

National Clean Diesel Programs: Progress Update

MSTRS Meeting

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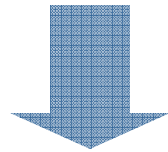
National Clean Diesel Campaign

National Clean Diesel Program

\$49.2 Million for 2008

National

\$34.4 Million (70%)



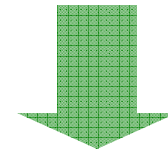
National Clean Diesel
Funding Assistance Program \$27.6 M

Clean Diesel Emerging Technologies Program ~\$3.4 M

SmartWay Clean Diesel Finance Program ~\$3.4 M

State

\$14.8 Million (30%)

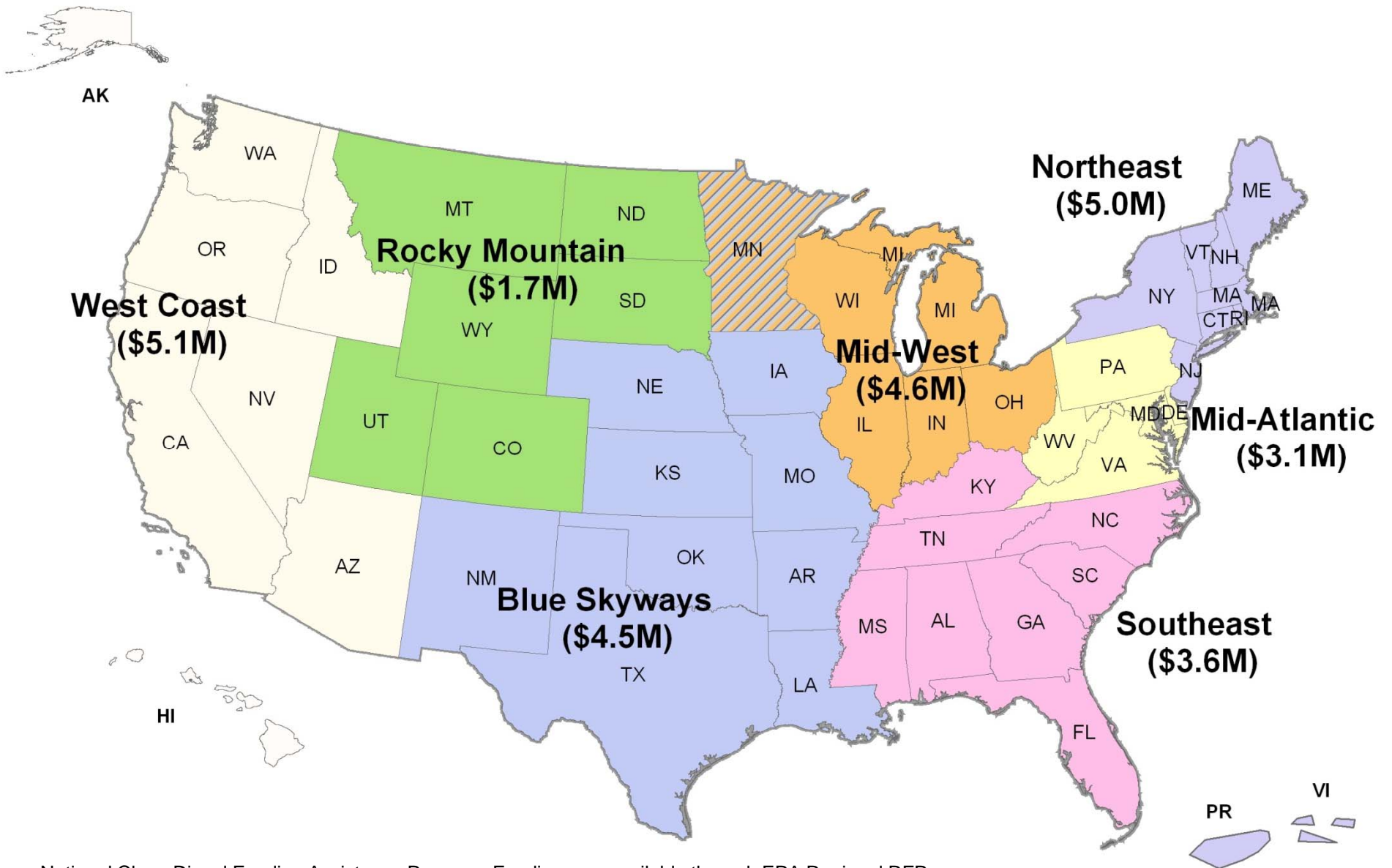


State Clean Diesel Grant Program \$14.8 M

State Base

Matching Bonus

Regional Clean Diesel Collaboratives



• National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program: Funding now available through EPA Regional RFPs.

National Program RFP Status

- Agency announced the NCDCC availability of funds on April 2nd with national press announcement
- All seven regional collaboratives have published Requests for Proposals
 - Open now; closing dates are late May/early June
 - Awards will be made this Summer
- SmartWay Clean Diesel Finance RFP – open now; closes June 9th
- Emerging Technologies RFP – will be posted in May

State Clean Diesel Program Update

- *Federal Register* notice announcing program funding published on March 10th
- State Letters of Intent were due April 24th
- All 50 States indicated that they will participate
 - So far, 32 of 50 plan to match
 - Approx \$197K base; +\$98K if matching
 - State grants will range from approx. \$197K to \$492K (with State match)
- Final packages from States due June 23rd

Emerging Technologies Update

- Guidance posted on web site in February
 - Technologies must make the emerging technologies list by the close of the RFP
- Only a few applications from manufacturers so far
 - EPA is working with manufacturers who originally applied to the verification program but potentially could qualify as an emerging technology
- Many calls from manufacturers referred from Regions
 - Some manufacturers interested in R&D funds – not eligible
 - Many are interested, but few have followed through with submitting an application
- Intent to verify forms from manufacturers for: on-road, marine & nonroad – NOx, PM & fuel economy
 - Hopeful that these manufacturers will make it to the list by close of RFP
- Expect some technologies will be eventually verified through nontraditional methods – ex. HD hybrid vehicle, marine vessel, locomotive

Diesel Emission Reduction Program FY08 RFP Timeline

Activity	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	Jul-Aug	Sep-Nov
Outreach	National Grant				
	Finance				
	National Emerging Technology				
	State				
Application Process		National Grant			
		Finance			
		Emerging Technology			
		State			
Application Evaluation			National Grant		
			Finance		
				Em. Technology	
			State		
Award Grants	National Grant Announcement - Fall 08				National Grant
	National Finance Announcement - Aug 08			Finance	
	Emerging Technology Announcement - Fall 08				Em. Technology
	State Grant Announcement - Aug 08			State	

National Clean Diesel Programs: Next Steps

- Award grants:
 - State and Innovative Finance Programs this Summer
 - National Program and Emerging Technologies in Fall
- First annual Report to Congress due in January
- FY09 President's Budget request includes \$49.2 M
- Find RFPs at <http://epa.gov/cleandiesel>