EPA Announces Grants to Support Recycling Infrastructure

This week, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) <u>announced</u> the availability of \$100 million in grants for recycling infrastructure and recycling education and outreach projects across the country. EPA has published two Requests for Applications (RFAs) for new <u>recycling infrastructure</u> <u>grants</u> and <u>education and outreach grants</u> totaling \$70 million. EPA also announced a new grant program for states and territories totaling \$30 million.

The new grant programs support improvements to local waste management systems and recycling education and outreach, meeting Congress' goal to create a stronger, more resilient, and cost-effective U.S. municipal solid waste recycling system. These grants are funded by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, which invested \$375 million in funding for new recycling, reuse and waste prevention program.