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Hero: Obama Blocks Sale Of Sacred Apache Land To Foreign Mining Firm **By [Colin Taylor](#) Posted on March 12, 2016**

Arizona Tea Partiers are furious with the government after their [heinous plot to sell off Native American sacred land](#) to be plundered for corporate profits was foiled by President Obama. Rep. Paul Gosar, along with his accomplices Ann Kirkpatrick, John McCain, and Jeff Flake, managed to throw a last minute amendment into last year's must-pass military spending bill that hands over the land at Oak Flats – or *Chi'chil Bildagoteel* to the Apache – to an Australian mining company in an unprecedented show of disrespect to America's native tribes. And they would've gotten away with it too, if it wasn't for that meddling President!

Over 300 Apache tribesmembers have occupied the site in protest since early 2015 in protest of the sale, determined to protect their ancestral grounds where girls hold their coming-of-age ceremonies. Apache spokesman Wendsler Nosie, Sr. wrote in a powerful letter to the Congressmen that the land of Oak Flats “has always been our connection to our Mother, our right to exist, a central part of our prayers, songs, stories and spiritual practices. It is from here that we emerged. It is who we are. We have lost so much.”


Gosar and Kirkpatrick were unmoved, however, motivated only by the demands of mining lobbyists and the allure of money. They orchestrated a shameful smear campaign that disputes the site's sacred status and demanded that the Park Service declassify it as a protected area. The Obama Administration, through the Parks Service, [instead designated it a historical district](#), effectively ending their efforts to mine holy grounds.

Gosar promptly threw a tantrum that will bring a smile to your face:

Shame on the Park Service and Forest Service for ramming a bogus historic place listing down the throats of Arizonans. Clearly, the Obama Administration cares more about pandering to extremist environmental groups and a D.C. lobbyist from the Clinton Administration than following the law and listening to the American public. Oak Flat has never been a sacred site, as confirmed by the local tribe's own former historian. Yet, Obama's minions are hell-bent on sabotaging an important mining effort by listing a small, public campground 20 miles away from the nearest tribe's reservation as a historic site.

President Obama and the Park Service have made a strong statement with their defense of Apache religion and the environment. It's hard to imagine any politician arranging a shady deal to plunder a Christian or Jewish religious site – but clearly the victims of American genocide aren't worthy of that respect in the eyes of Republicans. Nothing may be sacred to Tea Partiers – but President Obama still knows where his priorities are.

President Obama, Grant Leonard Peltier Executive Clemency



Leonard Peltier,... over the decades Peltier has been a model prisoner, concentrating on his art and writing. Peltier has lost his health and half of his adult life in prison. Despite his imprisonment which poses numerous barriers, Mr. Peltier has made remarkable contributions to humanitarian and charitable causes. Peltier has never been given a fair trial.

It's time to set him free. He is long overdue for parole,...

President Obama, deliver on the hope and change you promised.

- [Sanders Champions Legislation to Protect Oak Flat](#)
Tribes nation-wide and other Americans across the country deeply appreciate Senator Bernie Sanders'

Bonnie Walker's event. If a child molester who was a former politician gets 15 months and this man was wrongfully incarcerated for years..... where is the justice ?

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MAY6 2016 Monthly TWITTER STORM & Virtual ACTION Event for Leonard Peltier!

May 6 - Jun 6 · from your computer

[Simply Granted - Simplifying Your Grant Process](#)

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Mark Your Calendars...on the 6th of every month we are having an ACTION Day for Native American Federal Political Prisoner Leonard Peltier (we may also include other days depending on circumstances and needs)!

We present this on Social Networks as a way to inform Supporters that we are asking YOU to become involved. This ACTION event includes a Twitter Storm, Phone Zap, E-mailing, and Letter Writing; chose to do one or all, or whatever YOU can do. Certainly we encourage each of Leonard's Supp... [See More](#)

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## **GrantStation**

### **Funding Snapshots**

#### **[Champion Creatively Alive Children: Creative Leadership Grants](#)**

Creative Leadership Grants support innovative leadership team building programs that help increase art-infused education within elementary schools throughout the United States and Canada. Click above to learn more about the funding guidelines and application process.

