

2024 TDOT Statewide Partnership Program Submittal

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Following the passage of the 2023 Transportation Modernization Act, the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) released its first fiscally constrained [10-Year Project Plan](#). This new process represents an evolution in philosophy at TDOT regarding how we fund and deliver transportation projects. We have taken a critical eye to our projects statewide with the mindset of **"what gets started, gets finished"** to better serve Tennessee with greater accountability and communication.

As part of TDOT's 10-Year Project Planning process, the Statewide Partnership Program (SPP) is a critical avenue for local stakeholders to provide input on their priorities to better inform the annual reassessment of TDOT's 10-Year Project Plan. The program supports local authorities in **maximizing funding dollars** for critical local mobility and economic development needs.

TDOT is committed to working with Tennessee's local jurisdictions, municipalities, and counties, through their respective MPOs and RPOs to identify priorities and **accelerate projects with identified local funding and support**. Accordingly, all submissions gathered through this process will be evaluated for inclusion in TDOT's updated 10-Year Project Plan, which will be released in December 2024. All project proposals will be evaluated based on performance, deliverability, and cost. TDOT intends to prioritize projects that are MPO and RPO priorities and represent a **significant financial investment by locals** with funds that efficiently leverage non-state funding sources. The SPP is primarily meant as a first step in the planning process to gather data on local needs, priorities, and ability to partner with TDOT. Think of this new process as "open enrollment" for TDOT projects; rather than communities advocating for their priorities at disparate and ad-hoc times throughout the year, this structure allows for standardized information to be provided during a specific period. While submissions gathered are not guaranteed to receive funding, all information provided is essential in the development of future 10-Year Plans and for TDOT to better understand, and further communicate, the outstanding critical transportation funding needs in Tennessee.

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1. Which of the following best describes your role?
Local elected official or staff
MPO or RPO staff
2. Project Contact Name
Text box
3. Project Contact Title
Text box
4. Project Contact Phone #
Text box
5. Project Contact Email
Text box
6. Is this request to initiate a project to be considered in TDOT's updated 10-Year Plan or to accelerate a project in the existing 10-Year Plan?
Accelerate a project
Initiate a project

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7. What is the project's TDOT PIN?

(Question only displayed if "accelerate a project" is selected for question 6)

If you do not know a project's TDOT PIN, please contact TDOT's Office of Community Transportation (OCT). State, regional, and local OCT contact information can be found [here](#).

Text box

8. Project Name

Text box

9. Project Type

Highway Capacity (e.g., lane addition, roadway extension)

Highway ITS/system operations (e.g., technology upgrades, operation)

Highway safety (e.g., roadway geometric, design, or operation improvements targeted to a safety need)

Major bridge project (e.g., replacement or reconstruction)

Major pavement project (e.g., rehab or reconstruction)

10. Project Description

Please provide a description of the project's scope, purpose, and background.

Text box

11. Please indicate the local jurisdiction or jurisdictions that the proposed project falls in.

Text box

12. What MPO or RPO does the proposed project fall in?

Find information about MPOs and RPOs [here](#).

Select from list of MPOs and RPOs

13. Have you consulted with your MPO or RPO on this submission?

Yes

No

14. Project Location

Please identify the project location as a line on the map below

Map with ability to draw line geometry

15. Please provide as much detail on the project's location as possible, including project limits, mile markers, and other route ID numbers.

Text box

16. Is the proposed project on a roadway under TDOT control?

Find information about ownership responsibility of a given roadway [here](#).

Yes

No

17. Describe any planning or study work completed for the proposed project.

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18. Attach any plans or studies that have been completed for the proposed project.

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19. Additional Project Narrative or Information

Text box

20. Additional Project Attachments

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Project Information: Preliminary Engineering

21. Has preliminary engineering (PE) work for this project been completed?

Yes

No

22. What is the estimated cost to complete preliminary engineering (PE) work for this project?

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 21)

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23. What year is the above estimate from?

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 21)

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24. Upload documentation to support the estimated cost to complete preliminary engineering (PE) work for this project.

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 21)

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Project Information: Right-of-Way

25. Has right-of-way (ROW) work for this project been completed?

Yes

No

26. What is the estimated cost to complete right-of-way (ROW) work for this project?

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 25)

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27. What year is the above estimate from?

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 25)

Text box

28. Upload documentation to support the estimated cost to complete right-of-way (ROW) work for this project.

(Question only displayed if "No" is selected for question 25)

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Project Information: Construction

29. What is the estimated cost to complete construction work for this project?

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30. What year is the above estimate from?

Text box

31. Upload documentation to support the estimated cost to complete construction work for this project.

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Project Information: Prior Funding

32. How much funding has already been expended on this project?

Provide a total of previously expended funds for this project

Text box

33. Please provide the sources of all previously expended funding for this project.

Examples of funding sources: TDOT, STBG-L, State Aid, local funding, federal grant.

Text box

34. Upload documentation of previously expended funding here.

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Project Information: Future Funding

35. Please provide a total for committed future funding for this project.

*Please include funding from all sources. Please **DO NOT** include funds that have already been expended.*

Text box

36. What phases will the committed future funding be utilized for?

Please note here if committed funding is only for a specific project phase or phases (PE, ROW, Construction).

Text box

37. Please provide the sources of all committed future funding for this project.

Text box

38. Provide documentation of committed future funding here.

May include TIP page, a letter from a county or city mayor, or a local government resolution.

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39. How much funding is being requested from TDOT to complete this project?

Text box

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40. Provide any other information here.

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41. Upload any other relevant documentation here.

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