



# Guide to Grants

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Proudly Representing Alabama's 7th Congressional District



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Welcome to the *Guide to Grants!*

I am honored to represent the 7<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Alabama. One of the most important responsibilities as your representative is to provide you with information about funding opportunities. Now more than ever, grant opportunities are vital to the success of our local governments, organizations and other entities. This weekly guide will identify federal and foundation grant opportunities to assist you in goals for our communities. This Guide will include links to grant writing resources to help you make your proposals more successful. This Guide will also describe new funding opportunities for economic development, infrastructure, healthcare and educational projects as example. In addition, I am pleased to provide a Letter of Support for grant application projects in the 7th Congressional District of Alabama. Please let us know when grants are awarded, especially if you found the opportunities in the *Guide to Grants*.

For more information, please visit the website at <http://sewell.house.gov/> and you can subscribe to *Guide to Grants* at: <http://sewell.house.gov/contact-me/newsletter> or call 202-225-2665. Previous editions of the Guide to Grants are archived at <http://sewell.house.gov/guide-grants>.

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# **CONGRESSWOMAN SEWELL'S STATEMENT IN RECOGNITION OF BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

February 1, 2014

Today, Congresswoman Terri A. Sewell released the following statement in recognition of Black History Month:

“Each year we spend the month of February reflecting on the many contributions African-Americans have made throughout American history. We are given this opportunity not only to celebrate the influence African-Americans have had on our nation but as a time to recommit ourselves to the cause of justice and equality.

I know the journey I now take as Alabama’s first black congresswoman was only possible because of the courage and sacrifices of others. We owe these individuals a debt of gratitude for what their resilience and strength has taught us. I encourage all Americans to celebrate the contributions of African Americans, not just in February, but every day of the year. We must always remember that others sowed the seeds for the harvest we all now reap.”

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# **STATEMENT FROM CONGRESSWOMAN SEWELL ON PASSAGE OF THE 2014 FARM BILL**

January 29, 2014

Congresswoman Terri A. Sewell released the following statement after voting in favor of H.R. 2642, the Agricultural Act of 2014.

“After two years of negotiations to pass a farm bill that meets the needs of both our farmers and those who rely upon nutrition assistance programs, I am pleased that Congress has come to a bipartisan, bicameral agreement on a five-year farm bill. While not a perfect bill, it does represent a compromise that broadens access to irrigation, promotes our catfish industry and strengthens rural infrastructure.

While I am disappointed that this legislation doesn’t invest new resources in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), I voted for this bill because it strikes a compromise that provides a 5 year agreement that gives our farmers and consumers the certainty they deserve. It is my hope that the compromise reached on the farm bill is reflective of the bipartisan work to come out of Congress this year.”

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## Section I ACCESSING & REGISTERING FOR GRANT INFORMATION

- Grants and Federal Domestic Assistance - Guidance and key resources to help eligible constituents find information on federal grants, loans, and nonfinancial assistance for projects, as well as on private funding. Prepared by the Congressional Research Service for Members of Congress, updated May 2012.  
Website: <http://sewell.house.gov/grant-information/>
- A federal grant is an award of financial assistance from a federal agency to a recipient to carry out a public purpose of support or stimulation authorized by a law of the United States. Federal grants are not federal assistance or loans to individuals. A federal grant may not be used to acquire property or services for the federal government's direct benefit. The 26 federal agencies offer over 1,000 grant programs annually in various categories. Website: <http://www07.grants.gov/aboutgrants/grants.jsp>
- To learn about Federal grant opportunities, register your organization and receive notices, please visit [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov). It is the resource for all Federal grants.
- To apply for Federal Grants: [http://www.grants.gov/applicants/apply\\_for\\_grants.jsp](http://www.grants.gov/applicants/apply_for_grants.jsp)
- [Grants.gov Applicant Training Video](#) - Need a quick lesson on how to Register, Find and Apply? Watch this short video to get tips on registering with Grants.gov; finding grant opportunities; understanding your search results; and, applying for opportunities.
- To learn about foundation grant opportunities, please visit <http://foundationcenter.org/>. The Foundation Center is a gateway to information about private funding sources and provides guidelines about how to write a grant proposal. It also provides links to state libraries with grants reference collections, and links to other useful Internet websites.

