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TO: Department Heads, CFOs, Agency Federal Funding Points of Contact
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Subject: OSBM State Technical Assistance and Match Program (STAMP) - State Matching Funds Application Guidelines

As described in the [OSBM memorandum sent October 16th](#), OSBM launched the State Technical Assistance and Match Program (STAMP) to help state agencies apply for and win Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), Chips and Science Act (CHIPS), and Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) funding.

OSBM will now accept applications for STAMP State Matching Funds (STAMP-SMF).

I encourage you and your team to review our [STAMP-SMF Application Guidelines](#), providing details on the program's purpose, eligibility, and application submission and awards processes. A total of \$5 million is available for state match requirements.

OSBM will host virtual "office-hours" to answer questions regarding STAMP-SMF from 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. on Monday, January 8th.

Find a link to this session below and posted on [OSBM's website](#):

- [Office Hours - Monday, January 8th, 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.](#)

Thank you to those who submitted surveys last November describing your interest in technical assistance and state matching resources made available by the program. OSBM received 42 responses to the survey and over \$44 million in requests. The information you provided added great value to our planning efforts.

Please direct questions or comments about STAMP to: FederalFundsNC@osbm.nc.gov.

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