#### **[Children's Prize](#)**

The Children's Prize is a contest to find the best plan for directly and quickly saving children's lives. Click above to learn more about the Prize.

### ***National Funding***

Support for Youth Bereavement Programs

#### **[National Alliance for Grieving Children: Grief Reach](#)**

The goal of Grief Reach, administered by the National Alliance for Grieving Children with funding from the New York Life Foundation, is to provide support for children's bereavement programs in order to expand their reach to underserved youth populations. In 2016, Grief Reach will provide support through the following two programs: Community Expansion Grants, ranging from \$15,000 to \$100,000, fund program expansion to include bereaved children and teens not currently served by existing services. Capacity Building Grants of \$10,000 help nonprofit organizations to secure the professional assistance necessary to enhance organizational capacity and address issues of organizational development and effectiveness. The application cycle will open on May 16 and close on July 11, 2016. Visit the National Alliance for Grieving Children's website to learn more about each grant program.

Programs for the Underserved Funded Worldwide

#### **[Cisco Global Impact Cash Grants](#)**

Cisco Global Impact Cash Grants support nonprofit organizations in the U.S. and worldwide that provide assistance to underserved populations and leverage Internet and network solutions to improve the reach, efficiency, and impact of services. In the Education category, Cisco supports technology-based solutions and education delivery models that improve student performance and engagement in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). The Economic Empowerment category focuses on programs that encourage employment success, entrepreneurship, and long-term self-sufficiency by providing access to skills, knowledge, and financial products and services via technology-based solutions. Through the Critical Human Needs category, Cisco grants help overcome the cycle of poverty and dependence by supporting organizations that address the basic needs of underserved communities, with a focus on clean water, food, and shelter. Organizations can begin the application process at any time. Visit the Cisco website to learn more about the grantmaking criteria and to take the [Eligibility Quiz](#).

Grants Promote Social Activism Initiatives

#### **[David Bohnett Foundation](#)**

The mission of the David Bohnett Foundation is to improve society through social activism. The Foundation supports innovative nonprofit organizations that address the following areas: The



LGBT Community category focuses on national and Southern California organizations that provide equal rights and protections for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgendered community. The CyberCenters category promotes the development of computer labs at LGBT community centers. The Gun Violence Prevention category strives to reduce gun violence through research, advocacy, and community empowerment. The Leadership Initiatives category supports the development of the next generation of municipal leaders. The Animal Language category focuses on scientific and academic animal language research. The upcoming deadline for letters of inquiry is June 30, 2016; invited applications will be due July 31, 2016. Visit the Foundation's website to learn more about the application process.

Children's Health Programs Planned by Pediatricians Supported

**[American Academy of Pediatrics: Community Access to Child Health Program](#)**

The Community Access to Child Health (CATCH) Program, a national initiative of the American Academy of Pediatrics, is designed to improve access to healthcare by supporting pediatricians who are involved in community-based efforts to enhance the health of children. CATCH Planning and Implementation Grants of up to \$10,000 are awarded to pediatricians and fellowship trainees to plan innovative community-based child health initiatives that will ensure all children have medical homes, are properly immunized, and have access to healthcare services not otherwise available in their community. Outreach must be to the community at large, not to practice or clinic patients only. (Grants of up to \$2,000 are awarded to pediatric residents addressing the same issues.) The application period will open on May 2 and close on July 29, 2016. Visit the American Academy of Pediatrics' website to learn more about the CATCH Program.



