

Build America, Buy America Act

Decision Road Map

Respond to the four questions below to learn whether the domestic preference requirements of the Build America, Buy America Act (BABAA) apply to your project:

1 PROGRAM

Is the project funded by a FEMA program subject to BABAA?

If **yes**, proceed ahead. If no, BABAA does not apply.

2 DATE

Was the FEMA award (or additional funding to an existing award) issued on or after Jan. 2, 2023?

If **yes**, continue on. If no, BABAA does not apply.

3 PROJECT TYPE

Is the project an infrastructure project?

If **yes**, keep going. If no, BABAA does not apply.

4 WAIVERS

Do any of FEMA's approved General Applicability Waivers waive the BABAA requirements?

If **no**, move forward. If yes, BABAA does not apply.

BABAA APPLIES

If you made it to the end of the road, BABAA likely applies to your project.

For more information on the BABAA requirements, visit the ["Buy America" Preference page](#) on FEMA.gov.



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