Empowered and Effective Community Solutions

Utilizing Opioid Settlement Funds in Virginia's Municipalities









Appalachian Substance Abuse Coalition Meeting

October 12, 2026

Agenda

- OAA Statewide Update
- VML Cities & Counties: Highlights
- VML Cities & Counties: Current Awards
- Resources & Support
- Questions

OAA Statewide Update

Leadership Transition

Virginia Opioid Abatement Authority Announces Executive Leadership Transition

Cecil “Charlie” Lintecum, currently the OAA’s Director of Operations, has been selected as the Authority’s next Executive Director. J. Adam Rosatelli, currently Director of Finance, has been appointed Deputy Executive Director. Both appointments will take effect Nov. 1, 2026.



Cecil “Charlie” Lintecum



J. Adam Rosatelli

The transition follows the planned retirement of Executive Director Tony McDowell, whose leadership helped establish the OAA as a trusted steward of opioid settlement funds and a valued partner to communities throughout Virginia.

OAA Board of Directors (as of 8/28/2026)

Board structure pursuant to § 2.2-2367, *Code of Virginia*
Consists of 11 members, nine appointed by the Governor (including Secretary of HHR)

Statutory Designation	Board Member	Board Officer
Chair-Senate Finance & Appropriations (ex-officio)	Senator Todd Pillion – designee for Senator Louise Lucas	Chair
Chair-House Appropriations (ex-officio)	Delegate Briana Sewell – designee for Delegate Luke Torian	Vice Chair
Representative-Rural CSB	Ingrid Wallace Barber, Alleghany Highlands Community Services	Treasurer
Representative-Virginia Sheriff's Association	Sheriff Joe Baron, Norfolk City	Secretary
Secretary of HHR (ex-officio)	Secretary Marvin Figueora (or designee)	
Representative-Local Govt. Elected Officials	Debbie Ritter, Chesapeake City Council	
Representative-Local Govt. Attorneys	John Blair II, Staunton City Attorney	
Medical Expert-Addiction Field	Jacquiline Britz, MD, MSPH	
Medical Expert-Addiction Field	Dr. Jenny Sachs, Ph.D., LCSW, CIP	
Representative-Recovery Community	Jason Alley, Policy Advisor for Opioid Response, Richmond City	
Representative-Urban/Suburban CSB	VACANT	

Statewide Grants Awards to Date

Statewide Awards

Cities, Counties, & State Agencies

- Total awarded to date = ***$160,742,948***
- 194 projects currently active
  - 155 City and County Projects
  - 39 State Agency Projects

