







TRANSPORTATION/LAND USE CONNECTIONS

FY 2020 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

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TLC Program Background

Technical Assistance:







 Transportation Alternatives Program/ (Surface Transportation Block Grant Program Set-Aside): Collaboration with State Departments of Transportation







\$3.8 million

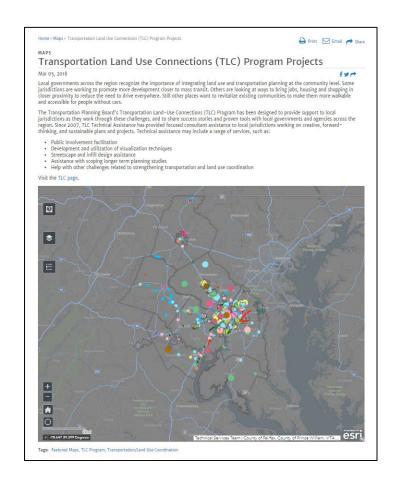
Funded by Transportation Planning Board since 2012

Peer Exchange Network



TLC Technical Assistance Background

- Program designed to support key strategies for transportation/landuse coordination
- Projects cover a range of planning issues and challenges related to strengthening transportation and land use coordination, including
 - Corridor and transit station planning
 - Bicycle and pedestrian safety and access studies
 - Transit-oriented development studies





FY2020 Solicitation

- Total Funding \$680,000
 - Regional Funds \$260,000
 - Maryland Technical Assistance \$260,000
 - Virginia Technical Assistance \$160,000
- Application solicitation open February 1 April 2, 2019
 - Optional Abstracts were due February 22
- 25 applications were received for \$1,325,000 in funding requests

Selection

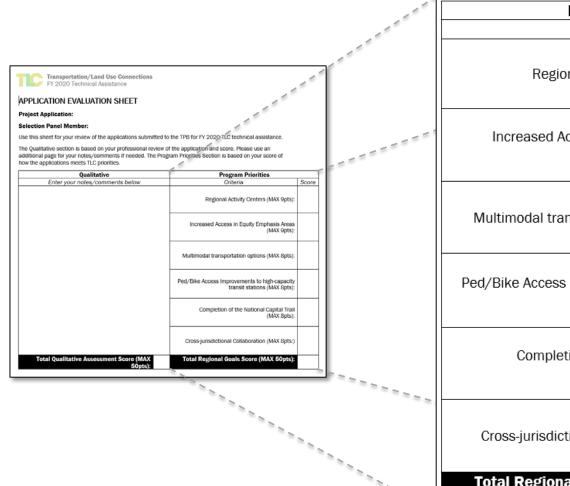
- Panel
 - Chaired by TPB member Julia Koster from the National Capital Planning Commission
 - American Society of Civil Engineers, Urban Land Institute –
 Washington, Transportation Research Board, and TPB staff



Panel also looks to reflect geographic balance among projects



Selection Criteria / Program Priorities



Program Priorities		
Criteria	Score	
Regional Activity Centers (MAX 9pts):		
Increased Access in Equity Emphasis Areas (MAX 9pts):		
Multimodal transportation options (MAX 8pts):		
Ped/Bike Access Improvements to high-capacity transit stations (MAX 8pts):		
Completion of the National Capital Trail (MAX 8pts):		
Cross-jurisdictional Collaboration (MAX 8pts:)		
Total Regional Goals Score (MAX 50pts):		





Projects Recommendations

- \$680,000 in funding
- 13 Projects recommended by panel
 - 12 in Activity Centers
 - o 13 near high-capacity transit
 - 9 in Equity Emphasis Areas

Draft Funding Recommendations

Project	Jurisdiction/ Agency	Funding
Virtual Circle (Florida & New York Avenues) Public Life Study	DC Office of Planning	\$60,000
Streamlining Freight in Downtown Frederick	City of Frederick	\$30,000
Upper Midtown Land Use & Access Study	City of College Park	\$30,000
New Design Road Side Path Phase 1	Frederick County	\$80,000
Concept & Feasibility Study - Bicycle Path at Industrial Drive	City of Gaithersburg	\$45,000
Cherrywood Lane Complete & Green Street Retrofit Project	City of Greenbelt	\$80,000
Microtransit Pilot Performance Assessment	Montgomery County	\$40,000
Bus Stop Accessibility Inventory	City of Takoma Park	\$50,000



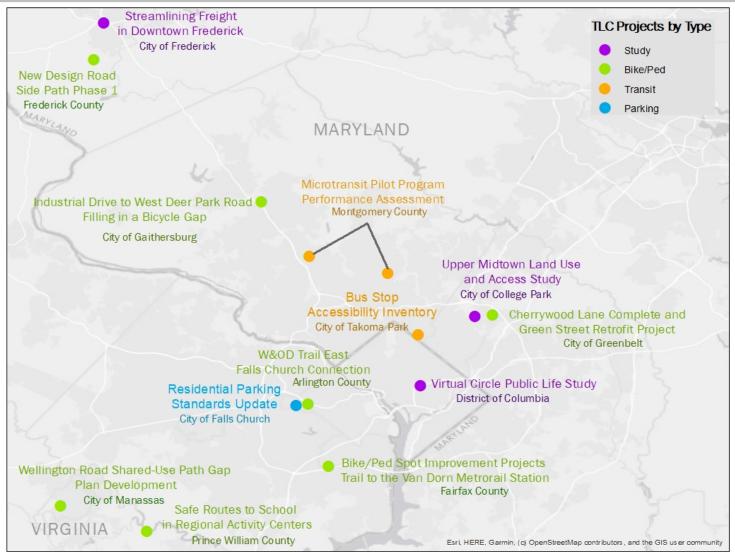
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Project	Jurisdiction/ Agency	Funding
W&OD Trail - East Falls Church Connection	Arlington County	\$55,000
Trail to Van Dorn Metro - Spot Improvements Design	Fairfax County	\$70,000
Residential Parking Standards Update	City of Falls Church	\$40,000
Wellington Road Shared Use Path Concept Plan	City of Manassas	\$60,000
Safe Routes to School Planning in Activity Centers	Prince William County	\$40,000





Draft Funding Recommendations





Next Steps

- Present project recommendations to TPB for approval at May 15 meeting
- Begin consultant selection process in late May





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