



# Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness (MVP) Program

**93%** OF MA COMMUNITIES ENROLLED IN THE MVP PROGRAM

**~\$65 MILLION** AWARDED FOR CLIMATE RESILIENCE ACROSS THE COMMONWEALTH

MORE THAN **230** ACTION GRANTS ONGOING OR COMPLETED

**\$310,000** AVERAGE ACTION GRANT AWARD IN LATEST ROUND

The MVP Program is a partnership between the state and local communities to build climate resilience through grant-funded projects. Communities start with a planning grant, become an MVP-certified community, and then are eligible for action grant funding.

## GRANT TYPES

**PLANNING GRANTS**  
Who's eligible: All municipalities seeking MVP designation  
Amount: \$15,000 - \$100,000  
Eligible projects: Awarded communities will hire a certified MVP provider and complete the Community Resilience Building process to:

- Engage a diverse group of local stakeholders
- Identify local strengths and vulnerabilities related to climate change
- Create a list of prioritized actions

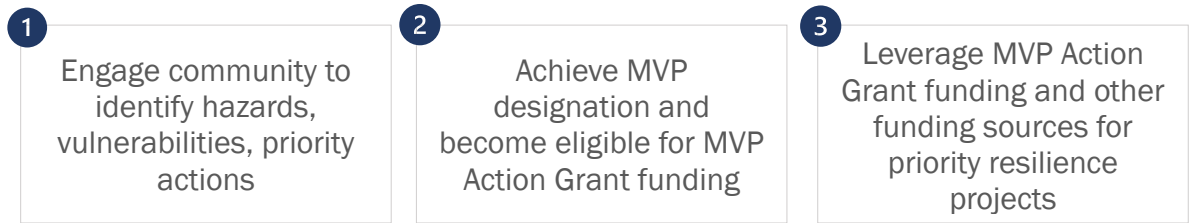
Next application round: Request for Responses available Fall 2021 on CommBuys.com

**ACTION GRANTS**  
Who's eligible: MVP-designated communities  
Amount: Up to \$2M for community-scale proposals, \$5M for regional proposals (25% local match required)  
Eligible projects: Implementation of priority actions identified through Community Resilience Building process. Project types include:

- Planning, Assessments, Capacity-Building, and Regulatory Updates
- Design and Permitting
- Construction and On-the-Ground Implementation

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## PROCESS



Launch the Climate Grant viewer to see communities participating in both MVP Planning and MVP Action Grants. You can search by grant type, award year, and more. Visit: [resilientma.org/mvp](https://resilientma.org/mvp)

