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Governor's Crime Commission Monthly Newsletter

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## New Application Cycle Opened Dec. 1

Applications for the upcoming grant cycle are currently open. We encourage nonprofit and governmental agencies to apply. Applications close on January 31st. Review the RFAs and necessary information [here](#).

Byrne-JAG | CJA | Juvenile Justice/Title II |  
VAWA | VOCA

## FEMA deadline extended

FEMA Public Assistance is a direct grant program for both government and nonprofits that focuses on facility restoration to include debris removal, repair and future hazard mitigation. Application deadline was extended to January 7, 2025. More information is available [here](#).

## North Carolina Tech Resource Finder

On December 17, 2024, Governor Cooper launched the state's [Tech Resource Finder](#). This website provides resources that help North Carolinians use the internet; find public computers and Wi-Fi; and access technical support and digital skills classes across the state. The [Division of Broadband and Digital Equity](#) from NCDIT collected information on organizations in NC that provide these services. The hope is that North Carolinians can use the growing digital economy to work, learn, access telehealth and connect with others.



## COPS Organizational Assessment

The United States Department of Justice Community Oriented Policing Services is a technical assistance program that serves as a connection between law enforcement and the DOJ. The program assists law enforcement in being impartial and effective in the communities they serve. Use this [link](#) to find out more about the program and to apply.

## Holiday Scam Jam

With holiday scams looming, this [video](#) provides tips on how to spot, prevent and report scams. Secretary of State Elaine Marshall, Governor-Elect Josh Stein and Insurance Commissioner Mike Causey created the video in partnership with AARP NC.

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