**Regional Funding**

Funds for Youth Conservation Employment Programs in the Gulf Coast States

**[National Fish and Wildlife Foundation: Developing the Next Generation of Conservationists](#)**

The National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF) is seeking proposals to connect youth to the outdoors by providing support for conservation employment programs that contribute to Gulf of Mexico ecosystem restoration efforts. Developing the Next Generation of Conservationists brings together public and private partners to support those organizations that are creating innovative conservation job opportunities for youth on public and publicly-accessible lands in Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas. These job opportunities should expose young people,

particularly urban, tribal, and minority youth, to the natural world and career opportunities available in conservation throughout the Gulf Coast states. Priority will be given to projects that

benefit the Gulf of Mexico ecosystem, with emphasis on projects that address coastal habitats, coastal watersheds, longleaf pine habitats, and the [\*\*Cheyenne Eagle Butte High School\*\*](#) species that depend on them. Grants generally ***Latest in Prom dress*** range from \$50,000 to \$250,000. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations, government agencies, educational institutions, and Indian tribes. The application deadline is June 15, 2016. Visit the NFWF website to review the funding guidelines.

Grants Enhance Services for Oregon Youth at Risk

[\*\*Dave's Killer Bread Grant Program\*\*](#)

The Dave's Killer Bread Grant Program provides support to nonprofit organizations in Oregon and Southwest Washington. Grants of \$2,000 to \$10,000 are awarded to organizations working in one or more of the following areas: youth affected by the criminal justice system and education for youth facing barriers (with a focus on GED completion, pathways to secondary education/trade school, and job skill training). The application deadline is June 1, 2016. Visit the company's website to download the 2016 application form.

Support for Healthcare Initiatives in Arkansas

[\*\*Blue & You Foundation for a Healthier Arkansas: Regular Grants Program\*\*](#)

The Blue & You Foundation for a Healthier Arkansas is dedicated to creating a state where citizens have access to useful information and needed healthcare services that enable them to lead healthier lives. Through the Regular Grants Program, the Foundation provides support to nonprofit organizations and government agencies that positively affect the health of Arkansans. Particular emphasis is given to projects affecting healthcare delivery, policy, and economics. Funded projects must demonstrate strong community, regional, or statewide support, such as co-funding by other organizations or groups. Grants generally range from \$5,000 to \$150,000. The deadline for submitting online applications is July 15, 2016. (The Foundation also offers a \$1,000 mini-grant program from January to March each year.) Visit the Foundation's website to review the grant guidelines.

Programs Impacting the Lives of Georgia Women and Girls Funded

[\*\*Ribbons of Hope - Invest in Women\*\*](#)

Ribbons of Hope - Invest in Women is dedicated to making a positive impact on the lives of women and girls. Each year Ribbons of Hope awards one \$100,000 grant to a nonprofit organization in Georgia that promotes education, health, economic independence, social well-being, or human rights for women and girls. The grant can be used for special projects or capital improvements that can be sustained by the organization after the grant allocation. Applying organizations must have been in operation at least three years and have an annual operating budget of \$500,000 or more. Applications will be accepted from April 20 to May 31, 2016. Visit the Ribbons of Hope website to download the application guidelines and form.

***Federal Funding***

Cultural Exchange Programs Supported

[\*\*Department of State\*\*](#)

The Communities Connecting Heritage program provides support to bring together U.S. and international communities, especially youth, women, ethnic minorities, and other underserved

groups, through collaborative exchange projects that focus on cultural heritage. The application deadline is May 27, 2016.

Funds Available for Wetlands Conservation

### **Fish and Wildlife Service**

The North American Wetlands Conservation Act Standard Grants Program supports long-term protection, restoration, and enhancement of wetlands and associated uplands habitats. The application deadline is July 14, 2016. There are separate deadlines for Mexico, Canada, and small grants.

Here is the link - <https://www.workforcegps.org/>. New persons access the “Sign Up” link to establish an account. INA can be found by opening the “Communities” pull down and selecting Indian and Native American. below is the link to the Community of Practice website

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### **EPA to Allow Consumption of Toxic Fracking Wastewater by Wildlife and Livestock**

Millions of gallons of water laced with toxic chemicals from oil and gas drilling rigs...

[www.nationofchange.org](http://www.nationofchange.org)

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### **Jada Gadwa White Shawl Special - 2016 Gathering of Nations PowWow**

[youtube.com](http://youtube.com)

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### **Liberty Acquires All-Star Guard Shoni Schimmel - New York Liberty**

NEW YORK, NY – MAY 2,  
2016 – The New York Liberty  
has acquired All-Star...

