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Executive Summary

The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) administers the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Grant Program through a competitive application process. This document includes a listing of all grant requests by year, those that have been awarded, and a summary of the use of grant funds in accordance with 61-2-109, MCA.

EMS Grant Applicants and Award Overview

Category	2010 (1)	2010 (2)	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
# Applicants	41	37	36	28	36	35	35	40
Awards	23	22	21	18	20	14	12	10
Total Request	$2.48m	$1.87m	$1.7m	$1.6m	$2.3m	$3.3m	$2.7m	$3.4m
Award Total	$1.1m	$.95th	$1.08m	$1.07m	$1.32m	$1.18m	$.98th	$1.06m

Category	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Applicants	48	41	39	42	31	20
Award	9	10	10	12	7	7
Total Request	$3.6m	$4.2m	$3.80m	$4.4m	$4.2m	$3.1m
Award Total	$1.12m	$.99th	$1.02m	$1.01m	$1.15m	$914k

Category	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Applicants	26	23	18	25					
Award	11	10	6						
Total Request	$3.7m	$2.3m	$2.8m	$2.6m					
Award Total	$1.2m	$1.1m	$917,400						

Summary of the Use of Grant Funds

The tables on page 3 contain the total funds allocated to eligible use categories for each award year.

Category	2010 (1)	2010 (2)	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
EMS Vehicles	$864,280	$749,277	$716,886	$821,049	$871,557	$689,000	$815,00
Cots, Load Systems	$125,247	$16,882	$86,029	$103,690	$135,127	$144,690	$115,864
Radio Equip	$20,668	$49,231	$29,172	$21,830	$30,215	$8,650	$30,653
Training	$23,693	$38,821	$19,179	$5,000	$13,166	$47,721	$0
Monitors, General Equip	$66,276	$61,348	$229,007	$125,643	$227,162	$288,438	$19,934
Award Total	$1,100,164	$915,559	$1,080,273	$1,077,212	$1,277,227	$1,178,499	$981,451

Category	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
EMS Vehicles	$900,000	$750,000	$576,000	$510,000	$700,000	$875,000	$566,985
Cots, Load Systems	$105,000	$214,000	$334,000	$316,500	$129,000	$225,000	$155,175
Radio Equip.	$16,000	$0	$0	$0	$59,000	$50,000	$70,053
Training	$8,500	$4,000	$0	$4,500	$12,600	$0	$0
Monitors, General Equip	$32,000	$157,000	$84,800	$190,500	$116,500	$116,500	$121,871
Award Total	$1,061,500	$1,125,000	$994,800	$1,021,500	$1,017,100	$1,150.000	$914,084

Category	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
EMS Vehicles	$697,500	$480,000	$714,000*				
Cots, Load Systems	$232,782	$138,587.27	$83,000				
Radio Equip.	$76,634	$176,370.30	$0				
Training	$17,575	$0	$0				
Monitors, General Equip	$188,614	$321,865.13	$120,400				
Award Total	$1,213,105	$1,116,822.70	$917,400				

NOTE: The highlighted sections of each table need to be updated with the most current figures. 2027 numbers will not be available until funding recommendations have been approved for SFY27.

*- 2026 totals for Summary of the Use of Grant Funds are estimated. Funds have been awarded though purchase orders reflecting the actual cost are not yet available.