Applications Received by Year

Application Cycles

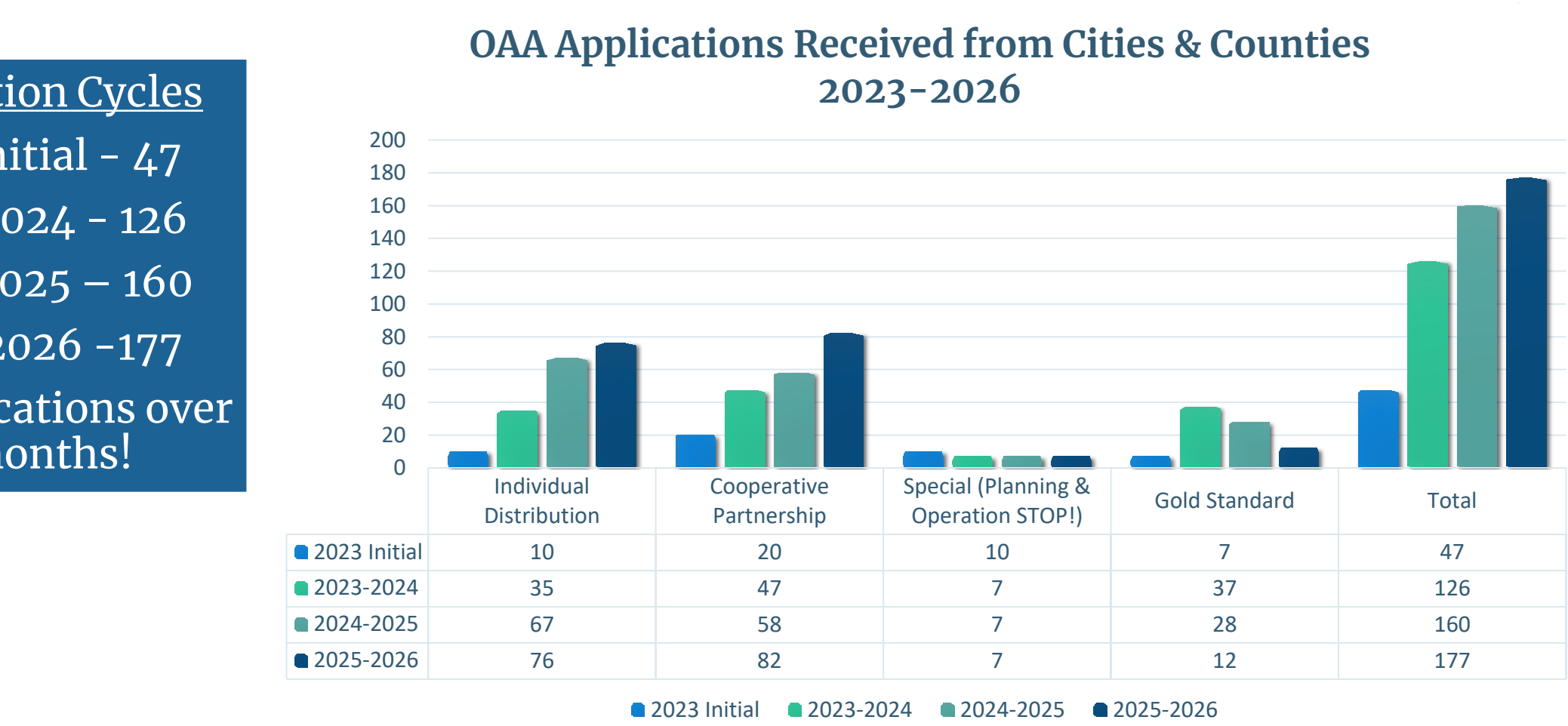
2023 Initial - 47

2023-2024 - 126

2024-2025 – 160

2025-2026 -177

510 Applications over 37 months!



	Individual Distribution	Cooperative Partnership	Special (Planning & Operation STOP!)	Gold Standard	Total
2023 Initial	10	20	10	7	47
2023-2024	35	47	7	37	126
2024-2025	67	58	7	28	160
2025-2026	76	82	7	12	177

OAA "Gold Standard" Cities & Counties

81 as of October 5, 2026

Alexandria City	Alleghany County	Amelia County	Appomattox County	Arlington County	Augusta County	Bedford County	Botetourt County	Bristol City	Brunswick County
Buena Vista City	Caroline County	Charlottesville City	Chesapeake City	Chesterfield County	Clarke County	Colonial Heights City	Covington City	Culpeper County	Danville City
Dickenson County	Dinwiddie County	Fairfax City	Fairfax County	Floyd County	Franklin County	Fredericksburg City	Giles County	Gloucester County	Halifax County
Hampton City	Harrisonburg City	Henrico County	Henry County	Hopewell City	James City County	King George County	Lexington City	Loudoun County	Louisa County
Madison County	Martinsville City	Mathews County	Mecklenburg County	Montgomery County	Newport News City	Norfolk City	Orange County	Page County	Patrick County
Petersburg City	Pittsylvania County	Powhatan County	Prince George County	Prince William County	Pulaski County	Radford City	Richmond City	Roanoke City	Roanoke County
Rockbridge County	Rockingham County	Russell County	Salem City	Shenandoah County	Smyth County	Spotsylvania County	Stafford County	Staunton City	Surry County
Sussex County	Tazewell County	Virginia Beach City	Warren County	Washington County	Waynesboro City	Williamsburg City	Winchester City	Wise County	Wythe County
				York County					

