REGIONAL ROADWAY SAFETY PROGRAM

FY 2021 Technical Assistance

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Presentation Items

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Initial Round - Projects

• July 2021 - TPB approved the following applications:

Jurisdiction Name	Project	Panel Recommendation
Montgomery County	MD 650 High Injury Network Safety Study and Design	\$60,000
Prince George's County	Roadway Safety Audits and Design Recommendation for County Maintained High Injury Network	\$40,000
City of Laurel	Bowie Road Safety Audit	\$30,000
Arlington County	Arlington / Virginia School Zone Speed Camera Guidelines	\$60,000
Fairfax County	Herndon Parkway (Van Buren to Spring) Complete Street Safety Improvements	\$60,000

- Regional Roadway Safety Program In the News
 - <u>https://wjla.com/news/local/60000-grant-will-help-arlington-install-its-first-ever-speed-cameras</u>



Initial Round – Next Steps

- July 29, 2021 COG Contracts Notified Contractors Qualified for Master Contracts
- Execute Master Contracts
- Develop SOWs
 - TPB Staff Work with Jurisdictions
- Questionnaires Sent to Qualified Contractors
 - Contractors matched to projects
 - Competitive bidding process
- Kickoff meetings (fall 2021)



New Round (FY 2022) – Funding Level

- Program Funding (FY 2022)
 - Core UPWP: \$150,000
 Maryland Technical Assistance: \$35,000
 Virginia Technical Assistance: \$35,000
 - District of Columbia Technical Assistance: \$30,000
 - Total Program Funding: \$250,000



New Round - Schedule

- Application period opens: August 16, 2021
- Abstracts due (optional): September 10, 2021
- Applications due: October 12, 2021
- Selection panel recommendations: October-November 2021
- TPB approves projects: November-December 2021
- Consultant selection: January February 2022
- Project kickoff meetings: Spring 2022



New Round – Funding Priorities

- Safety Improvements for Low-Income and Minority Communities
- Improving Road User Behavior
- Identifying and Designing Safety Countermeasures
- Understanding Safety Data
- Cross-Jurisdictional Safety Improvements



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