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## Section II PROGRAM FUNDING THROUGH FEDERAL AGENCIES

### National Endowment for the Arts

**Program:** **National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Awards**

**Description:** The President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, in partnership with NEH, the National Endowment for the Arts, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services, is inviting applications for the 2014 National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Awards. The twelve award-winning programs will receive \$10,000 and an invitation to accept their award from First Lady Michelle Obama at a ceremony at the White House. After-school and out-of-school time arts and humanities programs sponsored by museums, libraries, performing arts organizations; educational institutions (e.g., preschools; elementary, middle, and high schools; universities; and colleges), arts centers, community service organizations, businesses, and eligible government entities are encouraged

to consider submitting an application. The deadline for application submissions is Monday, February 10, 2014, 5:00 p.m. PST.

**Website:** [www.nahyp.org](http://www.nahyp.org)

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## **Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration**

**Program:** **NEW - Drug-Free Communities Program**

**Description:** The DFC Support Program has two goals: 1. Establish and strengthen collaboration among communities, public and private non-profit agencies; as well as federal, state, local, and tribal governments to support the efforts of community coalitions working to prevent and reduce substance use among youth. 2. Reduce substance use among youth and, over time, reduce substance abuse among adults by addressing the factors in a community that increase the risk of substance abuse and promoting the factors that minimize the risk of substance abuse.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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## **U.S. Department of Agriculture**

**Program:** **NEW- Conservation Innovation Grants**

**Description:** USDA-NRCS-NHQ-14-01- Environmental Quality and Incentives - Natural Resources Conservation Service

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250998>

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**Program:** **NEW - Higher Education Challenge Grants Program**

**Description:** Projects will: (1) address a State, regional, national, or international educational need; (2) involve a creative or non-traditional approach toward addressing that need that can serve as a model to others; (3) encourage and facilitate better working relationships in the university science and education community, as well as between universities and the private sector, to enhance program quality and supplement available resources; and (4) result in benefits that will likely transcend the project duration and USDA support.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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**Program:** **NEW - Secondary Education, Two-Year Postsecondary Education, and Agriculture in the K-12 Classroom Challenge Grants Program**

**Description:** The deadline is April 3, 2014. Applications should promote and strengthen agriscience and agribusiness education.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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## **U.S. Department of Health and Human Service**

**Program:** **NEW - Bioengineering Research Partnerships (BRP) R01**

**Description:** Awards will focus on supporting multidisciplinary teams that apply an integrative, quantitative bioengineering approach to developing these technologies and engage biomedical researchers or clinicians throughout the project.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250996>

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**Program:** **NEW - Small Business Innovation Research Grant Applications**

**Description:** This Funding Opportunity Announcement invites eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) to submit Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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**Program:** **NEW - Community Health Projects Related to Contamination at Brownfield/Land Reuse Sites**

**Description:** These projects will identify, address, and improve public health ensuring that in redeveloping Brownfield/Land Reuse sites, particular attention is paid to identifying and addressing health issues prior to redevelopment and assessing changes in community health associated with reuse plans and redevelopment.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250158>

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## **U.S. Department of the Interior**

**Program:** **NEW - Tribal Heritage Grants**

**Description:** These grants assist Indian Tribes, Alaskan Natives, and Native Hawaiian Organizations in protecting and promoting their unique cultural heritage and traditions.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251013>

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## **U.S. Department of Justice**

**Program:** **NEW - NIJ FY 14 Optimizing the Use of Video Technology to Improve Criminal Justice Outcomes**

**Description:** NIJ is most interested in receiving proposals involving the integration of video technology into policing strategies, most particularly those involving quantitative data analysis methods. NIJ will also consider proposals dealing with criminal courts and correctional environments.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251023>

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**Program:** **NEW - BJA FY 14 Second Chance Act Reentry Program for Adult Offenders with Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Health Disorders**

**Description:** The Second Chance Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-199) provides a comprehensive response to the increasing number of incarcerated adults and juveniles who are released from prison, jail, and juvenile residential facilities and returning to communities.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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**Program:** **NEW - BJA FY 14 Adult Drug Court Discretionary Grant Program**

**Description:** BJA is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2014 grants to establish new drug courts or enhance existing drug court services, coordination, and offender management and recovery support services

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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**Program:** **NEW - OVW FY 2014 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program**



**Description:** The Campus Program encourages a comprehensive coordinated community approach that enhances victim safety, provides services for victims and supports efforts to hold offenders accountable. The funding supports activities that develop and strengthen services for sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking victims.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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## **U.S. Department of State**

