

# ELIGIBLE PROJECTS

- Construction, planning, and design of on-road and off-road pedestrian and bicycle facilities and safe routes for non-drivers
- Conversion and use of abandoned railroad corridors for non-motorized trails
- Construction of turnouts, overlooks, and viewing areas
- Community improvement activities including: inventory, control, and removal of outdoor advertising; historic preservation and rehab of historic transportation facilities; vegetation management practices; eligible archaeological activities
- Environmental mitigation activity
- Safe Routes to School Program planning, designing, or constructing boulevards

## FUNDING

Approximately **\$8 million** is available through a competitive project selection process administered by the South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT).

Each individual project may be limited to a maximum of \$600,000 depending on annual federal allowance. The minimum for infrastructure projects is \$50,000. Minimum local match required is 18.05%.

## PAST RECIPIENTS

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|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| • Aberdeen                   | • Oglala Sioux Tribe        |
| • Box Elder                  | • Philip                    |
| • Brandon                    | • Piedmont                  |
| • Canistota                  | • Pierre                    |
| • Centerville                | • Presho                    |
| • Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe | • Rapid city                |
| • Crooks                     | • Salem                     |
| • Crow Creek Sioux Tribe     | • Sisseton                  |
| • Custer                     | • Wahpeton                  |
| • Deadwood                   | • Oyate                     |
| • Dell Rapids                | • Spearfish                 |
| • Faulkton                   | • Standing Rock Sioux Tribe |
| • Garretson                  | • Sturgis                   |
| • Harrisburg                 | • Tea                       |
| • Hermosa                    | • Valley Springs            |
| • Ipswich                    | • Viborg                    |
| • Lennox                     | • Wagner                    |
| • Leola                      | • Wakonda                   |
| • Madison                    | • Watertown                 |
| • Meade County               | • Whitewood                 |
| • Miller                     | • Yankton                   |
| • Mitchell                   | • Yankton Sioux Tribe       |
| • Murdo                      |                             |
| • North Sioux City           |                             |



# ELIGIBLE ENTITIES

- Local Government
- Regional Transportation Authority
- Transit Agency
- Natural Resource or Public Land Agency
- School district, local education agency, or school
- Tribal Government
- MPO serving and urbanized area with a population of 200,000 or fewer
- Nonprofit Entity
- Local or Regional Government entity with responsibility for oversight of transportation or recreational trails



**Letter of Intent Due Date: July 15, 2025**

**Application Due Date: October 1, 2025**

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## TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM

Transportation Alternatives (TA) uses federal transportation funds for specific activities that enhance the inter-modal transportation system and provides safe alternative transportation options. TA encompasses a variety of smaller-scale non-motorized transportation projects.

