

JAG Grant Quick Facts:

- **All applications are due by 8:00pm Eastern Time on May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009**
- *Applicants must be submitted through OJP's online Grants Management System (GMS).*
- **Applicants should begin the process immediately to meet the GMS registration deadline**; especially if it's the first time they have used the system. Each application requires a separate GMS registration. The registration process for an organization includes: (1) **obtaining a Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number**; (2) **Registering your organization with the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database**; and (3) **Registering with GMS prior to applying. The deadline to register is 8:00pm Eastern Time on May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009.**
- **A DUNS number is required! Obtaining a DUNS number is a free, simple, one-time activity. Obtain one by calling 866-705-5711 or by applying online.**
- **Central Contractor Registration (CCR) is required.** Organizations that have previously submitted applications via Grants.Gov are already registered with CCR. Applicants must update or renew their CCR registration at least once per year to maintain an active status.
- **Again, the due date for applying for funding under this announcement is 8:00pm Eastern Time on May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009.**
- **Some departments will have to work together with multiple departments or governments in their areas to receive their monies. They will have to submit one application. Their jurisdictions are certified as disparate and must identify a fiscal agent that will submit a joint application for the total eligible allocation.** The joint application must specify award distribution to each unit of local government and the purposes for which the funds will be used. Then beginning the JAG application process, a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that identifies which jurisdiction will serve as the applicant/fiscal agent for joint funds, must be completed, and signed by the Authorized Representative for each participating jurisdiction. (see online for more information)
- Awards are made in the first fiscal year of the appropriation and may be expended during the following three years, for a total of 4 grant period years.