMI Fund)
5. FHA Mortgage Insurance for Multi-Family Rental and Other Housing (GI/SRI Fund)
6. HOME Investment Partnerships Program
7. Housing for the Elderly – New Units
8. Housing for Persons with Disabilities – New Units
9. Housing Trust Fund†
10. Lead Hazard Reduction and Healthy Homes Grants

*Native American Programs:*

11. Competitive Set Aside for Construction and Rehabilitation
12. Indian Community Development Block Grants
13. Native American Housing Block Grants
14. Title VI Loan Guarantee Program
15. Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grants†
16. Public Housing Health Hazards
17. Rental Assistance Demonstration
18. Self-Help and Assisted Homeownership Opportunity Program (SHOP)
19. Tenant-Based Rental Assistance (Housing Choice Vouchers)†
20. Project-Based Rental Assistance†
21. Public Housing Fund†
22. Housing for the Elderly – Contract Renewals†
23. Housing for Persons with Disabilities – Contract Renewals†
24. Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS†

* HUD administers several block grant programs, including Community Development Block Grant and Native American Block Grant programs, where the program is designed to meet the unique needs of underserved communities, including low- and moderate-income communities. HUD plans to report on those programs under the Justice40 framework with the understanding that granular data on benefits may not be possible at the individual household or census tract level.

† HUD administers several rental assistance and affordable housing programs where the program is specially designed to benefit underserved communities. HUD plans to report on those programs under the Justice40 framework while ensuring that program applicants and beneficiaries will not be subject to separate reporting requirements.
Department of the Interior

The Department of the Interior has 65 covered programs.

**Covered programs list for DOI**

**Bureau of Land Management**
1. Seeds for Success
3. Orphan Well Program
4. Land and Water Conservation Fund

**Bureau of Reclamation**
5. Authorized Rural Water Projects*
6. Native American Affairs Program
7. Other Water Infrastructure Activities*
8. Tribal Water Rights Settlements*
9. WaterSMART*
10. Water Recycling*
11. Watershed Management Projects*

**Bureau of Indian Affairs**
12. Community and Economic Development
13. Economic Development (TPA)
14. Housing Improvement Program
15. Office of Trust Services - Operations of Indian Programs: Energy, Minerals and Mining Development
16. Office of Trust Services - Natural Resources Management
17. Operation of Indian Programs and Construction - Water and Power
18. Climate, Environmental and Cultural Resources
19. Geospatial Services
20. Forestry
21. Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons
22. Safety of Dams, Water Sanitation, And Other Facilities*
23. Tribal Irrigation and Power Systems*
24. Tribal Climate Resilience - Adaptation Planning*
25. Tribal Climate Resilience - Community Relocation*
26. Indian Water Rights Settlements*

**Bureau of Indian Education**
27. Education Information Technology
28. Post Secondary Programs
29. Student Transportation

* Denotes programs that received funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, P.L. 117-58
30. School Construction, Improvement and Repair
31. School Facility Operations and Maintenance
32. Employee Housing

**Bureau of Ocean Energy Management**
33. The Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program

**Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement**
34. The Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program
35. Offshore Orphaned Infrastructure Decommissioning

**Fish and Wildlife Service**
36. Benefits to Private Lands
37. Urban Wildlife Conservation
38. Wildlife Conservation Grants
39. Youth Programs
40. Fish Passage Improvements
41. Land Acquisition Species
42. Land and Water Conservation Fund

**National Park Service**
43. Conservation and Outdoor Recreation
44. Youth and Volunteer Programs
45. Environmental Management Program (EMP)
46. Land and Water Conservation Fund

**Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement**
47. Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund
48. Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund*
49. Abandoned Mine Land Economic Revitalization (AMLER)

**Office of Insular Affairs**
50. Capital Improvement Project Grants
51. Technical Assistance
52. Maintenance Assistance Fund
53. Brown Tree Snake Control
54. Coral Reef Initiative & Natural Resources
55. Energizing Insular Communities

**Department-Wide Programs**
56. Preparedness
57. Fuels Management*
58. Emergency Stabilization
59. Fire Facilities
60. Burned Area Rehabilitation*
61. Urban Waters
62. Energy Community Revitalization Program
63. Central Hazardous Materials Fund
64. Orphaned Well Site Plugging, Remediation, And Restoration*
65. Ecosystem Restoration*
Environmental Protection Agency

The Environmental Protection Agency has 73 covered programs.

