

2017 Federal Funding

Transportation Committee – June 9, 2014



Funding Categories

- Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP)
- Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ)
Transit Capital
- Surface Transportation Program (STP)
- CMAQ Roadway System Management

TAP Solicitation

- 42 applicants requested \$26.4 M federal funding
- \$6.32 M available
- Applications were evaluated and scored; appeals process held
- 11 projects selected for funding
- Added 4% inflation to the project costs

TAP Projects Selected

Project	Sponsor	Federal Funding
Big Rivers Regional Trail Eagan Extension	Dakota Co	\$582,400
Mississippi River Regional Trail Rosemount West	Dakota Co	\$1,040,000
Mendota to Lebanon Hills Regional Greenway TH 110 Grade Separated Pedestrian Crossing	Dakota Co	\$1,040,000
Mississippi River Trail in Mississippi West Regional Park	Anoka Co	\$537,139
Andersen School Crossing & Bike Trail	Minneapolis	\$603,200

TAP Projects Selected cont.

CR 74/CSAH 13 Trail - Cottage Grove	Washington Co	\$186,368
Scott West Regional Trail Connection	Scott Co	\$490,714
Evergreen School Area Trail & Sidewalk System	Brooklyn Center	\$275,392
"On-Ramps" to Regional Trail System	Three Rivers Park District	\$1,040,000
MN River Bluffs Reg Trail	Carver Co	\$282,630
North Creek Greenway - 157th St Segment	Apple Valley	\$640,500*

* Overprograms TAP funds by approximately \$397,500

CMAQ Transit Capital

- One-time Request for Projects – emphasis on regionally significant projects
- 6 applications requested \$35.96 M in federal funding
- \$20 M available
- Applications reviewed and rated
- No inflation added to project costs

CMAQ Transit Capital cont.

- Top three rated projects requested \$21 M (\$7 M each)
 - MOA Transit Station Renovation
 - West 7th St. B Line
 - Lake Street Station at I-35W
- Metro Transit proposed:
 - Reallocate 2016 CMAQ funds awarded for Chicago Avenue bus service enhancement to Hopkins park-and-ride
 - Allocate 2016 funds to B Line and 2017 funds to Hopkins to match project schedules

CMAQ Transit Capital Projects

Project	Sponsor	Federal Funding
Chicago Ave	Metro Transit	(\$7 M) (2016)
B Line BRT (West 7 th Street)	Metro Transit	\$7 M (2016)
MOA Transit Station Renovation Project	Metro Transit	\$7 M (2017)
Lake Street Station at I-35W	Metro Transit	\$7 M (2017)
Downtown Hopkins LRT Station Park-and-Ride	Hopkins	\$6 M (2017)

STP and CMAQ System Management

- TAC recommendation presented to TAB at May meeting to include 2017 funding in next Regional Solicitation
- On May 21 TAB tabled item to consider other options
- Update will be provided at future Transportation Committee meeting