**Program:** **NEW - FY 2014 American Youth Leadership Program**

**Description:** The award recipients will recruit and select participants from the United States and provide them with a three- to four-week exchange program in select countries abroad focused on dialogue and debate, leadership development, and community service.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250993>

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**Program:** **NEW - FY 2014 Community Solutions Program**

**Description:** Created in 2010 the Community Solutions Program supports and encourages initiatives organized by young civic and community leaders, ages 25-38, working to address the economic, environmental, political, and social challenges confronting their respective local communities. Through four- to six-month professional fellowships with a specific leadership component, Community Solutions will provide opportunities for eligible individuals to more effectively address issues of concern in their own towns, cities and regions.

**Website:**

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**Program:** **NEW - FY 2014 Sports Visitor and Sports Envoy Program  
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs**

**Description:** Public and private non-profit organizations meeting the provisions described in Internal Revenue Code section 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3) may submit proposals to implement short term, high visibility sports visitor exchanges and sports envoy programs for underserved youth coaches and sports administrators.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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## **U.S. Environmental Protection Agency**

**Program:** **NEW - Fiscal Year 2014 Pollution Prevention Grant Program**

**Description:** EPA releases Pollution Prevention (P2) grant funds to states and tribal government entities to deliver technical assistance and training to businesses.

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250337>

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### **Section IV PROGRAM FUNDING THROUGH PRIVATE, CORPORATE & COMMUNITY FOUNDATIONS**

**Program:** **NEW - Mary Kay Foundation Accepting Applications for 2014 Domestic Violence Shelter Grant Program**

**Description:** The goal of the Mary Kay Foundation is to eliminate domestic violence. To that end, the foundation makes grants to organizations in the United States that assist survivors of domestic violence by operating emergency shelters.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4492-mary-kay-foundation-accepting-applications-for-2014-domestic-violence-shelter-grant-program>

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**Program:** **NEW - Louisville Institute Invites Academic and Pastoral Researchers to Apply for Sabbatical Grants Program**

**Description:** The program supports year-long sabbatical research and writing projects that will advance religious and theological scholarship in ways that also address practical issues concerning Christian faith and life, pastoral leadership, and/or religious institutions.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4481-louisville-institute-invites-academic-and-pastoral-researchers-to-apply-for-sabbatical-grants-program>

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**Program:** **NEW - Fisher House Foundation Seeks Proposals for 2014 Newman's Own Awards to Support Service Members and Their Families**

**Description:** Grants of up to \$50,000 will be awarded in recognition of the most innovative ideas to improve the quality of life of veterans and active duty, Reserve, and National Guard service members and their families facing the stress of long deployments and separation and/or the long-term effects associated with service.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4491-fisher-house-foundation-seeks-proposals-for-2014-newman-s-own-awards-to-support-service-members-and-their-families>

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**Program:** **NEW - Citizens' Institute on Rural Design Invites Proposals for Rural Communities Facing Design Challenges**

**Description:** CIRD's workshop program brings together local leaders, nonprofits, and community organizations with a team of specialists in design, planning, and creative place making to address challenges such as strengthening local economies, enhancing rural character, leveraging cultural assets, and designing efficient housing and transportation systems.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4495-citizens-institute-on-rural-design-invites-proposals-for-rural-communities-facing-design-challenges>

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**Program:** **NEW - Keep America Beautiful Accepting Applications for 2014 Coca-Cola/KAB Recycling Bin Grant**

**Description:** Keep America Beautiful, in partnership with the Coca-Cola Foundation, is accepting applications for the 2014 Coca-Cola/KAB Recycling Bin Grant Program, an initiative designed to expand and support recycling in communities across America.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4485-keep-america-beautiful-accepting-applications-for-2014-coca-cola-kab-recycling-bin-grant>

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**Program:** **NEW - Eco-Tech Grants**

**Description:** Sixteen (16) \$2500 grants will be awarded to schools or non-profits organizations for the purpose of engaging children in inquiry-based projects in STEM fields (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) that use innovation, biomimicry / nature-based design, or new uses for technology to address environmental problems in their communities. Application opens January 15, 2014 with rolling deadline through May 31, 2014 (as funds allow).

