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Here is the announcement of the FY24 Formula Grant with our allocation for Coverdell. Can you get the ball rolling on the county side?

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Good afternoon.

The solicitation for the 2024 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grants Program – Formula application has posted, *attachment*.

The following items should be completed and returned to me by **Friday, May 31, 2024**:

- Program Narrative
- Budget Detail Worksheet (including narrative) *attachment*

- Coverdell Attachment External Investigations – this is last year’s document, you do NOT need to fill this out, just confirm/update your agency’s information on the form, *attachment*
- Forensic Laboratory Accreditation Documentation (Certificates and Scope)

You can find the funding split below:

BJA FY24 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grants Program – Formula

Assistance Listing Number: 16.742

Grants.gov Opportunity Number: O-BJA-2024-172104

Grants.gov Deadline: June 24, 2024

Application Just Grants Deadline: July 1, 2024

2024 Paul Coverdell Allocations			
<i>2023 Population based on US Census Estimations</i>			
	Population	% of Total	\$ Amount
FDLE			\$796,971
State Fire Marshal			\$21,133
Medical Examiner			\$51,440
Total State Lab/ME	14,646,080	64.71%	\$869,544.21
Miami-Dade	2,768,954	12.23%	\$164,394.02
Broward	1,973,579	8.72%	\$117,172.25
Palm Beach	1,532,718	6.77%	\$90,998.14
Pinellas	974,689	4.31%	\$57,867.71
Indian River (19th Circuit)	738,847	3.26%	\$43,865.67
Total Local Lab	7,988,787	35.29%	\$474,298
Total	22,634,867	100%	\$1,343,842
Source: University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research, Estimates of Population and City in Florida 2023.			

The grant’s total allocation is ~1.3M which is a reduction of ~83,000 from last year’s grant. The method of calculation is still based on the population of each county with the MEC and State Fire Marshall lab receiving a percentage of the FDLE portion.

As a reminder, Coverdell also has a competitive version of the grant which is 15% of the state’s total allocation. We highly recommend that you apply for this if you have a project needing funds and could supplement your allotment from this formulary grant. Here is a link to the competitive solicitation. <https://bjaojp.gov/funding/opportunities/o-bja-2024-172111>

Please reach out if you have any questions.

Thank you.

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