

ESRI and Trimble 2009 Mobile Government Grants



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ESRI and Trimble Announce the Launch of the 2009 Mobile Government Grants

ESRI, the world leader in geographic information system (GIS) software, and Trimble, the world leader in Global Positioning Systems (GPS), have announced the **2009 Mobile Government Grants**. There are two types of grants, **Mobile Standard** and **Mobile Advanced**, which will award hardware, software, and training totaling a value of \$89,980 to 20 state and local government agencies.

The goal of these grants is to foster innovative approaches to solving government problems through the combined use of GIS, GPS, wireless, and server technology. Projects must demonstrate increased efficiencies in collecting data for decision support or increased productivity in delivering government services.

Applications for the ESRI and Trimble 2009 Mobile Government Grants will be accepted beginning September 8, 2009. **The official deadline for all submissions is 5:00 p.m., Pacific time, November 20, 2009.** Awards will be announced December 18, 2009.

To learn more about the ESRI and Trimble Mobile Government Grants, please visit www.esri.com/govgrants.

Comments from Past Grant Recipients

"We feel that our mobile mapping project was a great success. The grant enabled us to increase our productivity and gave us additional tools to better quality control the data capture. Our staff also gained important experience in building the browser to view the data across the District 7 intranet. We are excited with the opportunity to build a scalable solution to our geospatial needs and are grateful for the opportunity to have been selected for the grant."

Jay Satalich, Caltrans District 11, California

"Deploying GIS technology into the mobile environment can bring great benefit to my organization. We plan to move forward utilizing GIS mobile applications with ArcGIS Server in other areas throughout the village by developing user-defined forms and mapping applications to meet different business needs."

Heena Lee, Village of Algonquin, Illinois



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