



New! Advancing Climate Resiliency Grant Program



OVERVIEW

MAPC, with generous funding from the Barr Foundation, seeks to help municipalities advance strategies that protect people, places, and communities from the impacts of climate change. We are launching the Accelerating Climate Resiliency Mini Grant Program to fund local and multi-municipal projects that accelerate climate resiliency efforts throughout the MAPC region.



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Who is eligible to apply?

Any municipality within the MAPC region.

What is the grant award?

\$15,000 to \$50,000

What is the timeline?

The deadline to apply is November 23, 2018 with award announcements in December 2018. Projects need to be completed within 12 months of award.

FUNDING PRIORITIES

- Nature-based solutions for climate resilience
- Climate regulations, zoning, financing, or infrastructure
- Climate coalitions or convening
- Climate justice
- Local food system resilience
- District-Scale Resilience Pilots
- Public outreach, marketing, and arts & culture

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION



All proposals should target at least one of the seven funding priority areas. MAPC will consider the extent to which proposals advance the following values:

Drive equity and benefit vulnerable populations.

Build stronger social cohesion.

Create opportunities for learning, replication, and the development of best practices.

Demonstrate high likelihood of success in 12 months.

Create partnerships with community-based organizations and other municipalities.

Advance climate-focused regional collaboration or collective action.

Promote multiple benefits between climate adaptation and mitigation.

PROJECT EXAMPLES

Stormwater Partnerships

Urban Farms

Green Infrastructure Installations in Parks

Climate Resilient Zoning and Regulation

Neighborhood or District-Scale Climate Planning

Resilience Financing

Flood Proofing of Critical Infrastructure

Design and Engineering of Climate-Smart Parks

Car Sharing in Low Income Communities

Heat-Risk Toolkits for Vulnerable Populations

Urban Forestry and Carbon Trading

Green Infrastructure Retrofits

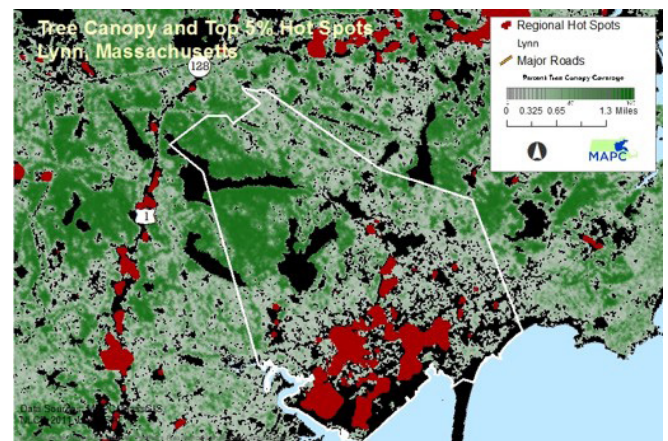
Climate Change Outreach Campaign to Vulnerable Populations

Climate Change Awareness Art Installations

Climate Change Coalitions

Emergency Management Communications

Tree Planting



Through MAPC, the 101 cities and towns in Metro Boston qualify for funding to implement their climate change plans with resiliency work on the ground. Call us today!