

The last date for submission of **R&D Proposals** under the **Non-Structural Measures of the State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF)** for the **Financial Year 2026–27** has been **extended up to 27th October 2026**.

Web portal link:-

<https://hpsdmf.hp.gov.in/ResearchDevProjects/SignIn>

Note: New users who have not previously registered on the portal are required to Sign Up first and thereafter log in to submit their proposals. Existing registered users may directly Sign In using their credentials.

No. Rev-DM-F008/2/2023-Rev-DM-R&D Part-II
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Revenue (DM Cell).

From

The Additional Chief Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh,
Shimla-2.

To

1. The Member Secretary, HIMCOSTE, Kasumpti, Shimla
2. The Director, IIT, Mandi
3. The Director, National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur
4. The Director, Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla
5. The Director, Indian Institute of Advanced Study (IIAS), Shimla
6. The Director, Indian Institute of Information Technology, Una
7. The Director, Central Research Institute (CRI), Kasauli, Solan
8. The Director, Indian Institute of Management Sirmaur, HP
9. The Vice Chancellor, CUHP, Dharamshala, HP
10. The Vice Chancellor, HP University, Shimla
11. The Vice Chancellor, Eternal University, Baru Sahib
12. The Vice Chancellor, Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni, Solan
13. The Vice Chancellor, Chaudhary Sarwan Kumar Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya, Palampur, Kangra
14. The Director, CSIR-Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology (IHBT), Palampur, Kangra
15. The Vice Chancellor, Sardar Patel University Mandi, HP
16. The Vice Chancellor, HP Technical University, Hamirpur
17. The Vice Chancellor, A.P.G. (Alakh Prakash Goyal) University, Shimla
18. The Vice Chancellor, Abhilashi University, Mandi
19. The Vice Chancellor, Arni University, Kangra
20. The Vice Chancellor, Baddi University of Emerging Sciences & Technologies, Solan
21. The Vice Chancellor, Bahra University, Solan
22. The Vice Chancellor, Career Point University, Hamirpur
23. The Vice Chancellor, Chitkara University, Solan
24. The Vice Chancellor, IEC University, Solan
25. The Vice Chancellor, Indus International University, Una
26. The Vice Chancellor, Jaypee University of Information Technology, Solan
27. The Vice Chancellor, Maharaja Agrasen University, Solan
28. The Vice Chancellor, Manav Bharti University, Solan
29. The Vice Chancellor, Shoolini University, Solan
30. The Vice Chancellor, Sri Sai University, Palampur
31. The Centre Head, G.B. Pant National Institute of Himalayan Environment, Himachal Regional Centre, Mohal, Kullu
32. All concerned NGO(s) of Himachal Pradesh

Dated Shimla-2, the

05th October, 2026.

Subject: Extension of time for submission of R&D Proposals under Non-Structural Measures of State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF) for the FY 2026-27 – regarding.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to this department's letter of even No. dated 03rd September 2026 vide which Research & Development (R&D) proposals under the **Non-Structural Measures (NSM) of State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF)** for the Financial Year 2026-27 were invited from your Institute/Organization. The last date for submission of the R&D proposals was **05th October, 2026**. In this regard, it is hereby informed that the last date for submission of R&D project proposals under the aforesaid call has been **extended up to 27th October, 2026**.

Accordingly, you are requested to submit your R&D proposals on or before **27th October, 2026**. The proposals received after the stipulated date shall not be considered. The other terms and conditions as contained in the original call for R&D proposals shall remain unchanged. The link for submission of the proposal is as under:

Web Portal Link: <https://hpsdmf.hp.gov.in/ResearchDevProjects/SignIn>

In case of any technical issue, clarification, or assistance regarding the submission process, you may contact HPSDMA at 0177-2880331. Alternatively, you may also contact to the following officers/officials of DM-Cell: -

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| 1. Dr. Rohit Chauhan | 94184-82869 |
| 2. Mr. Vikas Sharma | 85588-75013 |
| 3. Ms. Lata Thakur | 70186-56402 |

This is for your kind consideration and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,


Bhupesh Kumar (HPF&AS)
Asstt. Controller-cum-CME
Project Management Unit
SDMF (Rev.DM)

No. Rev-DM-F008/2/2023-Rev-DM -R&D Part-II
 Government of Himachal Pradesh
 Department of Revenue (DM Cell).

From,

The Additional Chief Secretary (Revenue) to the,
 Government of Himachal Pradesh,
 Shimla-2.

To,

1. The Member Secretary, HIMCOSTE, Kasumpti, Shimla
 2. The Director, IIT, Mandi
 3. The Director, National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur
 4. The Director, Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla
 5. The Director, Indian Institute of Advanced Study (IIAS), Shimla
 6. The Director, Indian Institute of Information Technology, Una
 7. The Director, Central Research Institute (CRI), Kasauli, Solan
 8. The Director, Indian Institute of Management Sirmaur, HP
 9. The Vice Chancellor, CuHP, Dharamshala, HP
 10. The Vice Chancellor, HP University, Shimla
 11. The Vice Chancellor, Eternal University, Baru Sahib
 12. The Vice Chancellor, Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni, Solan
 13. The Vice Chancellor, Chaudhary Sarwan Kumar Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya, Palampur, Kangra
 14. The Director, CSIR-Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology (IHBT), Palampur, Kangra
 15. The Vice Chancellor, Sardar Patel University Mandi, HP
 16. The Vice Chancellor, HP Technical University Hamirpur
 17. The Vice Chancellor, A.P.G. (Alakh Prakash Goyal) University, Shimla
 18. The Vice Chancellor, Abhilashi University, Mandi
 19. The Vice Chancellor, Arni University, Kangra
 20. The Vice Chancellor, Baddi University of Emerging Sciences & Technologies, Solan
 21. The Vice Chancellor, Bahra University, Solan
 22. The Vice Chancellor, Career Point University Hamirpur
 23. The Vice Chancellor, Chitkara University Solan
 24. The Vice Chancellor, IEC University, Solan
 25. The Vice Chancellor, Indus International University, Una
 26. The Vice Chancellor, Jaypee University of Information Technology Solan
 27. The Vice Chancellor, Maharaja Agrasen University, Solan
 28. The Vice Chancellor, Manav Bharti University, Solan
 29. The Vice Chancellor, Shoolini University, Solan
 30. The Vice Chancellor, Sri Sai University, Palampur
 31. The Centre Head, G.B. Pant National Institute of Himalayan Environment, Himachal Regional Centre, Mohal, Kullu.
 32. All concerned NGO(s) of Himachal Pradesh
- Dated Shimla-2, the 03.09.2026.

Subject: Call for Research Proposal under SDMF for FY 2026-27

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to say that the State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF) has been constituted under Section 48(1)(c) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005. In this regard, the Ministry of Home Affairs has issued operational guidelines for the administration and utilisation of the SDMF for undertaking mitigation measures against various hazards notified by the Central/State Government. Further, the 16th Finance Commission has provided allocation under the SDMF for the financial years 2026-27 to 2030-31. The guidelines also provide a funding mechanism under Non-Structural Measures to support small proposals relating to innovation, technology, community leadership, research studies and learning aimed at strengthening disaster mitigation and risk reduction. Such proposals may address various hazards, including floods, forest fires, landslides, snow avalanches, Glacial Lake Outburst Floods (GLOFs), Landslide Lake Outburst Floods (LLOFs), earthquakes, and other notified disasters.

In this context, HPSDMA invites project proposals under Non-Structural Measures of State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF) for FY 2026-27" (up to Rs.10 Lakh for a total period of 2 years) with the objective to make disaster resilience Himachal through various fields of disaster management as per format attached under the three categories of Non Structural Measures namely.

1. Innovation,
2. Technology,
3. Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning

You are requested to submit the project proposal to HPSDMA latest by 05-Oct-2026 through web portal (<https://hpsdmf.hp.gov.in/ResearchDevProjects/SignIn>) from your Institution/Constituent or affiliated institute(s).

It may kindly be noted that only proposals submitted through the web portal will be considered for further evaluation, and no hard copy of the proposal will be entertained by this office. Therefore, all concerned institutions are advised to ensure that the proposal is uploaded and submitted on the portal within the stipulated timeline.

In case of any technical issue, clarification, or assistance regarding the submission process, you may contact HPSDMA at 0177-2880331. Alternatively, you may also contact Dr. Rohit Chauhan, GIS & RS Specialist, on his mobile number 94184-82869 for further guidance.

Yours faithfully,


(Nishant Thakur)

Additional Secretary (Rev-DM) to the
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh- cum-Project Director
PMU-SDMF

Enst No: Even

Dated Shimla-2, the 03-09-2026.

Copy forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner-cum-Chairperson, DDMA (All Districts of Himachal Pradesh) are requested to kindly circulate the above advertisement among the concerned universities, research institutes, and organizations in their respective districts that are not included in the above list.


3/9/26
Additional Secretary (Rev-DM) to the
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh- cum-Project Director
PMU-SDMF