

Projected FY2014 US&R Readiness Cooperative Agreement Timeline

TIME LINE AND GOALS

- January 16, 2014:** Appropriation Bill signed for \$35,180,000 for US&R
- February 25-26, 2014:** Strategic Group Budget Planning Meeting
- March 7, 2014:** Finalize FY2014 budget and Statement of Work/Program Requirements
- March 31, 2014:** Final Federal Opportunity Announcement (with Appendices) submitted to the Grants Management Branch for coordination and approval.
- April 30, 2014:** Cooperative Agreement Funding Opportunity Announcement package posted on www.Grants.gov and sent to the Task Forces
- May 12, 2014:** Submit SF424 through www.Grants.gov for initial approval
- May 30, 2014:** DUE - All Task Force Application Packages through the NDGrants System
- May 30, 2014:** DHS/FEMA (GPD and US&R Branch) begins review, negotiation, and approval of 28 Task Force applications through NDGrants System. GPD prepares award packages.
- July 30, 2014:** Application reviews complete (projected)
- September 1, 2014:** Anticipated Award Date
- September 30, 2014:** Task Forces' award package acceptance in NDGrants is due. This date is flexible, due to the time frame the Task Forces may need to get the approvals from their organizations.

PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE FOR FY 2014
September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2016 - 18 months