

Tribal Transportation Funding Resources

- **Tribal Transit Program (TTP)**
Public Transportation on Indian Reservations Program
Federal Transit Administration (FTA)
Funding to support the planning, capital, and, in limited circumstances, operating assistance for tribal public transit services. Does not replace nor reduce funds that tribes receive from States through FTA's Section 5311 program.

❖ May 13, 2016

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=282205>

- **Low or No Emissions Program (Low-No Program)**
Federal Transit Administration (FTA)
Funding for purchase or lease of zero-emission and low-emission transit buses, including acquisition, construction and leasing of required supporting facilities.

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=282627>

- **5339(b) Grants for Buses and Bus Facilities (Bus Program)**
Urbanized Area Formula Program; Federal Transit Administration (FTA)
Funding to improve the condition of public transportation bus fleets, expand transportation access to employment, education, healthcare and to improve mobility in rural and urban areas nationwide.

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=282624>

- **Rides to Wellness Demonstration and Innovative Coordinated Access and Mobility Grants program** - Innovative Coordinated Access and Mobility Grants Program
Federal Transit Authority (FTA)
Funding for Native Nations who lead transportation, healthcare and human service stakeholders in their community to support the testing of innovative transportation methods to connect more people to healthcare and wellness. Successful proposals will offer to test transportation methods that other communities could replicate.

❖ May 31

<https://www.transit.dot.gov/funding/applying/notices-funding/rides-wellness-demonstration-and-innovative-coordinated-access-and>

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- **Innovations Deserving Exploratory Analysis (IDEA Program)**
Transportation Research Board (TRB)
The IDEA programs provide start-up funding for new, promising though not yet tested, innovations in surface transportation systems that are unlikely to be funded through traditional sources. Applications are accepted in three areas: 1) Transit, 2) Rail Safety and 3) National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP) for the construction, safety management or maintenance of highway systems.
 - ❖ May 1 or November 2, 2016 (Transit)
 - ❖ September 15, 2016 (Rail Safety)
 - ❖ March 1 or September 1, 2016 (NCHRP)

<http://www.trb.org/IDEAProgram/>

- **Implementation Assistance Program** - The Second Strategic Highway Research Program (SHRP2) Round 7; Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)
Funding to implement SHRP2 Solutions that raise awareness of the solution and encourage early adoption.
 - ❖ April 29, 2016

<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/goshrp2/ImplementationAssistance>

- **SHRP2 Education Connection** - The Second Strategic Highway Research Program (SHRP2) Round 7; Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)
Funding to incorporate SHRP2 products into collegiate level lesson plans and curricula.
 - ❖ April 29, 2016

<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/goshrp2/>

- **Accelerated Innovation Deployment Demonstration (AID)**
Technology and Innovation Deployment Program (TIDP), Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP)
Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)
Funding for tribes eligible to receive services from the Bureau of Indian Affairs.
 - ❖ Rolling deadline

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=245654>

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- **Section 5311 Grant Applications**

Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT)

Funding for Tribal Transit Providers in Oklahoma. Completed applications must include published legal notices regarding public engagement and notice to accept bids from disadvantaged businesses. For any questions on this opportunity, please contact Joshua D. Jones at (405) 521-2531 or JDJones@odot.org.

- ❖ April 1, 2016 – Letter of Interest

- ❖ May 1, 2016 – Completed Application

<http://www.odot.org/transit/s5311/index.htm>

- **Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Native American Tribes Grant - Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA)**

U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Funding to increase tribal effectiveness in safely and efficiently handling hazardous materials incidents, to enhance implementation of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) and encourage a comprehensive approach to emergency training and planning by incorporating the unique challenges of responses to transportation situations.

- ❖ May 2, 2016

<http://www.grantsolutions.gov/gs/preaward/previewPublicAnnouncement.do?id=55628>

- **Indian Highway Safety Improvement Program (IHSP)**

Highway Safety Act of 1996 (U.S.C. title 23, Section 402, U.S. DOT)

Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA)

Funding for tribes to implement traffic safety projects that will reduce crashes and resulting fatalities, injuries and property damage within Native communities.

- ❖ May 2, 2016

<http://www.bia.gov/WhoWeAre/BIA/OJS/who/fieldops/ojs-dhs/2016IHSPGrant/index.htm>

- **P2 Grant - Pollution Prevention Grant Program**

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Funding for tribes to deliver technical assistance and training to local and regional businesses to encourage them to reduce their environmental footprint by adopting environmental strategies and solutions that significantly reduce or eliminate waste. For some ideas of sustainable innovations, check out the Every Day Counts site by FHWA:

<https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/innovation/resources/>

- ❖ May 9, 2016, 10:59 p.m. Central Time

<https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2016-03/documents/2016rfpp2grant.pdf>

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- **Historic Preservation Fund**

Tribal Historic Preservation Office (THPO) - National Park Service
Department of Interior (DOI)

Formula grants to Tribal Historic Preservation Offices for activities in the identification, evaluation and preservation of cultural and historic resources, including surveys, education, archeology, planning and technical assistance that will assist THPOs in carrying out responsibilities stated under 54 USC 301 et seq. (National Historic Preservation Act of 1996 as amended through 2006).

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=281468>

- **Nationally Significant Freight and Highway Projects (NSFHP) program**
Fostering Advancements in Shipping and Transportation for the Long-Term
Achievement of National Efficiencies (FAST LANE)

U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

Funding for critical tribal projects of national or regional significance that address major issues in highways and bridges. The minimum award for large projects is \$25 million, small projects are eligible for a minimum award of \$5 million. NSFHP funds may only total 60% of the total project budget.

❖ April 14, 2016, 7 p.m. Central Time

<https://www.transportation.gov/FASTLANEgrants>