Covered programs list for EPA

1. Drinking Water State Revolving Fund*
2. Clean Water State Revolving Fund*
3. Brownfields Projects Program*
4. Superfund Emergency Response and Removal†
5. Environmental Justice Program
6. Reduction of Lead in Drinking Water Grant Program
7. Sewer Overflow Control Grants Program
8. Diesel Emissions Reductions Act (DERA)‡
9. Small and Disadvantaged Communities Drinking Water Grant Program
10. US-Mexico Border Water Infrastructure Program
11. Children and Other Sensitive Populations: Agency Coordination
12. Categorical Grant: Pesticides Program Implementation
13. Tribal General Assistance Program
14. Pesticides: Protect Human Health from Pesticide Risk
15. Pesticides: Realize the Value of Pesticide Availability
16. Pollution Prevention (P2) Program
17. Categorical Grant: Pollution Prevention (P2)
18. Lead Risk Reduction Program
19. Categorical Grant: Lead
20. Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) / Community Right-to-Know Program
21. Environmental Education
22. Categorical Grant: Tribal Air Quality Management
23. Alaska Native Villages
24. Categorical Grant: Beaches Protection
25. Environmental Information
26. Targeted Airshed Grants
27. US Mexico Border Program
28. Categorical Grant: Brownfields*
29. Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST)/Underground Storage Tank (UST)
30. LUST Cooperative Agreements
31. Oil Spill Prevention and Preparedness
32. State and Local Prevention and Preparedness
33. Superfund Remedial Program*
34. Categorical Grant: Wetlands Program Development Grant
35. Drinking Water Infrastructure Resiliency and Sustainability Grant Program

* Denotes programs that received funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) (P.L. 117-58).
† For the purposes of the Justice40 Initiative, this program is focusing on removal.
‡ For the purposes of the Justice40 Initiative, this includes the Ports Initiative program.
36. Ports Initiative EJ Small Grants
37. Federal Support for Air Quality Management (American Indian Air Quality Training Program)
38. Lead Testing in School and Child Care Grant Program
39. Nonpoint Source (Section 319) Grant Program
40. Small System Training and Technical Assistance Grant
41. Technical Assistance for Treatment Works Program
42. Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) Program
43. American Rescue Plan – Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA) rebate program
45. American Rescue Plan – Grant Competition for Community Monitoring
46. American Rescue Plan – Direct Awards to Air Agencies for Continuous Monitoring of PM2.5 and Other Common Air Pollutants
47. Conflict Prevention and Resolution Center (CPRC)
48. Multi – Senior Environmental Employment (SEE) – Environmental Programs and Management (EPM)
49. Multi – SEE – Science and Technology (ST)
50. Multi – SEE – Inspector General (IG)
51. Multi – SEE – State Tribal Assistance Grants (STAG)
52. Multi – SEE – Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUST)
53. Multi – SEE – Oil Spills (OIL)
54. Multi – SEE – Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA)
55. Multi – SEE – Superfund (SF)
56. Multi – SEE – Pesticide Registration Improvement Act (PRIA)
57. Facilities Infrastructure and Operations (clean energy and energy efficiency) Buildings and Facilities (BF)
58. Facilities Infrastructure and Operations (climate)
59. Compliance Monitoring (On-Site Inspections)
60. Office of Community Revitalization
61. Compliance Advisor Program
62. Clean School Bus Program*
63. Recycling Education and Outreach Grants*
64. Pollution Prevention Grants*
65. Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling Grants*
66. Clean Water State Revolving Fund-Emerging Contaminants*
67. Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Emerging Contaminants (incl. PFAS)*
68. Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Lead Service Lines Replacement*
69. National Estuary Program*
70. Gulf Hypoxia Program*
71. Office of Water Geographic Programs*
72. Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation Small and Underserved Communities Emerging Contaminants Grant Program*
73. Reduce Risks from Indoor Air

§ EJ grants relating to the Federal Vehicle & Fuels Standards & Certifications Program.
Small Independent Agencies

Covered programs lists for small independent agencies

Appalachian Regional Commission

The Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) is a Federal-State partnership that invests in sustainable economic development in the 423-county Appalachian Region. ARC is participating in Justice40 through its grantmaking activities, including Bipartisan Infrastructure Law-funded activities.

1. Appalachian Regional Commission Grants*

Delta Regional Authority

The Delta Regional Authority (DRA) is a joint Federal-State collaboration created to address the economic needs of the eight-state, 252 county/parish Mississippi Delta region. DRA is participating in Justice40 through its grantmaking activities, including Bipartisan Infrastructure Law-funded activities.

1. Delta Regional Authority Grants*

Denali Commission

The Denali Commission is an independent federal agency created to provide critical utilities, infrastructure, and economic support throughout Alaska. The Denali Commission is participating in Justice40 through its grantmaking activities, including Bipartisan Infrastructure Law-funded activities.

1. Denali Commission Grants*

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