VML Cities & Counties: Highlights

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89 Projects Awarded to Date

- Covering many areas of need:
  - Treatment
  - Crisis
  - Harm Reduction
  - Prevention/Education
  - Jail-Based Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)
  - Transportation
  - Recovery Court/Treatment Court/Alternative Dockets
  - Mobile Services
  - Kinship Navigation
  - Outreach/Media Campaigns
  - Peer Recovery Specialists
  - Opioid Settlement Strategic Planning
  - Recovery High Schools
  - **Operation *STOP!*** *(6 of the 7 eligible cities & counties)*

Celebration & Motivation

To Celebrate

- 44 of 46 VML cities and counties are participating in OAA awards
- 89 Total Projects Awarded
- Over $44.7 million in OAA Funds Awarded to date
  - Includes over $13 million in OAA Unrestricted Funds
    - Special Grants (Operation STOP!, Planning Grants)
    - Awards in addition to regional budget
- Roanoke City serving as fiscal agent for 7 Cooperative Partnership Projects *(most in the Commonwealth!)*

To Motivate

- Only 34 of 46 VML cities & counties have opted in to the Gold Standard Incentive
- Only 33 have applied for all of their FY2023 OAA Individual Distribution
  - $1,160,442 set to expire in March 2028
    - $775,110 Individual
    - $385,332 Gold Standard
- $9,532,703 currently available in Individual & Gold Standard across all VML cities & counties

VML City/County Funds Expiring March 2028

City/County	2023 Individual Not Applied For	2023 Gold Not Applied For	Total Expiring March 2028
City of Alexandria	$108,239	$15,447	$123,686
City of Bristol	$40,427	$10,107	$50,534
City of Chesapeake	$271,249	$67,812	$339,061
City of Emporia	$4,657	$1,164	$5,821
City of Fairfax	$0	$6,264	$6,264
City of Falls Church	$9,501	$2,375	$11,876
City of Franklin	$7,359	$1,840	$9,199
City of Harrisonburg	$0	$2,000	$2,000
City of Manassas	$0	$10,526	$10,526
City of Manassas Park	$8,849	$2,212	$11,061
City of Martinsville	$13,673	$11,504	$25,177
City of Norfolk	$0	$78,897	$78,897
City of Norton	$944	$2,562	$3,506
City of Poquoson	$0	$4,331	$4,331
City of Portsmouth	$180,429	$45,107	$225,536
City of Staunton	$24,649	$0	$24,649
City of Suffolk	$0	$16,534	$16,534
City of Waynesboro	$13,197	$0	$13,197
County of Albemarle	$0	$20,097	$20,097
County of Loudoun	$91,937	$59,778	$151,715
County of New Kent	$0	$3,633	$3,633
County of Roanoke	$0	$23,142	$23,142
Totals	**$775,110**	**$385,332**	**$1,160,442**

Applied for all FY23 funds:

- City of Buena Vista
- City of Charlottesville
- City of Chesapeake
- City of Colonial Heights
- City of Covington
- City of Danville
- City of Fredericksburg
- City of Galax
- City of Hampton
- City of Hopewell
- City of Lexington
- City of Newport News
- City of Petersburg
- City of Radford
- City of Richmond
- City of Roanoke
- City of Salem
- City of Virginia Beach
- City of Williamsburg
- City of Winchester
- County of Alleghany
- County of Arlington
- County of James City
- County of Prince George
- County of York

