

**261—21.2(15) Definitions.**

*“Applicant”* means an eligible municipality that is applying for a grant.

*“Authority”* means the economic development authority established pursuant to Iowa Code section 15.105.

*“Emergency medical care provider”* means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 147A.1.

*“Grant”* means financial assistance provided by the authority from the length of service awards program grant fund established pursuant to Iowa Code section 100B.52 as enacted by 2025 Iowa Acts, House File 1002, and administered pursuant to this chapter.

*“Municipality”* means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 100B.21.

*“Participant”* means a volunteer emergency medical care provider, reserve peace officer or volunteer firefighter receiving funds under a program.

*“Program”* means a length of service award program created by an applicant that meets the requirements set forth in Iowa Code section 100B.51 as enacted by 2025 Iowa Acts, House File 1002, and Title 26 of the U.S. Code (26 U.S.C. Section 457(e)(11)).

*“Recipient”* means a municipality that has been awarded a grant.

*“Reserve peace officer”* means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 80D.1A.

*“Volunteer”* means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 100B.51 as enacted by 2025 Iowa Acts, House File 1002.

*“Volunteer firefighter”* means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 85.61.

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