

State Match Advantage for Rural Transportation (AZ SMART) Fund Program

ADOT Multimodal Planning Division June 21, 2024

AZ SMART Eligibilities



Eligible Uses include:

- Reimburse up to 50% of grant development and submission costs of a federal grant application. Limited to:
 - Counties with population of less than 100,000 and
 - Cities/towns with population of less than 10,000
- Match for a federal grant
- Reimbursement for design and other engineering services that meet federal standards for projects eligible for a federal grant

Eligible applicants are ADOT, all cities/towns and counties outside of Maricopa and Pima Counties, and Gila Bend in Maricopa County



Federal Grants associated with Funding Requests

Grant Program	Brief Description/ Program Goals	Eligible Applicants	Eligible Projects
Safe Streets and Roads for All Program (SS4A)	To support planning, infrastructure, behavioral, and operational initiatives to prevent death and serious injury on roads and streets involving all roadway users, including pedestrians; bicyclists; public transportation, personal conveyance, and micromobility users; motorists; and commercial vehicle operators.	City or township governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), County governments, Special district governments.	Action Plan Grants are used to develop, complete, or supplement a comprehensive safety action plan. Implementation Grants are available to implement strategies or projects that are consistent with an existing Action Plan.
Local and Regional Project Assistance (RAISE)	The RAISE program is a competitive grant program for investments in surface transportation infrastructure that will have a significant local or regional impact.	States, a unit of local government, a public agency or publicly chartered authority, a special purpose district or public authority with a transportation function, a Federally recognized Indian Tribe or a consortium of such Indian Tribes, a transit agency, and a multi-State or multijurisdictional group of entities	Highway, road, bridge, public transportation, passenger and freight rail, port infrastructure, replace/rehabilitate a culvert, prevent stormwater runoff to improve habitat for aquatic species, any other surface transportation infrastructure project the Secretary considers to be necessary
Bridge Investment Program	Planning funding for planning, feasibility analysis, and revenue forecasting associated with the development of a project that would subsequently be eligible to apply for BIP funding under either the Bridge Projects or Large Bridge Projects. Bridge annd Large Bridge Projects for bridge replacement, rehabilitation, preservation, and protection projects that: (1) improve the safety, efficiency, and reliability of the movement of people and freight over bridges; and (2) improve the condition of bridges in the United States by reducing (a) the number of bridges, and total person miles traveled over bridges, that are in poor condition or that are in fair condition and at risk of falling into poor condition within the next three years.	State, MPO, LG, District or public authority with transportation function, FLM, Tribal Government, Multistate/jurisdictional entities.	



AZ SMART Request:

\$890,000 for DOES

Navajo County

Project: Silver Creek Drive and Silver Lake Blvd Crossings

AZ SMART Request will fund DOES for:

 One Bridge Reconstruction and one Resilient Storm Drain Crossing Reconstruction

- Project will:
 - Replace the existing pipe culverts
 - Reconstruct the existing structures to be able to accommodate the 50-year storm event
- Applicant requests ADOT administration.

Project Locations

3,295

creek Side Cir.

Applicant will pursue 2026
 Bridge Investment Program
 and RAISE Grants





ADOT

AZ SMART Request:

\$195,300 for Match

Project: Coconino Local Road Safety Plan

AZ SMART Request will fund Match for:

- Local Road Safety Plan
- Project will:
 - Assess safety conditions on major County arterial and major collector roads (see right)
 - Data collection and analysis, and expansion of project scopes
 - Develop a county-wide Local Road Safety Plan for each facility

Summary of Major Arterial Road Data

Road	Year	Total Crashes	Fatal Crashes		
Lake Mary Rd North	2014-2023	158	1		
Lake Mary Rd South	2018-2022	49	1		
Leupp Rd	2018-2022	40	3		
Townsend-Winona	2018-2022	79	2		
Perkinsville Rd	2018-2022	14	1		
Garland Prairie	2018-2022	11	1		
Stoneman Lake Rd	2018-2022	15	0		
Double A Ranch Rd	2018-2022	10	0		
Mormon Lake Rd	2018-2022	6	0		
Old Highway 66	2018-2022	8	0		
Spring Valley- Red Lake Rd	2018-2022	3	0		

- Applicant intends to be a direct recipient.
- Applicant will pursue 2024 Safe Streets for All Grant



Application Summary

Description	Navajo County	Coconino County					
Application Summary							
AZ SMART Category	County 100K+	County 100K+					
COG/MPO	NACOG	NACOG					
Project Type	Bridge Reconstruction	Local Road Safety Plan					
Project Name	Silver Creek Dr and Silver Lake Blvd Crossings	Coconino County Local Road Safety Plan					
Project Limits	Silver Creek Dr at Rocky Arroyo; Silver Lake Blvd at Silver Creek	Non-infrastructure project - Coconino County					
All in Applicant ROW?	N/A	Yes					
Application Received	5/1/2024 15:59:40	5/22/2024 9:07:46					
AZ SMART Request							
Federal Grant	Bridge Investment Program, Local and Regional Project Assistance (RAISE), PROTECT Grant Program	Safe Streets for All					
Federal Grant phase	Construction	Planning/Study					
GDS requested	\$0	\$0					
DOES requested	890,000	\$0					
Match Requested	\$0	195,300					
Applicant Match	\$0	\$0					
Applicant Match %*	0%	0%					
Project Partners*	N/A	N/A					
Federal Grant Submission	Applicant or consultant will submit directly	Applicant or consultant will submit directly					
Federal Grant Application Year	2026	2024					
Federal Grant Project administration	ADOT Administration	Direct Recipient					
Cost Estimate Docume	ntation (attached with application)						
Estimates in YOE	Yes	Yes					
Source of estimates	Developed by the Applicant	Developed by the Applicant					

As of 05/31/2024	Cumulative AZ SMART Fund Report										
	ADOT		1	Muni < 10K		Muni 10K+		County < 100K		County 100K+	
		ARS§28-339 F.5		ARS§28-339 F.4		ARS§28-339 F.3		ARS§28-339 F.2		ARS§28-339 F.1	
Total Revenue											
Legislative Appropriations /1	\$	12,500,000	\$	12,500,000	\$	12,500,000	\$	12,500,000	\$	12,500,000	
Interest Earnings to Date		704,835	\$	704,914	\$	704,922	\$	704,936	\$	704,936	
Total Revenues		13,204,835	\$	13,204,914	\$	13,204,922	\$	13,204,936	\$	13,204,936	
Total Approved (Set Aside, Underway and Expended)											
Grant Development			\$	4,600			\$	50,000			
Match Awards	\$	3,937,057	\$	-	\$	3,527,407	\$	3,300,000	\$	4,047,342	
Design & Engineering	\$	3,750,000	\$	8,579,382	\$	6,525,707	\$	4,241,199	\$	5,170,000	
Miscellaneous/Overhead		100,000									
Total	\$	7,787,057	\$	8,583,982	\$	10,053,114	\$	7,591,199	\$	9,217,342	
Available for Awards	\$	5,417,778	\$	4,620,932	\$	3,151,808	\$	5,613,737	\$	3,987,594	
Pending Requests											
Grant Development			\$	-			\$	-			
Match Awards		-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	195,300	
Design & Engineering		-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	890,000	
Total	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,085,300	
After Approval of Pending Requests		5,417,778		4,620,932		3,151,808		5,613,737		2,902,294	

Requested Actions



- Approve \$890,000 in DOES for the Navajo County's application for the Silver Creek Dr and Silver Lake Blvd Crossings
- Approve \$195,300 in Match for Coconino County's application for the Local Road Safety Plan