

2024 FEMA Port Security Grant Program

FEMA 2024 Port Security Grant (PSGP)

- This grant provides funding to state, local and private-sector partners to help protect critical port infrastructure from terrorism, enhance maritime domain awareness, improve port-wide maritime security risk management, and maintain or reestablish maritime security mitigation protocols that support port recovery and resiliency capabilities.
- 2024 PSGP focused on putting vessels on the water.
- Coast Guard recruiting is down causing redeployment of resources.
- Two Rivers Coast Guard Station no longer staffed.
- Coast Guard responding from Sheboygan or Sturgeon Bay when requested.



- Grant application due June 24, 2024
- Anticipated award date 9-30-2024
- Performance period 9-30-2024 through 8-31-2027
- PSGP has a cost match component.
 - Federal 75%
 - Local/City 25%
- Project total cost \$813,644.
- Anticipated City investment \$203,411

MFRD Current Vessels



2006 Angler 22'



2016 Wing Inflatable 15.5'

Manitowoc's Lake and River Corridor



- Effective maritime emergency response and security relies on seamless coordination between multiple agencies, including local law enforcement, neighboring community agencies, Coast Guard, and federal agencies.
- The requested asset with increase interoperability between multiple agencies by providing a platform to mount a cohesive response to emergency and security incidents.



- Near identical vessel as Manitowoc specification.
- Greatly enhances MFRD's maritime capabilities to respond to water emergencies in the port and outside of the breakwaters.