VML Cities & Counties: Current Awards

Current Awards Renewed

Cooperative Partnership Projects

OAA Region	DBHDS Region	Fiscal Agent City/County Name	Project Name (click link to see staff recommendation details)	Cooperative Carry Forward	OAA Match Carry Forward	PP 2027 Cooperative	PP 2027 OAA Match	Total Carry Forward	Total PP 2027 Award	Total Unrestricted
Central	1	Albemarle County	CITAC Expansion and Crisis Response	$0	$0	$1,162,960	$0	$0	$1,162,960	$0
Partners: Fluvanna, Charlottesville, Greene, Louisa, Nelson										
Central	1	Albemarle County	Community Outreach at Region Ten's Blue Ridge Center	$0	$0	$609,225	$0	$0	$609,225	$0
Partners: Fluvanna, Charlottesville, Greene, Louisa, Nelson										
Central	1	Charlottesville City	Central Virginia Specialty Docket Enhancement Project	$141,407.49	$5,000	$278,210.11	$0	$146,407.49	$278,210.11	$0
Partners: Madison, Orange, Nelson, Fluvanna, Albemarle										
Western	1	Buena Vista City	HOPE House Project	$0	$0	$0	$11,478	$0	$11,478	$800,980.61
Partners: Rockbridge County, Lexington City										
Northern	1	Harrisonburg City	Peer Recovery Center	$20,000	$0	$200,000	$0	$20,000	$200,000	$0
Partners: Rockingham County										
Northern	1	Waynesboro City	River Ridge Learning Center (A Recovery High School in Waynesboro, VA)	$90,000	$0	$571,166.59	$0	$90,000	$571,166.59	$0
Partners: Staunton City, Augusta County										
Western	3	Roanoke City	Building & Expanding a Collaborative Regional Recovery Ecosystem	$0	$0	$371,582	$0	$0	$371,582	$0
Partners: Roanoke County										
Western	3	Roanoke City	Four Truths Recovery Pregnant & Postpartum Women's Implementation/ Expansion	$0	$0	$154,800	$0	$0	$154,800	$0
Partners: Roanoke County										
Western	3	Roanoke City	Harm Reduction	$0	$0	$51,520	$0	$0	$51,520	$0
Partners: Roanoke County										
Western	3	Roanoke City	Navigator Care Specialists	$108,000	$0	$0	$0	$108,000	$0	$0
Partners: Roanoke County, Salem City										
Western	3	Roanoke City	The Grove on Patterson (Restoration Housing)	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$225,472
Partners: Roanoke County										

Current Awards Renewed

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Central	3	Danville City	Recovery 360	$175,811.06	$0	$92,998.10	$0	$175,811.06	$92,998.10	$0
Partners: Pittsylvania County										
Central	3	Martinsville City	Overdose Spike Response and Harm Reduction Access	$97,350	$0	$309,883	$0	$97,350	$309,883	$0
Partners: Henry County, Franklin County										
HQ	4	Richmond City	Resource Mapping of Substance Use Related Resources	$80,709.15	$0	$51,015.85	$10,000	$80,709.15	$61,015.85	$0
Partners: Henrico County										
Eastern	4	Colonial Heights City	City of Refuge Transportation Program	$14,282	$0	$14,887	$0	$14,282	$14,887	$0
Partners: Hopewell City, Petersburg City										
Eastern	5	Chesapeake City	Construct 20-bed Inpatient Psychiatric Unit	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Partners: Virginia Beach City										
Eastern	5	Newport News City	Peer Recovery Oriented System of Care	$184,451.07	$122,690.03	$121,732.90	$0	$307,141.10	$121,732.90	$0
Partners: Hampton City										
Eastern	5	Newport News City	Mobile MAT and Outreach Unit	$43,236.26	$16,978.58	$453,686.74	$53,021.42	$60,214.84	$506,708.16	$0
Partners: Hampton City										
Eastern	5	Virginia Beach City	Regional Mobile Van for Primary Care and SUD Services	$811,803	$0	$111,712	$0	$811,803	$111,712	$0
Partners: Norfolk City, Chesapeake City, Portsmouth City, Suffolk City										
Eastern	5	James City County	Outreach and Marketing of CSB-offered SUD Services	$7,511	$0	$26,631	$21,326	$7,511	$47,957	$0
Partners: Williamsburg City, York County, Poquoson City										
Eastern	5	James City County	Recovery Court and Behavioral Health Docket	$0	$168,691	$0	$0	$168,691	$0	$0
Partners: Williamsburg City, York County, Poquoson City										
Eastern	5	Virginia Beach City	Harbor Hope Center (Superintendents Region 2 Recovery High School)	$70,435	$0	$294,275	$0	$70,435	$294,275	$0
Partners: Chesapeake, Portsmouth, Suffolk, Norfolk										