**Website:** <http://eeinalabama.org/resource/about.aspx?s=112625.0.0.37934>

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**Program:** **NEW - Home Depot Accepting Applications for Historically Black Colleges and Universities Improvement Grant Program**

**Description:** Home Depot's Retool Your School Campus Improvement program provides grants through a two-tier structure for campus and facility improvements at historically black colleges and universities.

**Website:** <http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/rfps/rfp4446-home-depot-accepting-applications-for-historically-black-colleges-and-universities-improvement-grant-program>

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**Program:** **NEW - Adopt-A-Classroom Educational Grants**

**Description:** Public school teachers who register their classroom at the Adopt-a-Classroom website can be adopted by an individual, a business or a foundation. Once adopted, teachers will receive credit to purchase items that enrich the learning environment, including classroom technology.

**Website:** <http://eeinalabama.org/resource/about.aspx?s=97216.0.0.37934>

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#### Section IV FELLOWSHIPS / SCHOLARSHIPS / FINANCIAL AID

**NEW - NIJ Graduate Research Fellowship Program in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics**

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251021>

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**NEW - Minority Fellowship Program**

**Website:** <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

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**College Professor Fellowships and Awards Available through NEA**

<a href="#">Awards for Faculty at Hispanic-Serving Institutions</a>	April 15, 2014	Division of Research Programs
<a href="#">Awards for Faculty at Historically Black Colleges and Universities</a>	April 15, 2014	Division of Research Programs
<a href="#">Awards for Faculty at Tribal Colleges and Universities</a>	April 15, 2014	Division of Research Programs
<a href="#">Fellowships</a>	May 1, 2014	Division of Research Programs
<a href="#">Preservation and Access Education and Training</a>	May 1,	Division of Preservation and

	2014	Access
<a href="#">Fellowships for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan</a>	May 1, 2014	Division of Research Programs

### **HBCU Scholarship Directory**

Website: <http://hbcuconnect.com/scholarships/>

### **Alabama's Scholarship and Grant Programs**

Website: <http://www.collegescholarships.org/states/alabama.htm>

**Scholarship Experts Website:** <http://scholarshipexperts.com>

**Fast Web Website:** <http://www.fastweb.com/>

### ***Don't Let Your Bank Account Go Down South!***

Alabama supports a variety of need-based, and merit-based, scholarships and grants for its resident students.

### **General Scholarships and Grants from the state of Alabama:**

Alabama provides a wide range of scholarships and grants for its resident college-bound students. These awards may be based on merit or need, or a combination of the two. As always, programs are subject to change depending on the availability of funding.

The following examples should demonstrate the scope of Alabama's financial aid programs as administered by either the Alabama Commission on Higher Education or the Southeast Alabama Community Foundation.

- The [Alabama Student Assistance Program](#) provides need-based grants for undergraduate students enrolled in an accredited state college or university. Students must be Alabama residents. Award amounts range from \$300 to \$2500.
- The [Alabama Student Grant Program](#) offers grant awards to eligible students enrolled at least part-time in a participating independent Alabama college or university. This is a merit-based grant program, and is only open to undergraduate students. Eligible students may receive up to \$1200 per academic year subject to the availability of state funds.
- The [Alabama Junior and Community College Athletic Scholarship Program](#) provides scholarship funds to full-time students enrolled at an Alabama public junior or community college. Awards are based on demonstrated athletic ability as determined by trials. The scholarship offers awards up to the full cost of tuition, less any other financial aid already received.
- The [Alabama Junior and Community College Performing Arts Scholarship](#) is a merit-based award available to full-time students enrolled in a performing arts program at an

Alabama public junior or community college. Awards are determined by audition, and may not exceed the full cost of tuition less any other financial aid already received.

**FAFSA** - Free Application for Federal Student Aid  
<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>

**Federal Aid** Website: <http://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/federal-aid/>

**Alabama Scholarships Website:** <http://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-state/alabama-scholarships/>

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## Section V RESOURCES

### Black History Film Series in Alabama – National Endowment for the Humanities



Website for Dates and Times: <http://createdequal.neh.gov/community/film-programs-by-state>

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### Help Spread the Word about IRS Free File

