

**NOTICE OFFERING PUBLIC HEARING BY  
 ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
 CONCERNING  
 FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION PROGRAMS**

Notice is hereby given that the Arkansas Department of Transportation is submitting applications to the Federal Transit Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation for Federal funding assistance for the following Programs. Funds are allocated to the State of Arkansas for Federal Fiscal Year 2024. Federal financial assistance will be requested for the Program of Projects published in this notice. Projects and amounts listed represent proposed projects and estimated costs. The proposed programs will also be the final programs unless amended.

These applications are available for public inspection at the Arkansas Department of Transportation, Public Transportation Programs Section, 10324 Interstate 30, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Any interested citizen may request a public hearing be held on the applications by submitting a request in writing prior to 4:30 p.m., on September 24, 2024, to Latina Sisco, Section Head, Public Transportation Programs Section, Local Programs Division, Arkansas Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 2261, Little Rock, Arkansas 72203.

**PROGRAM OF PROJECTS  
 SECTION 5305 – FHWA/FTA CONSOLIDATED  
 METROPOLITAN PLANNING PROGRAM  
 FFY 2024 – FAIN: AR-2024-000 (AR-81-X000)**

<b>PROJECT – JOB NUMBER</b>	<b>FEDERAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>STATE MATCH</b>	<b>LOCAL MATCH</b>	<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>
<b>ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</b>				
Planning – Program Support/Assistance (818)	\$ 166,285	\$ 0	\$ 41,571	\$ 207,856
<b>METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS</b>				
Metroplan (819)	\$ 1,249,168	\$ 0	\$ 312,292	\$ 1,561,460
Frontier Metropolitan Planning Organization (820)	\$ 293,097	\$ 0	\$ 73,274	\$ 366,371
Northeast AR Regional Transp. Planning Commission (821)	\$ 174,396	\$ 0	\$ 43,599	\$ 217,995
Northwest AR Regional Planning Commission (822)	\$ 883,220	\$ 0	\$ 220,805	\$ 1,104,025
Southeast AR Regional Planning Commission (823)	\$ 110,344	\$ 0	\$ 27,586	\$ 137,930
Tri-Lakes Metropolitan Planning Commission (824)	\$ 139,771	\$ 0	\$ 34,943	\$ 174,714
Texarkana Metropolitan Planning Organization (825)	\$ 60,510	\$ 0	\$ 15,128	\$ 75,638
West Memphis Metropolitan Planning Organization (826)	\$ 92,924	\$ 0	\$ 23,231	\$ 116,155
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 3,169,715</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ 792,429</b>	<b>\$ 3,962,144</b>

**PROGRAM OF PROJECTS  
SECTION 5311 – RURAL AREAS FORMULA PROGRAM  
FFY 2024 – FAIN: AR-2024-000 (AR-18-X000)**

<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>FEDERAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>STATE MATCH</b>	<b>LOCAL MATCH</b>	<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>
State Administration	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,000,000
Project Administration	\$ 3,482,840	\$ 586,224	\$ 284,486	\$ 4,353,550
Operating (Rural)	\$ 10,706,602	\$ 9,204,172	\$ 1,502,430	\$ 21,413,204
Preventive Maintenance	\$ 124,000	\$ 0	\$ 31,000	\$ 155,000
Operating (Intercity)	\$ 1,436,524	\$ 0	\$ 1,436,524	\$ 2,873,048
Capital (Intercity - Buses)	\$ 1,265,848	\$ 0	\$ 316,462	\$ 1,582,310
RTAP	\$ 297,061	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 297,061
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 18,312,875</b>	<b>\$ 9,790,396</b>	<b>\$ 3,570,902</b>	<b>\$ 31,674,173</b>

**PROGRAM OF PROJECTS  
SECTION 5329 – STATE SAFETY OVERSIGHT PROGRAM  
FAIN: AR-2024-000 (AR-74-X000)**

<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>FEDERAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>STATE MATCH</b>	<b>LOCAL MATCH</b>	<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>
<b>Program Support and Administration</b>				
FFY 2024	\$ 488,857	\$ 0	\$ 122,215	\$ 611,072
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 488,857</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ 122,215</b>	<b>\$ 611,072</b>

**PROGRAM OF PROJECTS  
SECTION 5339 – BUS AND BUS FACILITIES FORMULA PROGRAM  
FFY 2024 – FAIN: AR-2024-000 (AR-34-0000)**

<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>FEDERAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>STATE MATCH</b>	<b>LOCAL MATCH</b>	<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>
Black River Area Development (BRAD) – Replacement – Bus (1)	\$ 90,956	\$ 22,739	\$ 0	\$ 113,695
Eureka Springs Transit – Replacement – Trolley Bus (1)	\$ 204,000	\$ 0	\$ 51,000	\$ 255,000
Mid-Delta Transit – Replacements - Bus ( 2) - Van (2)	\$ 333,632	\$ 0	\$ 83,408	\$ 417,040
North AR Transit Service (NATS) – Replacements – Van (2)	\$ 222,206	\$ 0	\$ 55,551	\$ 277,757
North AR Transit Service (NATS) – Laptop and AC Machine	\$ 8,644	\$ 0	\$ 2,161	\$ 10,805
Ozark Regional Transit (ORT) – Repave Parking Lot	\$ 36,902	\$ 0	\$ 9,226	\$ 46,128
Pine Bluff Transit (PBT) – Expansions – Bus (2) – Van (4)	\$ 524,144	\$ 0	\$ 131,036	\$ 655,180
South Central AR Transit (SCAT) – Replacements – Bus (7) – Van (9)	\$ 1,435,959	\$ 0	\$ 358,990	\$ 1,794,949
South Central AR Transit (SCAT) – Laptops, Network Equipment, Support Vehicle	\$ 93,001	\$ 0	\$ 23,250	\$ 116,251
Southeast AR Transportation (SEAT) – Replacements – Van (12)	\$ 999,482	\$ 0	\$ 249,871	\$ 1,249,353
Southeast AR Transportation (SEAT) – Computers, Cameras, ID Badge System	\$ 51,074	\$ 0	\$ 12,769	\$ 63,843
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 22,739</b>	<b>\$ 977,262</b>	<b>\$ 5,000,001</b>

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