Current Awards Renewed

Individual Distribution Projects

OAA Region	DBHDS Region	City/County Name	Project Name (click link to see staff recommendation details)	Individual Carry Forward	Gold Standard Carry Forward	PP 2027 Individual	PP 2027 Gold Standard	Total Carry Forward	Total PP 2027 Award
Central	1	Albemarle County	Embedded Mental Health Clinician at the Emergency Communications Center	$56,165.31	$0	$7,549.69	$0	$56,165.31	$7,549.69
Central	1	Albemarle County	Medication Assisted Treatment at ACRJ	$60,874.44	$0	$0	$0	$60,874.44	$0
Central	1	Charlottesville City	Medication Assisted Treatment at ACRJ	$30,000	$6,500	$0	$0	$36,500	$0
Central	1	Charlottesville City	City Naloxone Distribution	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Central	1	Charlottesville City	Embedded Mental Health Clinician at the Emergency Communications Center	$15,000	$0	$0	$7,500	$15,000	$7,500
Northern	1	Winchester City	Addiction Response Officer	$0	$0	$41,359.33	$36,979.60	$0	$78,338.93
Northern	2	Fairfax City	Community Opioid Response Enrichment (CORE) Project	$63,709	$0	$0	$0	$63,709	$0
Northern	2	Manassas City	Harm Reduction through Education Services	$9,981.61	$0	$33,340.88	$0	$9,981.61	$33,340.88
Central	3	Danville City	Danville-Pittsylvania County Treatment (Recovery Court)	$0	$0	$60,000	$15,000	$0	$75,000
Central	3	Martinsville City	Kinship Navigator Position – Henry Martinsville Social Services	$24,308.31	$0	$4,017.35	$0	$24,308.31	$4,017.35
Western	3	Roanoke City	Certified Peer Recovery Specialists	$0	$0	$15,050	$10,000	$0	$25,050
Western	3	Roanoke City	Roanoke City Schools Teen Outreach Project	$0	$0	$44,490	$10,000	$0	$54,490
Western	3	Roanoke County	Partnership for Community Wellness	$0	$0	$115,000	$46,500	$0	$161,500
Western	3	Roanoke County	Family Services of Roanoke Valley	$0	$0	$40,000	$0	$0	$40,000
HQ	4	Richmond City	Harm Reduction Vending Machines	$36,852.93	$29,784	$20,000	$0	$66,636.93	$20,000
HQ	4	Richmond City	Sub-awards to nonprofits based on highest need identified by data	$100,000	$0	$0	$0	$100,000	$0
HQ	4	Richmond City	Peer Specialist RFP	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Eastern	5	Hampton City	Hampton City Jail Substance Use Jail-Based MAT Services	$44,374.36	$31,269	$128,841.38	$32,210.34	$75,643.36	$161,051.72
Eastern	5	Newport News City	Newport News Jail Based MAT Services	$43,301.40	$10,825.27	$122,834.60	$30,708.73	$54,126.67	$153,543.33
Eastern	5	Poquoson City	Herren Project	$17,647.17	$0	$19,844	$0	$17,647.17	$19,844
Eastern	5	Virginia Beach City	Youth Peer Support and Prevention Outreach	$112,661.70	$0	$0	$0	$112,661.70	$0
Eastern	5	Virginia Beach City	Teen to Teen Social Media Campaign & Outreach Initiative	$0	$0	$272,360	$0	$0	$272,360
Eastern	5	Virginia Beach City	Virginia Beach Police LEAD Program and Community Outreach	$304.47	$0	$20,000	$0	$304.47	$20,000

