

be used for the acquisition and installation of security equipment on real property owned or leased by the nonprofit organization, specifically in prevention of or protection against the risk of a terrorist attack.

State Grant Program. Since 2015, California has augmented the federal grant program with state funds through the CSNSGP, including \$76 million for grants and \$4 million for OES administrative costs in the Budget Act of 2026, available for encumbrance or expenditure until June 30, 2028. CSNSGP funding supports target hardening and other security enhancements to nonprofit organizations that are at high risk for violent attacks and hate crimes due to ideology, beliefs, or mission. Grant awards may be distributed to an applicant for security enhancements, such as security guards, reinforced doors and gates, high-intensity lighting and alarms, and security training. This bill adds security for onsite or offsite events hosted by a nonprofit organization as an allowable use of grant funds.

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