

Illinois Finance Authority

Stretch Building Code Adoption

Support Grants



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Program Overview

The Stretch Building Code Adoption Grant Program, supported by funding from the U.S. EPA's Climate Pollution Reduction Grants, is designed to facilitate the adoption, implementation, and enforcement of the Illinois Stretch Energy Code. Projects under this grant program may target adoption of either the 2023 Stretch Code or the anticipated 2026 Stretch Code. The program will provide financial support for education, community engagement, and technical assistance to ensure that municipalities are well-equipped to integrate the stretch code into their regulatory frameworks.

Funding & Eligibility

- Municipalities will receive funding to support stretch code education and outreach, determine local impacts, and develop implementation plans.
- Municipalities may apply **individually** for awards of up to **\$200,000** each or collaborate as a **group of five or more** and apply for funding up to **\$1,000,000**.
- Eligible projects will support four core objectives:
 - Municipal Awareness and Capacity Building
 - Community Engagement and Education
 - Incremental Code Modernization
 - Emissions Reductions and Energy Efficiency Improvements

Round 4 Details

Funding

- **\$6.5 million** in available funding
- Up to **\$1 million** per award*
- Award Type: Competitive

Submission Information

- One-time submission
- Open date: 06/15/2026
- Close date: 12/31/2026

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