[liberty.wnba.com](http://liberty.wnba.com)

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Large fluctuations in water levels caused by hydropower dams are [leading to declines in the abundance of aquatic insects](#) in rivers, according to a study published in the journal *BioScience*. The study looked at hydropower plants on the Colorado River, and found that changing water levels were harming the reproduction of

*As a child I never imagined  
that all the real monsters  
in the world*

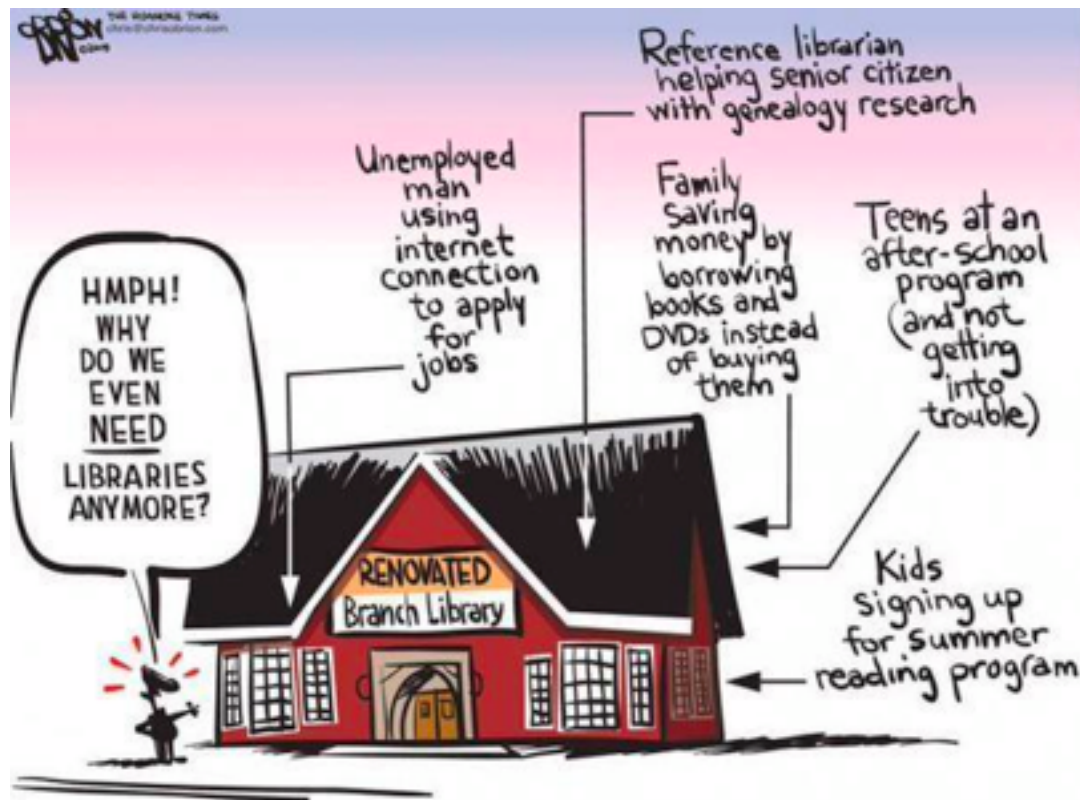


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*-Mobeen Hakeem*

Hunt The Trophy Hunters

insects including mayfly and caddis fly. *Science Daily*



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**Native American Dark Opera about the Nisenan Indians and Sutter's Reign on the Sacramento Valley.**

May 12 - 13, Dietrich Theater, Sierra College

May 14 - Center for the Arts, Grass Valley

May 15 - State theater, Auburn

Auburn, CALIFORNIA - On March 11th, 'On Native Ground' will present "Something Inside is Broken", a courageous story of the Nisenan Tribe of Northern California, through the frontier of Sutter's reign on the Sacramento Valley. The debut showcase for this production will take place at Sacramento State University with a second release planned at Sierra College March 16th. "We have goals of bringing this to the Smithsonian. We need to be sure a residue of Nisenan tongue remain an imprint on Am... [See More](#)

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### **Experience America's Largest Powwow**

Filmmaker Keeley Gould captures contemporary Native American culture at the 31st annual



Gathering of Nations in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Over 700...