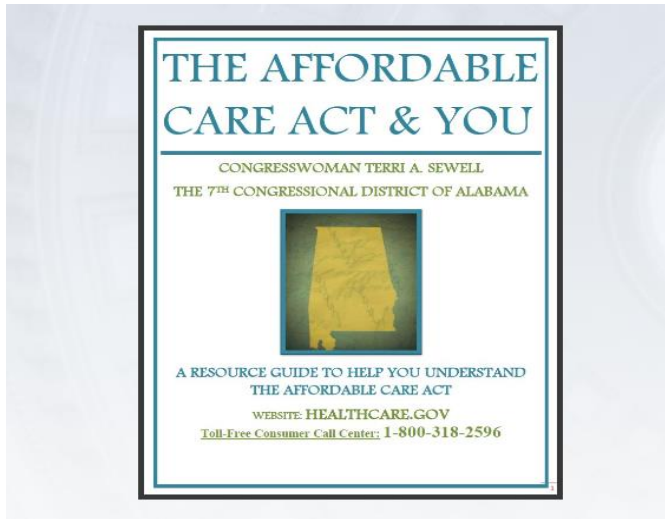
IRS Free File is a unique public-private partnership that makes free federal tax filing available to almost all taxpayers. Fourteen commercial companies make available, for free, their brand-name software for individuals or families who made \$58,000 or less last year. That's 70 percent of taxpayers. For people who made more, there's Free File Fillable Forms. Free File is available only at [IRS.gov/freefile](http://IRS.gov/freefile).

The IRS needs your help to [spread the word](#) about this free tax prep program for your clients, constituents and employees. How can you help? It's easy. Send a Tweet or make a Facebook post; we have [social media calendar](#) of prepared items. Post a tax-day countdown widget on your website. Mention Free File in [email or newsletter](#) messages to employees, customers or clients. Post the [Free File video](#) or a [how-to Infographic](#).

We have the products you need at [freefile.irs.gov/partners](http://freefile.irs.gov/partners). Free File is available January 17 through October 15.

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Website: <http://sewell.house.gov/the-aca-you/>

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## Alabama

Health Insurance Marketplace - [HealthCare.Gov](http://HealthCare.Gov) is the Health Insurance Marketplace for Alabama. Consumers can apply as early as October 1, 2013. Visit [HealthCare.Gov](http://HealthCare.Gov) to learn more.

Find out where the uninsured live in Alabama: [Enroll America's Outreach Maps](#)

The new Alabama Health Insurance Marketplace is operated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). Visit [marketplace.cms.gov](http://marketplace.cms.gov) to see how you can partner with HHS to help people enroll in the new coverage options in Alabama.

See more at: <http://www.enrollamerica.org/states/alabama#sthash.uT0mDsbB.dpuf>

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## Resources for Teachers

NEH's lesson plan clearinghouse, [EDSITEment.neh.gov](http://EDSITEment.neh.gov), offers hundreds of lesson plans for K-12 teachers, resources for parents, and activities for students. Teachers can find a number of Black History Month lessons and resources here: <http://edsitement.neh.gov/> and [here](#).

NEH teamed up with National History Day to have experts give advice to students competing in History Day competitions across the country. The video Q/A sessions are available [here](#).

Students can enter the contest and compete locally, regionally, and nationally. NEH sponsors a number of prizes, including a special prize ([more info here](#)) for students who use newspapers

from the Chronicling America archive.

K-12 teachers, 2 year and 4 year college faculty, and other educators have until **March 4th** to apply to attend NEH-funded summer seminars and institutes. A full list of opportunities and links to apply is available [here](#).

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## REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSIONS IN ALABAMA

Northwest Alabama Council of Local Governments  
P.O. Box 2603  
Muscle Shoals, Alabama 35662  
Phone: 256.389.0500  
Fax: 256.389.0599  
Executive Director: Keith Jones  
Visit the Web site of Region 1 - <http://nacolg.com/>

West Alabama Regional Commission  
4200 Highway 69 North  
Northport, Alabama 35473-3505  
Phone: 205.333.2990  
Fax: 205.333.2713  
Executive Director: Robert B. Lake  
Visit the Web site of Region 2 - <http://www.warc.info/index.php>

Regional Planning Commission of Greater Birmingham  
1731 First Avenue North, Suite 200  
Birmingham, Alabama 35203  
Phone: 205.251.8139  
Fax: 205.328.3304  
Executive Director: Charles Ball  
Visit the Web site of Region 3 - <http://www.rpcgb.org/>

East Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission  
P.O. Box 2186  
Anniston, Alabama 36202  
Phone: 256.237.6741  
Fax: 256.237.6763  
Executive Director: Bill Curtis  
Visit the Web site of Region 4 - <http://www.earpdc.org/>

