Guidance for FY26 is currently not available, but you can find guidance from FY25 below. Please note that this is subject to change.

The Subcommittee on Homeland Security accepted FY25 CDS requests for the following accounts. Please be sure to read all the program requirements and guidance very carefully before selecting an account.

Please note that CDS projects included in the final DHS appropriations bill are still subject to final review and approval through a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and technical review process after enactment of the appropriations bill.

Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) Projects:

- Requested projects must meet the eligibility requirements of the PDM grant program, including the non-federal cost-share requirement, benefit-cost ratio, and environmental and historic preservation requirements.
- Full requirements can be found in the fiscal year <u>2023 NOFO for the "Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program"</u> (the NOFO for FY24 projects is expected to be issued in the coming weeks, but requirements are unlikely to change).
- For any projects designated for funding in the final fiscal year 2025 Homeland Security Appropriations Act, the state agency responsible for administering mitigation grants in the requestor's state must submit an application to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and that entity will serve as the administrative agent for the grant.
- Therefore, all project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate state agency affirming that it believes the project is eligible.
- Projects awarded BRIC funding will not be eligible for PDM CDS funding.

Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Grant Program:

- Requested projects must meet the eligibility requirements of the EOC grant program, including the non-federal cost-share requirement and environmental and historic preservation requirements.
- Full requirements can be found in the fiscal year <u>2023 NOFO for the "Emergency Operations Center Grant Program"</u> (the NOFO for FY24 projects is expected to be issued in the coming weeks, but requirements are unlikely to change).
- For any projects designated for funding in the final fiscal year 2025 Homeland Security
 Appropriations Act, the state administrative agency (SAA) must submit an application to
 the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and that agency will serve as the
 administrative agent for the grant.
- Therefore, all project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate SAA affirming that it believes the project is eligible