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### **Gayle Hansen-Johnson singing Red White and Blue a Shoshone Indian Flag Song 1996**

Old video footage of Gayle Hansen-Johnson, a Shoshone-Paiute woman singing a traditional Shoshone Flag Song. The video was taken in 1996, but because of the b...  
youtube.com

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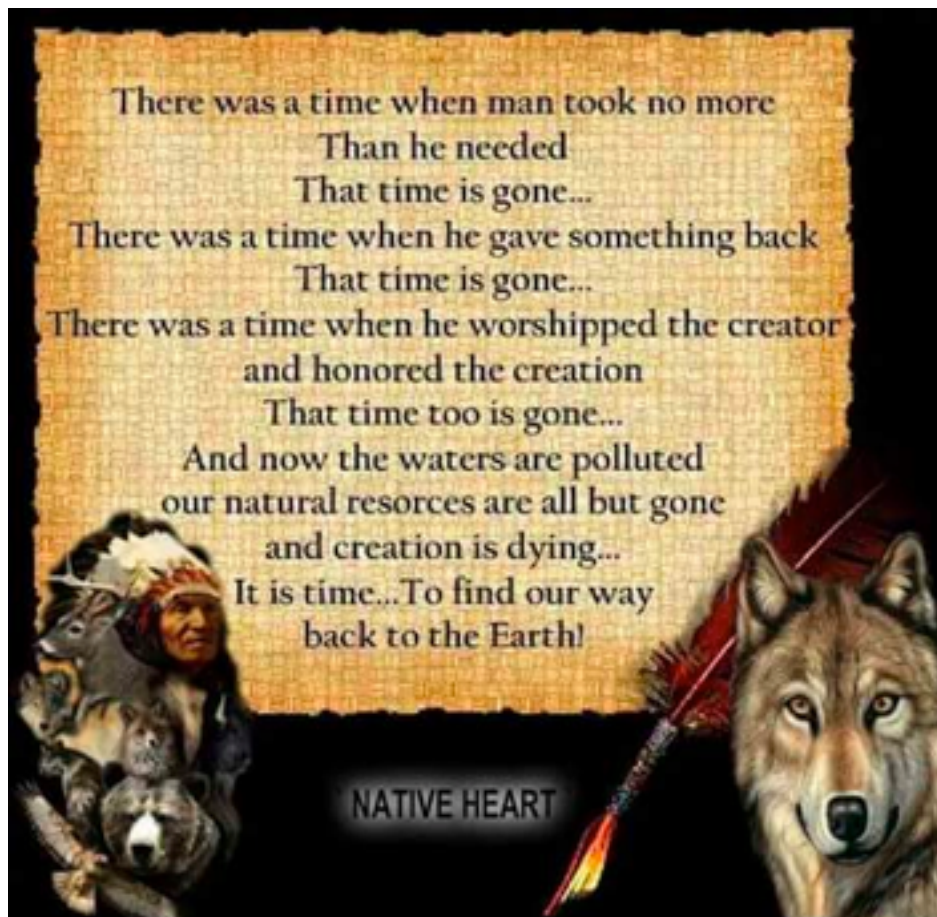
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### **Delaware**

**Official Site of the Delaware Tribe of Indians » Delaware Tribe Historic ...**

[delawaretribe.org/services-and-programs/historic-preservation/](https://delawaretribe.org/services-and-programs/historic-preservation/)

The mission of the *Delaware* Tribe's Historic Preservation Office (DTHPO) is to ensure the protection and preservation of *cultural* and historic *resources* that are ...