Current Awards New for FY2027

Cooperative Partnership Projects

OAA Region	DBHDS Region	Fiscal Agent City/County Name	Project Name (click link to see staff recommendation details)	PP 2027 Cooperative	PP 2027 Unrestricted	PP 2027 Individual Match	PP 2027 Gold Standard Match	Total PP 2027 Award
Northern	1	Waynesboro City	Valley CSB Crisis Receiving, Stabilization, and Detoxification Center	$0	$3,692,567	$0	$0	$3,692,567
Partners: Augusta County, Highland County, Staunton City								
Northern	2	Loudoun County	Recover Out Loud	$400,000	$0	$0	$11,612.90	$411,612.90
Partners: Fairfax County, Arlington County, Falls Church City, Fairfax City, Prince William County, Alexandria City								
Western	3	Roanoke City	On Our Own Roanoke Valley	$0	$181,445	$0	$0	$181,445
Partners: Roanoke County								
Western	3	Roanoke City	Support for Bradley Free Clinic's HOPE Initiative	$0	$207,800	$0	$0	$207,800
Partners: Roanoke County, Salem City								
Eastern	5	Hampton City	VDH Hampton & Peninsula Project LEAD	$310,327	$0	$48,000	$12,000	$370,327
Partners: Newport News City								

Individual Distribution Projects

OAA Region	DBHDS Region	City/County Name	Project Name (click link to see staff recommendation details)	PP 2027 Individual Amount	PP 2027 Gold Standard Amount	Total PP 2027 Amount
Central	1	Charlottesville City	Home to Hope Reentry & Behavioral Health Supports Coordination Pilot	$20,000	$4,005	$24,005
Western	3	Roanoke City	RAM Opioid Abatement Program	$46,183	$0	$46,183
Eastern	4	Colonial Heights City	Workforce Education and Training Initiative	$8,900	$0	$8,900
Eastern	5	James City County	Community Naloxone Access and Overdose Prevention Initiative	$26,250	$8,750	$35,000

FY2027 Operation STOP! Awards (all renewals)

OAA Region	DBHDS Region	City/County Name	Project Name (click link to see staff recommendation details)	Individual Carryforward Amount	Gold Standard Carryforward Amount	Unrestricted Carryforward Amount	Total Carryforward Amount
HQ	4	Richmond City	Operation STOP! City of Richmond	$0	$119,950	$500,000	$619,950
HQ	4	Henrico County	Operation Stop!:Henrico	$0	$0	$397,219.34	$397,219.34
Eastern	4	Petersburg City	Operation STOP!: Petersburg	$0	$0	$400,000	$400,000
Eastern	5	Chesapeake City	Operation STOP, Chesapeake, VA	$0	$0	$415,190.29	$415,190.29
Eastern	5	Newport News City	Operation STOP! Newport News City	$0	$0	$246,000	$246,000
Eastern	5	Norfolk City	Operation STOP!: Norfolk City	$0	$0	$500,000	$500,000
Eastern	5	Portsmouth City	Operation Stop! Portsmouth City	$0	$0	$500,000	$500,000
			Grand Totals	**$0**	**$119,950**	**$2,958,409.63**	**$3,078,359.63**

Resources & Support

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The Virginia Opioid Abatement Authority Dashboard

GRANTS INFO

ABATEMENT ACADEMY

Resources & Support Available for Cities and Counties

- OAA Local Government Opioid Settlement Liaison
  - https://www.oaa.virginia.gov/media/governorvirginiagov/oaa/documents/Resource-Coordinators-Contact-Map.pdf
- OAA's Public Dashboard
  - https://dvf.dashboard.voaagrants.us/superset/dashboard/1/?standalone=3&show_filters=1
- OAA's Grants Info Webpage
  - http://voaa.us/portal-grants/
- OAA's Abatement Academy Webpage
  - http://voaa.us/abatement-academy/
- OAA, VCU, & VASAM Opioid Abatement Toolkit
  - https://virginiaopioidtoolkit.org/
- Substance Use Disorder Analytics platform
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