



Transportation Alternatives Program

July 24, 2018



About the TA Funding



- The FAST Act eliminated the TAP Program as established in MAP-21
- Under the FAST Act, TAP and Safe Routes to School Programs were merged and replaced with a set-aside from the Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) Program
- A portion of the TA set-aside is suballocated to metropolitan areas over 200,000 in population
- The TA Program has 10 eligible categories
- Funding available: \$2,138,046 and \$528,493

TA Proposals



1.	B & A Trail Connection	Withdrawn from consideration by AA Co due to design concerns	0
2.	Baltimore Greenway Trails Network 1. East 33 rd Street 2. Middle Branch	Did not submit design Design at 35%	0 \$250,000
3.	North Avenue bike lane and center-running bus lane	Bus lanes are not an eligible item	0
4.	Broadneck Peninsula Trail Phase III	Beyond available funds	0
5.	Dobbin Road / McGaw Road Bike and Pedestrian Improvements	Fund design only, come back for construction	\$220,000
6.	Light Rail Intertrack Fencing	Look to use FTA funds	0
7.	Old Main Line Central Branch Trail	Several outstanding issues preventing an award at this time, address issues and come back next year	0
8.	Passerelle Replacement at Rogers Avenue Metro Station	Should be funded as a station maintenance project	0

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9.	South Shore Trail Phase II	Beyond available funds	0
10.	SRTS Safety Training and Access Study	AA County & Board of Education working together	\$145,120
11.	Reisterstown Metro Station SWM	Should be funded as a station maintenance project	0
12.	Warren Road Light Rail SWM	Should be funded as a station maintenance project	0
13.	Torrey Brown Trail Bridge Rehabilitation	Should be funded as a maintenance project	0
14.	Willow Pond SWM	Beyond available funds	0
		Baltimore Urbanized Area Recommendation	\$615,120
15.	Ma & Pa Connector Trail	Use all small urbanized funds + match with Baltimore urbanized funds	\$528,433 \$528,433
		Aberdeen-Bel Air North-Bel Air South Urbanized Area Recommendation	\$1,056,866

TA Recommendations - Summary



- Staff recommendations for Projects 1 – 14 utilize \$615,120, leaving \$1,522,926 on the table.
- For Project 15, staff recommends matching the \$528,433 with an equal amount of the remaining Baltimore area funds, leaving \$994,493 on the table.
- The state has \$10M for all non-MPO and 2nd round MPO projects.

For More Information

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