### **Museum of Indian Culture**

[www.museumofindianculture.org/](http://www.museumofindianculture.org/)

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## **U.S. Department of Agriculture      Community Connect Program**

USDA is soliciting applications for grants to establish broadband in unserved rural communities through its Community Connect program. Community Connect is administered by USDA's Rural Utilities Service and helps to fund broadband deployment into rural communities where it is not economically viable for private sector providers to provide service.

USDA plans to award up to \$11.7 million in grants through the Community Connect grant program. The grants fund broadband infrastructure to help foster economic growth by delivering connectivity to the global marketplace. The grants also fund broadband for community centers and public institutions.

The minimum grant is \$100,000 for FY 2016. The maximum award is \$3 million. USDA announced new rules in 2013 to better target Community Connect grants to areas where they are needed the most. [View the rules.](#)

For more information on how to apply for grants, see [page 22567](#) of the April 18, 2016 Federal Register.

### **Special Consideration Areas Category:**

In accordance with 7 CFR 1739.1(a), applicants may receive special consideration if they submit documentation demonstrating that they will provide broadband service within the following areas (15 points):

- i. Tribal jurisdiction or trust areas,
- ii. [Promise Zone](#) or
- iii. [Strike Force area](#)

In making a final selection among and between applications with comparable rankings and geographic distribution, the Administrator may take into consideration the characteristics of the Proposed Funded Service Area (PFSA), as identified in 7 CFR 1739.17(d).

For more information please refer to page [22571](#) of the Federal Register.

Application Deadline: June 17, 2016      More information is available on the [USDA website](#).

## **Department of the Treasury - Low Income Taxpayer Clinic Grant Program**

The Department of Treasury is seeking applications for the 2017 Low Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC) grant program.

The LITC program provides matching grants of up to \$100,000 per year to qualifying organizations to represent low income taxpayers in disputes with the IRS and to educate persons who speak English as a second language (ESL) about their rights and responsibilities as U.S. taxpayers. LITC services must be provided free or for a nominal fee.

**Deadline:** June 20, 2016 Learn more about the [LITC program](#).  
[View the LITC Funding Announcement](#)

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Department of Education - Performance Partnership Pilot Program

The Department of Education is seeking applications for the Performance Partnership Pilot program. The program enables pilot sites to test innovative, outcome-focused strategies to achieve significant improvements in educational, employment, and other key outcomes for disconnected youth using new flexibility to blend existing Federal funds and to seek waivers of associated program requirements.

Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: May 26, 2016.
Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: June 27, 2016
[View the P3 Funding Announcement](#)

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### **Department of Health and Human Services - Health Center Program New Access Points**

HHS is soliciting applications for the Health Center Program New Access Point (NAP) program. The purpose of this funding opportunity is to improve the health of the Nation's underserved communities and vulnerable populations by increasing access to comprehensive, culturally competent, quality primary health care services.

NAP funding provides operational support for new primary health care service delivery sites (i.e., new access points). A new access point is a new service delivery site for the provision of comprehensive health care services. Applicants must propose at least one full-time, permanent new access point site that has primary medical care as its main purpose.

Subject to the availability of appropriated funds, HRSA anticipates awarding approximately \$50 million to support an estimated 75 New Access Point awards in Fiscal Year 2017. The maximum annual funding that can be requested in a NAP application is \$650,000.

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Organizations eligible to compete for NAP funds include public or nonprofit private entities, including tribal, faith-based, and community-based organizations. Applications may be submitted from new organizations or from existing award recipients to expand their network of service delivery sites to serve new underserved populations. See Section III in the NAP funding opportunity announcement for the full list of eligibility criteria.

**Application Deadline:** This is a two tier application. Phase 1 - [Grants.gov](#): must be completed and successfully submitted via Grants.gov by 11:59 pm EDT on June 17, 2016.

- See the funding opportunity announcement and the [HRSA SF-424 Two-Tier Application Guide](#) for instructions on how to submit in Grants.gov.

Phase 2 - [HRSA EHB](#): must be completed and successfully submitted by 5:00 pm EDT on July 15, 2016.

More information is available on the [HHS website](#).