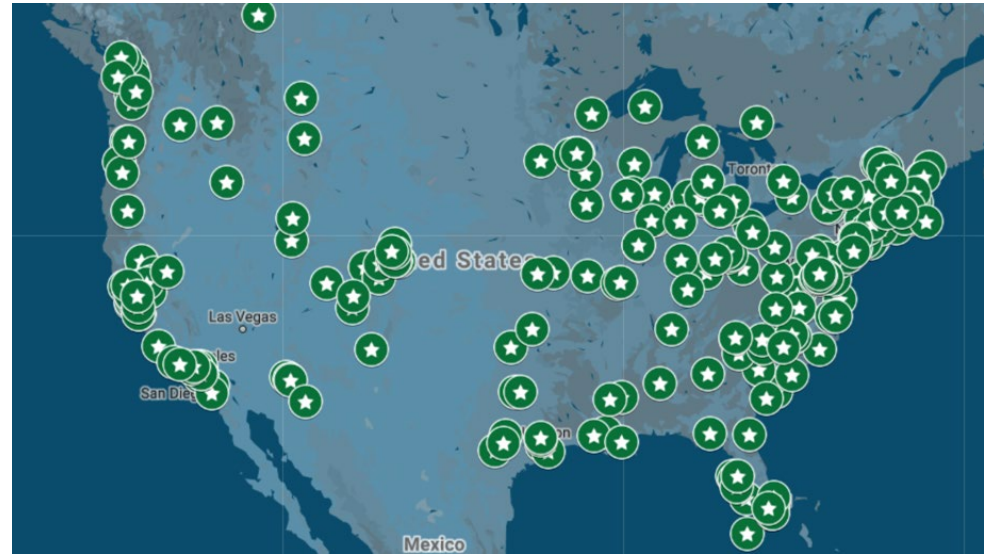
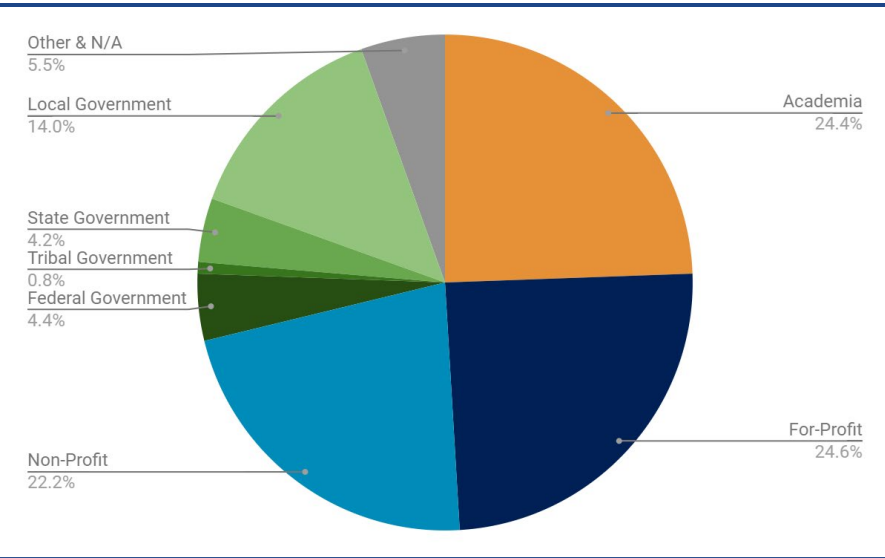


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10:30 am	Welcome and Orientation
10:35 am	Introduction to Community Resilience Centers (CRCs)
10:45 am	4 Principles for Equitable Community Engagement
11:00 am	Skills to support co-development of CRC goals
11:45 am	Group Reflections & Wrap Up
12:00 pm	End



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Funding, Finance, and Programming Options for your Community Resilience Center

This section is designed to support the implementation of your Community Resilience Center recommendations report by providing grounding principles, tailored funding and finance options, and programming ideas. Use this information to keep conversations and action moving forward for your CRC.

General principles for maximizing opportunities to access funding and finance:

- Use multi-scale, cross-sector partnerships to increase project capacity: consider collaborating with other library sites or community institutions.
- Get buy-in from community and government leaders in positions of power: for libraries, this will likely be elected public officials who dictate the library budget.

CRC Programming Options

You likely have many ideas already for expanding current programming to meet your CRC needs. This list provides ideas and resources for aligning current programming with climate resilience needs or developing new programming to reach your CRC goals, both during emergencies and on an ongoing basis.

- Community engagement in building and site upgrades (e.g. guiding values and community priorities, design input, workforce development/training, education about upgrades, volunteer opportunities to support upgrades)

Funding and Finance Options

There are many funding and finance opportunities available to support continued planning and implementation of your CRC goals. Below are sample opportunities that may apply across many BayREN Resilient Libraries Network Initiative sites. While these are organized by activity type, some of the opportunities may be relevant to more than one type of activity. For example, the Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) program. Resilience Funding and Finance experts will work with you and your CRC team to tailor this chart for your CRC site based on your goals and critical needs.

Category	Program Name	Funder	Timeline	Project Eligibility	Entity Eligibility	Partners to Engage	Cost share?	Notes
Overall (focused on planning and implementation for CRCs)	Community Resilience Centers Program	Strategic Growth Council	First round applications due August 25th, 2023	Program provides pre-development, planning and implementation grants for Community Resilience Centers				
Capacity-Building	Community Development Block Grants	CA Dept of Housing and Urban Development		Community development: housing, public improvements (i.e. water/wastewater systems), community facilities (including community centers), public services, planning and technical assistance (PTA), Native American				

Suggested initial next steps

Here are some suggested initial next steps and final tips for moving forward with seeking funding and finance to continue planning, and ultimately standing up, your CRC.

- Sign up for Notices of Funding Opportunity (NOFOs) from the federal and state agencies listed above so that you don't miss any announcements. If you miss this year's deadline, put it on the calendar for next year.
- Be ready to respond to NOFOs by planning your projects in advance. Figure out

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- Pre-meeting prep
- TA meeting
 - Review/discuss critical needs chart and priority activity categories
 - Review/discuss select funding and finance options (partners, barriers, potential next steps)
- Post-meeting follow-up
 - Tailored Funding and Finance Options Summary

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