



WEEK 4: TRUMP'S FUNDING FREEZE CONTINUES

HUNDREDS OF BILLIONS OF DOLLARS OWED TO COMMUNITIES STILL IN JEOPARDY

In his fourth week in office, President Trump has continued to block *hundreds of billions of dollars* in enacted funding from making its way out to families and communities across America who are counting on investments that have been enacted into law.

In a statement, U.S. Senator Patty Murray (D-WA), Vice Chair of the Senate Appropriations Committee, said:

“Another week has gone by, and the president continues to illegally block hundreds of billions of dollars from making it out to workers, families, and communities across America.

“Little has been done by this administration over the last week to restore investments people in red and blue states are counting on, and it’s workers, families, and businesses that are feeling the consequences.

“With each day that passes, the uncertain fate of these investments takes a toll of its own: ever-growing anxiety for workers whose jobs are in jeopardy, for farmers eyeing the calendar and waiting on resources they’re owed, and for business owners worried a ripped-up contract might put them under.

“It’s time this devastating funding freeze ends and Donald Trump and Elon Musk restore funding owed to hard-working Americans in every part of the country.”

A table of estimated funding in jeopardy is below:

While the extent of Trump’s funding freeze remains uncertain as his administration refuses to clarify what is blocked, here is a ***non-exhaustive*** overview of what is frozen by Trump’s actions and in jeopardy.

Trump Action	Relevant Agencies	Select Examples of Affected Programs	Funding in Jeopardy*
Executive Order Freezing IIJA & IRA Funding (EO 14154)	Department of Commerce	High-speed broadband deployment.	\$40+ billion
	Department of Energy	Efforts to build and upgrade America's energy infrastructure, lower costs for consumers.	\$98 billion
	Department of Housing and Urban Development	Grants and loans to improve resiliency and energy efficiency of affordable housing.	\$985+ million
	Department of the Interior	Tribal electrification, hazardous fuel reduction, National Parks maintenance and staffing, & more.	\$20+ billion
	Department of Transportation	Funding to upgrade roads, bridges, transit, & more.	\$70+ billion
	EPA	Funds for clean water infrastructure, tackling pollution, Superfund sites, & more.	\$100+ billion
	Forest Service	Wildfire risk reduction, ecosystem restoration, & more.	\$10+ billion
	NOAA	Funding for flood inundation mapping, coastal resilience projects, habitat restoration, ocean observations, fisheries management, & more.	\$1.5 billion
	USDA	Grants for producers and rural small businesses to finance renewable energy projects, for farmers to improve climate resiliency, for watershed protection and flood prevention, rural broadband, & more.	\$25 billion

**Funding in Jeopardy: This reflects our best understanding, as of Saturday morning, February 15, of what funding is being illegally withheld. The administration has failed to provide clear answers, and the actual number could be higher. This lack of transparency and responsiveness to Congress, and thus the American people, is without precedent.*

Trump Action	Relevant Agencies	Select Examples of Affected Programs	Funding in Jeopardy*
Executive Order Blocking All Foreign Assistance (EO 14169)	Department of State & USAID	Life-saving aid, funding to monitor and prevent the spread of infectious diseases that can reach our shores, counterterrorism programs, programs to give U.S. businesses an edge over Chinese and other companies in foreign markets, funds owed to U.S. businesses for services rendered, & more.	\$30+ billion
Action to Block Funding to NGOs	Department of Homeland Security	Shelter and Services Program, Citizenship and Integration Grants, and Case Management Pilot Program.	Hundreds of millions
Executive Order Halting Funding for Anything Deemed “DEI” (EO 14151)	All agencies	Any programs or expenditures the administration deems “woke.” Organizations nationwide are receiving vague “guidance” that funding can’t be spent on DEI without any actual direction on what that means.	Scope unknown. The administration has provided little to no clarity over what programs it is blocking (or will block) funding for under this EO.
NIH Pause	National Institutes of Health	Tens of thousands of NIH grant applications and billions in NIH grant funding for lifesaving research across the country are paused.	An estimated \$1 billion in lifesaving research funding has already been prevented from going out the door to institutions in every state since January 20.
Elon Musk & DOGE Actions	All agencies	Open question. Reports confirm DOGE sought access to central payment system to halt disbursements.	???
Other actions	All agencies	Unclear scope.	???
TOTAL			At least \$396 billion

