

FEDERAL GRANT OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE TO UST OWNERS

The [Bipartisan Infrastructure Law](#) and the [Inflation Reduction Act](#) provided significant funding for federal grant programs. Several of these grant programs have goals related to OUST program concerns.

Click [here](#) to view the list of grant opportunities available.

These are nation wide grants from the federal government, so send in your applications early. The main grant for biofuels infrastructure has 500 million available. They haven't set their application due date yet; so they do recommend working on the application right now and then submitting as soon as the application period is announced.

The following information provided by:
EMA-Energy Marketers of America



Due to EMA's Annual Day on the Hill there are no legislative updates today. Look for a full recap next week.

Tired of Delayed IRS Tax Refunds?

Energy Marketers of America (EMA) Announces Member Service Benefit with IRS-Approved E-File Company ThinkTrade to Help Streamline IRS Tax Refunds

Wednesday, May 10, 2023, Washington, D.C. - Today, the Energy Marketers of America (EMA) announced an exclusive member service agreement with ThinkTrade, an IRS authorized e-filing service provider and a BBB accredited company with A+ rating, enabling safe and secured filing for taxpayers. ThinkTrade will grant EMA member companies a 15 percent discount off ThinkTrade's e-filing services through a dedicated landing page to prepare, file and pay federal excise tax returns on IRS Forms 720, 8849 and 2290.

With over two decades of experience serving customers, ThinkTrade has a proven track record of delivering savings and support to trucking companies of all types and sizes when filing federal excise taxes. Energy marketers will also have access to ThinkTrade's dedicated 24/7/365 support team, which provides one point of contact for all e-filing service needs.

EMA President Rob Underwood said, "In these times of IRS delays in processing paper claims, I encourage energy marketers to file IRS tax claims electronically to avoid processing delays. For the last 20 years, ThinkTrade has been helping organizations to simplify and reducing tax filing expenses. We look forward to growing this new relationship and helping our membership to reduce spend on filing taxes required for operations."

"We are pleased to be selected as the preferred e-file provider for Energy Marketers of America and look forward to helping EMA members streamline their tax filings and reduce costs," said Satish Sivaraman, ThinkTrade's Head of Operations.

ThinkTrade will host two webinars to assist EMA members navigate the e-file software on Tuesday, May 16 at 11am EST and Friday, June 16 at 11am EST.

[CLICK HERE](#) to register for the May 16th webinar and [CLICK HERE](#) to register for the June 16 webinar.

For more information about ThinkTrade and EMA's landing page to file taxes, please visit <https://taxexcise.com/ema/>.

WEEKEND READS

[EV Holdouts Growing, Study Shows](#)

[Credit Card Fees Could Cost Consumers Almost \\$800 Million for Mother's Day | Merchants Payments Coalition](#)

[California OKs Advanced Clean Fleet rule; here's a summary of it | FreightWaves](#)

[Americans aren't yet sold on electric cars though Biden is bullish on the vehicles | Washington Examiner](#)

[Oil deals decline — but a big rebound may loom | Axios](#)

[AFPM: EPA vehicle proposal will “effectively ban gasoline and diesel vehicles,” advantaging China | American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers](#)



FEDERATED INSURANCE
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Cyber Security is Everyone's Business
Tuesday, May 16, 2023
1 p.m. CST

WEBINAR

SAVE ME A SEAT

Federated Mutual Insurance Company and its subsidiaries
Not licensed in all states.

Cyber Security is Everyone's Business

Tuesday, May 16, 2023 (1:00 PM CST)

30 minutes | Complimentary | Advance registration required

With 82% of cyber security incidents being the result of human error, security leaders, auditors, and regulators increasingly recognize that a more intentional focus on the human defense side of cyber security is critical to the protection of organizations. At the forefront is creating a cyberaware culture with employees that understand their respective roles and responsibilities in keeping the organization, and themselves, cyber safe.

PLEASE NOTE UPCOMING DATES FOR WPMA EVENTS

June 6-7, 2023 – MPMCSA Montana Convention – Fairmont Hot Springs – Fairmont, MT

June 19-21, 2023 – WIED Washington Convention – Suncadia Lodge, Cle Elum, WA

June 22, 2023 - UPMRA Utah Summer Golf Classic - Davis Park Golf Course - Fruit Heights, UT

July 16-18, 2023 – OFA Oregon Conference – Sunriver Resort – Sunriver, OR

August 2-4, 2023 – IPM&CSA Idaho Convention – Sun Valley Resort – Sun Valley, ID

August 21-23, 2023 - NMPMA New Mexico Convention - Sandia Resort - Albuquerque, NM

October 25-27, 2023 - UPMRA Utah Convention - Hilton Garden Inn - St. George, UT

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS



MONTANA CONVENTION

Click [here](#) to see Schedule of Events for the Montana Convention held June 6-7 at Fairmont Resort in Fairmont, MT.

Choose your attendee type to register: [Attendee](#) or [Exhibitor](#)



WASHINGTON CONVENTION

Click [here](#) to see the schedule of events for the Washington Convention held June 19-21 at Suncadia Resort in Cle Elum, WA.

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UTAH GOLF

Registration for the **UPMRA Summer Golf Classic** held June 22 at Davis Park Golf Course in Fruit Heights.

Breakfast and Range Balls - 6:30 - 7:30 am
Shotgun Start, Scramble Format - 7:30 am
Lunch and Prizes awarded in Clubhouse - 12:30 pm

Click [here](#) to register.



IDAHO CONVENTION

Click [here](#) to to see Schedule of Events for the IPM&CSA Convention held August 2-4 at Sun Valley Resort in Sun Valley, ID.

Choose your attendee type to register: [Attendee](#) or [Exhibitor](#)



OREGON CONFERENCE

Click [here](#) to see the schedule of events for the Oregon Conference held July 16-18 at Sunriver Resort, Sunriver, OR.

Choose this link to register: [Attendee](#)



UTAH CONVENTION

Click [here](#) to to see Schedule of Events for the UPMRA Convention held October 25-27 at the Hilton Garden Inn, St. George, UT.

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