

NOTICE OFFERING PUBLIC HEARING BY
ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
CONCERNING
FISCAL YEAR 2020 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 Fiscal Year 2021. 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 29, 2020, to Greg Nation, Administrator, Public Transportation Programs Section, Transportation Planning and Policy Division, Arkansas Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 2261, Little Rock, Arkansas 72203.

PROGRAM OF PROJECTS

SECTION 5305 - CONSOLIDATED METROPOLITAN PLANNING PROGRAM	FEDERAL AMOUNT	LOCAL AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
PROJECT – JOB NUMBER			
Arkansas Department of Transportation			
Planning - Program Support / Assistance (885)	\$122,107	\$30,527	\$152,634
Metropolitan Planning Organizations			
Metroplan (886)	\$1,019,484	\$254,871	\$1,274,355
Frontier Metropolitan Planning Organization (887)	\$248,366	\$62,092	\$310,458
Northeast AR Regional Transportation Planning Commission (888)	\$134,827	\$33,707	\$168,534
Northwest AR Regional Planning Commission (889)	\$605,541	\$151,385	\$756,926
Southeast Arkansas Regional Planning Commission (890)	\$108,808	\$27,202	\$136,010
Tri-Lakes Metropolitan Planning Organization (891)	\$113,539	\$28,385	\$141,924
Texarkana Metropolitan Planning Organization (892)	\$52,039	\$13,010	\$65,049
West Memphis Metropolitan Planning Organization (893)	<u>\$82,789</u>	<u>\$20,697</u>	<u>\$103,486</u>
PROGRAM TOTAL	\$2,487,500	\$621,876	\$3,109,376
SECTION 5311- RURAL AREAS FORMULA PROGRAM	FEDERAL AMOUNT	LOCAL AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
PROJECT			
Operating (Rural)	\$6,217,787	\$6,217,787	\$12,435,574
Operating (Intercity)	\$829,670	\$829,670	\$1,659,340
Capital (Intercity)	\$544,000	\$136,000	\$680,000
RTAP	<u>\$238,615</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$238,615</u>
PROGRAM TOTAL	\$7,830,072	\$7,183,457	\$15,013,529

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This notice is available from the ADA/504/Title VI Coordinator in large print, on audiotape and in Braille.