Southwest Washington Regional Transportation Council

RTC STBG/CMAQ Urban Project Application

Instructions

Complete application in the space provided. Applicants are limited to application form, required attachments, and three additional pages of attachments. Submit completed application and attachments electronically to <u>dale.robins@rtc.wa.gov</u>. If you have questions contact Dale Robins at 564.397.5212.

General Information

Project Title:	
Project Limits:	
Project Length (miles):	Federal Functional Class:
Agency:	
Contact Person:	
Telephone:	Email:
Certified Acceptance Agency:	

Project Screening Criteria

Check all that apply.

- Consistent with the Regional Transportation Plan, Local Comprehensive Plans, and Congestion Management Process. (Projects that add capacity must be listed in RTP).
- □ Federally classified facility of Urban Collector or above.
- □ Primary purpose of project is preservation or maintenance.
- □ Reasonable cost estimate and request is consistent with regional cost limits.
- □ Reasonable timeline for implementation.
- □ If operational improvement, the project is consistent with regional TSMO Plan.
- □ Project includes conduit.
- Administered by a Certification Acceptance (CA) agency.

Required Attachments

Attach all that are applicable for your project.

- □ Vicinity Map
- Urban Accident Analysis
- □ Typical Cross-Section and/or Project Diagram
- □ Digital JPG Project Photos (Maximum of 4)
- □ Additional Attachments (Maximum of 3 pages)

Cost Summary

Complete all cells to show total project cost, even if application is only seeking partial project funding. Only enter funds requested under STBG/CMAQ Funds. If project has previously received STBG/CMAQ funds; those funds are shown under Other Funds. Minimum match per phase is 13.5%. Project obligation deadlines will be tied to the date provided in the cost summary.

Project Phase	Obligation Date (MM/YYYY)	STBG/CMAQ Request	Other Funds	Total Cost	Match Ratio
Design					
Right of Way					
Construction					
Totals					

Estimated date for completion of construction or project (MM/YYYY): _____

Funding Partners

List all secured "Other Funds" contributing to the project:

Funding Source	Amount

If project is not fully funded, describe how the project will obtain full funding?

Project Information

1. Project Description - Explain the nature of the project; indicate major work involved, and provide a brief comparison of existing and proposed conditions:

2. Project Justification – Describe reason for project and problem project addresses:

3. Before and After Analysis – Describe the goals of the project and how each goal will be analyzed prior to and after the project is constructed. Goals should focus on national performance measures of Safety, Infrastructure Condition, Congestion Reduction, System Reliability, Freight Movement and Economic Vitality, Environmental Sustainability, and Reduced Project Delivery Delays. Analysis is due to RTC 1 year after project closure.

Mobility

Use RTC data from the Congestion Management Process, Traffic Count Program, or attach documentation:

Existing Facility Type: _____ Improved Facility Type: _____

CMP CCI: ______ or CMP Speed: _____

One-hour Peak directional Volume/Speed from other source: ______ (Attach documentation)

- □ Project is located on the RTC designated regional System (<u>https://rtc.wa.gov/programs/rtp/clark/</u> Right sidebar)
- □ Congestion Management Network Facility

What congestion management concern(s) does the project address and how?

Network Development: _____

Explain the Type of Network Development:

Multimodal/Operations

Type(s) of operational improvements included in project: (Check all that apply)

- □ Signal integration/upgrade
- □ Data collection (volume, speed, occupancy, classification)
- □ Traffic surveillance
- □ Communication infrastructure (Conduit, fiber, switches, etc.)
- □ Variable message signage
- $\hfill\square$ Traveler information
- □ Smart transit management/transit signal priority
- □ Roundabout(s)

Explain operational improvements:

Type(s) of multimodal improvements included in project? (Check all that apply)

- □ Transit expansion
- Peak hour C-TRAN buses Number of buses per hour: ____
- □ Exclusive transit lanes (Transit Only, BAT Lanes, etc.)
- □ Transit amenities (shelter, bus-pullout, etc.)
- □ Park and ride construction
- □ Carpool/Vanpool
- □ Improve non-motorized access to park and ride/transit
- □ Completes gap in bicycle or pedestrian route
- \Box Constructs 10'+ separated path or two 5-foot striped bicycle lanes
- □ Sidewalks (both sides)
- □ Sidewalks wider than 5' and/or planter strip (3' minimum)
- □ Improves transit speed/reliability
- □ Transportation Demand Management (TDM)
- Contact C-TRAN's Capital Project Manager 360-696-4494 (10+ days prior to application submittal)
- □ Adopted Complete Street Policy/Ordinance

Safety

Collision Analysis Sheet – Annual Benefit: ______ (Attach Accident Analysis Worksheet)

Please explain how implemented safety strategies address current collision issues (3-year accident history). Must have a collision associated with each strategy:

Safety Strategy	Number of Collisions	Explanation of strategy and how it addresses collision	

Please explain how implemented safety strategies address potential safety/collision issues:

Existing and Proposed Conditions:

	Existing Condition	Proposed Condition
Average pavement width in feet		
Minimum road standard width		
Number of travel lanes		
Center turn lane/turn pockets	□ Yes	□ Yes
Average shoulder width in feet		
(including bike lanes)		
Paved shoulder	🗆 Yes	🗆 Yes

Project Provides Access Management

- \square Add non-traversable median greater than 50% of project length
- \Box Add C-curb at intersections or less than 50% of project length
- \Box Close minor intersection(s)
- \Box Reduce access points
- □ Eliminate existing at-grade crossing

Calculate Accident Rate (Attach page that shows math)

Corridor Accident Rate = ((Accidents / years/ distance in miles) x 1,000,000)/Annual Volume Intersection Only Accident Rate = ((Accidents/years) x1,000,000)/Annual Volume

Accident Rate = _____

Economic Development

Freight Generators (Check one only)

- \Box Improves existing access
- □ Creates new access
- □ Not Applicable

State Truck Classification (T1-T5): <u>http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Freight/FGTS/CountyMaps.htm</u>

Describe how the project will improve access for existing employment, freight generators, distribution center, and CTR Employers:

Private Development (Check all that apply)

- □ Signed Development Agreements
- Private Investment in Public infrastructure

Summarize Private investment

Investment Type	Number	Estimated Value
Impact Fees		
Frontage Improvements		
Other Development		
Agreements		

Environmental Justice (From RTC produced map)

- $\hfill\square$ Project intersects or borders Low Income Population Census Track
- □ Project intersects or borders Minority Population Census Track
- □ Project enhances bicycle, pedestrian, or Transit travel

Explain:

Financial/Implementation

Previously Completed Work – Prior to application submittal: (check all that apply)

- □ Land purchase not needed or completed
- Stamped Engineer Estimate Date: _____
- Survey Completed Date: _____
- Geotechnical Report Completed Date: _____
- Direct Purchase (Buses, Traffic Signal hardware, etc.)

Sustainability/Air Quality

Check all that apply:

- □ LID or Enhanced Treatment Stormwater Control
- □ Hardscaping or Native Planting (no permanent irrigation)
- □ Correction of Fish Barrier
- Enhances Stream Bank Conditions
- □ Corrects Existing Sensitive Area Impacts
- □ Appropriate Reduction in Existing Pavement Width
- □ Replace or Install Low Energy Street Lighting
- □ Reuse/Recycling of Materials
- □ In-Place Pavement Reconstruction or Structural Retrofit
- □ Transit Reduced Emission
- □ Transit Reduced noise and vibration
- □ Transit Reduced per capita VMT
- Transit Creating Livable Communities

Explain: