

# Policy

## Policy Development

### Funding

**Available Funding & Award Limits:** Included in Pre-Development available funding. Limit is \$50,000 per city.

**Application Limit:** One per city or county applicant

**Local Match:** None

**Grant Term:** Two years (up to one year extension possible)

### Key Dates

**Application Due:** July 18, 2022

**Funding Decision:** September, 2022

### Policy Development Eligible Costs Table

Eligible Costs
<p><b>What: Proposed Policy Outcomes</b></p> <p><b>Policy Development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consultant services to develop a policy that will further LCA and Thrive goals</li> <li>• Community engagement to define the policy</li> </ul>
Ineligible Costs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff time not related to engagement efforts</li> <li>• Work done before the grant was awarded</li> </ul>

### Policy Development Scoring Table

LCA is focused on addressing racial inequity in the region given race is the largest predictor of inequitable outcomes in jobs, housing, and other LCA goals. Projects addressing racial equity will be prioritized in scoring. Projects addressing other inequities will earn points towards how they address those inequities but will not receive full points unless they also consider the intersection of racial inequity.

What: Policy Development Outcomes		Points:
Criteria:		
The goals and vision of the proposed policy would meet one or more of the following LCA and/or Thrive goals associated with physical development:		<b>25</b>
<b>LCA and Thrive Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increasing housing choice and creating more affordable housing opportunities</li> <li>• Creating or preserving permanent, accessible, living wage jobs</li> <li>• Intensifying density and intensity of land uses that better support multimodal transportation and connections between jobs, housing, and amenities</li> <li>• Minimizing climate impact by reducing greenhouse gas emissions and conserving natural resources</li> <li>• Furthering equitable outcomes in affordable housing, living wage jobs, climate impacts, transportation, and regional connections</li> </ul>	
	Extent to which the policy will support achieving more equitable development outcomes	

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## Pre-Development Policy Scoring Table

How: Policy Development Process		
<b>Process</b>	The process will include analysis of who will benefit most from the policy and in what ways, and use findings to influence equitable development strategies and outcomes	<b>15</b>
	The process plans for meaningful and appropriate engagement, including a variety of partners that represent the demographics of the residential and/or workforce community, centering those most impacted by inequities	
Who: Policy Development Team		
<b>Who Is Involved</b>	The team, including staff leads, consultants, and partners, is designed to reflect and be responsive to those underrepresented and most impacted by inequities	<b>10</b>
	The project team has a defined scope of work with tangible goals	
	The policy development team forms partnerships between government, private for-profit, non-profit sector	
<b>Total Possible Points</b>		<b>50</b>

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