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MARCH-APRIL 2019 SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL GRANT PROGRAMS WORKSHOPS

Learn how to apply for the new and recurring ODOT Safe Routes to School Grant Program funds.

In the spring and summer of 2019, the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) will solicit proposals for the next round of Safe Routes to School (SRTS) grant funding. ODOT staff will present a program overview and answer questions about these upcoming opportunities. The presentation will cover SRTS Infrastructure and Non-infrastructure Programs specifics including, timeline, eligibility, proposal selection process, match requirements, and proposal development tips. The target audiences include city, county, tribes, transit agency staff and interested public school representatives. All workshops are open to the general public.



Workshops:

3/12: GRANTS PASS 1:30-2:45pm, Council Chambers, 101 NW A St

3/13: ROSEBURG 10-11:30am, East Conference Room, 3500 NW Steward Pkwy

3/14: REDMOND 12:30-2:15pm, City of Redmond Public Works Training Room, 243 E. Antler Avenue

4/18: EUGENE 3-4:30pm, Cesar Chavez School Library, 1510 W 14th Ave

4/26: PORTLAND 1-3pm, Room A/B, 123 NW Flanders St

TBD in April: PENDLETON and BAKER CITY

More information: https://www.oregon.gov/ODO <u>T/Programs/Pages/SRTS.as</u> <u>px</u>

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Upcoming Grant Program details:

Non-Infrastructure Grants

These grants fund education, encouragement and enforcement to address barriers for students walking and rolling to school.

Funding available this round: approx. \$500,000 annually

Request Maximum: \$100,000 annually

Eligible Entities: School Districts, Non-profits, Local Road Authorities

Project Identification Program

This program provides a service to communities to identify infrastructure projects addressing barriers to students walking and rolling to school in a new local plan.

Consultant services will be provided to 20 communities

Eligible Entities: School Districts, Tribes, Road Authorities

Rapid Response Infrastructure Grants

These grants fund infrastructure projects that are eligible for the SRTS Infrastructure Competitive Grant program but cannot wait for the 2021 competition and funding allocation.

Funding available this round: \$1.833 million

Request Minimum: \$0

Request Maximum: \$500,000

Eligible Entities: Cities, Counties, ODOT, Tribes

More information including program focus areas will be posted by 4/1/19: http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/Programs/Pages/SRTS.aspx

Safe Routes to School Infrastructure Program timeline*:

April 2019:

Application process opens for Non-Infrastructure Grants and Project Identification Program May 2019: Applications due for Non-Infrastructure Grants and Project Identification Program

June 2019 Rapid Response Infrastructure Grants are available and approved on a rolling basis. July 2019:

Review, scoring, and funding recommendation Non-Infrastructure Grants and Project Identification Program

August 2019:

Final project list approval Non-Infrastructure Grants and Project Identification Program

*timeline subject to change based on Oregon Transportation Commission and Oregon Transportation Safety Committee approval