

### **January Recovery Act Reporting Deadline Extended**

Washington, Jan. 18 – Recipients of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funds have an extra week to submit their January quarterly reports. The Recovery Accountability and Transparency Board will allow recipients to submit reports until midnight, PST, Jan. 22.

The original reporting deadline for the January cycle was Jan. 15. Although it is allowing the extension to gather the most up-to-date information, the reports submitted this week will be flagged as late. Data collected from this reporting cycle will be posted at Recovery.gov on Jan. 30.

Recovery Board officials said they extended the deadline because of “several significant changes (that) have been made to the reporting process that appear to have impacted recipients’ ability to submit timely reports.” These include the release of revised reporting guidance by the Office of Management and Budget in late December and the implementation of edit checks designed to increase the accuracy of the data being reported.

For more information on the ARRA reporting deadline extension, check back with the Economic Recovery Grants Center.

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