South Central Alabama Development Commission  
5900 Carmichael Place  
Montgomery, Alabama 36117  
Phone: 334.244.6903  
Fax: 334.270.0038



Executive Director: Tyson Howard  
Visit the Web site of Region 5 - <http://scadc.state.al.us/>

Alabama-Tombigbee Regional Commission  
107 Broad Street  
Camden, Alabama 36726  
Phone: 334.682.4234  
Fax: 334.682.4205  
Executive Director: John Clyde Riggs  
Visit the Web site of Region 6 - <http://www.alarc.org/atrc/index.htm>

Southeast Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission  
P.O. Box 1406  
Dothan, Alabama 36302  
Phone: 334.794.4093  
Fax: 334.794.3288  
Executive Director: Thomas B. Solomon  
Visit the Web site of Region 7 - <http://www.sanman.net/searpc/searpc.htm>

South Alabama Regional Planning Commission  
P.O. Box 1665  
Mobile, Alabama 36633  
Phone: 251.433.6541  
Fax: 251.433.6009  
Executive Director: Russ Wimberly  
Visit the Web site of Region 8 - <http://www.sarpc.org/>

Central Alabama Regional Planning Development Commission  
125 Washington Avenue  
Montgomery, Alabama 36104  
Phone: 334.262.4300  
Fax: 334.262.6976  
Visit the Web site of Region 9 - <http://www.carpdc.com/>

Lee-Russell Council of Governments  
2207 Gateway Drive  
Opelika, Alabama 36801  
Phone: 334.749.5264  
Fax: 334.749.6582  
Executive Director: Suzanne G. Burnette  
Visit the Web site of Region 10 - <http://www.lrcog.com/>

North-Central Alabama Regional Council of Governments  
P.O. Box C

Decatur, Alabama 35601  
Phone: 256.355.4515  
Fax: 256.351.1380  
Executive Director: C. Ronald Matthews  
Visit the Web site of Region 11 - <http://www.narcog.org/>

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5075 Research Drive, NW  
Huntsville, Alabama 35805-5912  
Phone: 256.830.0818  
Fax: 256.830.0843  
Executive Director: Robert B. Culver  
Visit the Web site of Region 12 - <http://www.tarcog.org/>

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## COMMUNITY FOUNDATIONS IN ALABAMA

Website: <http://alabamagiving.org/cf-directory/>

Autauga Area Community Foundation  
c/o Central Alabama Community Foundation, Inc.  
434 N. McDonough Street  
Montgomery, AL 36104  
Phone: 334-264-6223  
Website: [www.aacinfo.org](http://www.aacinfo.org)

The Community Foundation of South Alabama  
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P.O. Box 990  
Mobile, AL 36601  
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Website: [www.communityendowment.com](http://www.communityendowment.com)

Black Belt Community Foundation  
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Website: <http://blackbeltfound.org/>

The Greater Brewton Foundation  
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Community Foundation of Northeast Alabama  
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Website: <http://www.yourcommunityfirst.org/>

Central Alabama Community Foundation, Inc.  
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Website: <http://www.cacinfo.org>

Elmore County Community Foundation  
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Website: <http://www.foundationbirmingham.org>

The Community Foundation of Greater Decatur  
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Decatur, AL 35602  
Phone: 256-353-5312  
Website: [www.cfogd.org](http://www.cfogd.org)

The Community Foundation of Huntsville/Madison County  
659 Gallatin Street  
Huntsville, AL 35801  
Phone: 256-564-7430  
Website: <http://www.communityfoundationhsv.org/>

Limestone Area Community Foundation, Inc.  
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Riverbend Community Foundation  
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Florence, AL 35630  
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Shelby County Community Health Foundation  
Shelby Baptist Medical Center  
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Alabaster, AL 35007  
Phone: (205)669-3737

Southeast Alabama Community Foundation

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Website: [www.sacfinfo.org](http://www.sacfinfo.org)

Community Foundation of West Alabama  
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Tuscaloosa, AL 35403  
Telephone: 205-366-0698, Fax 205-366-0813  
Website: <http://thecfwa.org/>

Walker Area Community Foundation  
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Jasper, AL 35502-0171  
Telephone: 205-302-0001, Fax: (205) 302-0424  
Website: <http://www.wacf.org>