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## <u>Pipeline Safety Grant Opportunity and New Resources for Counties.</u>

The U.S. Department of Transportation, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) is now accepting applications for the 2015 Technical Assistance Grants (TAG) for communities or impacted stakeholders seeking engineering, or other scientific analysis of issues relating to pipeline infrastructure. Governmental entities or non-profit groups may qualify for a grant of up to \$100,000 per year. Applicants must be local communities or groups of individuals relating to the safety of pipeline facilities in local communities. 'Communities' are defined as cities, towns, villages, counties, parishes, townships, and similar governmental subdivisions or consortia of such subdivisions. For-profit entities are not eligible.

The announcement can be found by using the "SEARCH GRANTS" tab at Grants.gov.

Search by Funding Opportunity Number DTPH5615SN0002.

The closing date for applications is April 22, 2015.

For more information, or to apply for a grant, please contact Karen Lynch at karen.lynch@dot.gov.

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