



REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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Transportation Alternatives (TA) Set-Aside Program

CALL FOR PROJECTS

The Regional Transportation Commission of Washoe County (RTC) administers the TA Set-Aside Program for the Reno-Sparks metropolitan planning area. This call for projects invites eligible agencies to apply for available funding for federal fiscal years (FFYs) 2026 and 2027 (October 1, 2025 - September 30, 2027). Based on the formula provided, RTC anticipates awarding approximately \$1.5 million in total over two years. Please be advised that the exact funding apportionment for FFY 2027 has not yet been announced and the amount awarded will be subject to the availability of federal funds. Applicants should submit one application per funding cycle.

The Transportation Alternatives (TA) Set-Aside Program provides funding for a variety of smaller scale but critically important transportation projects in Washoe County such as:

- Pedestrian and bicycle facilities
- Construction of turnouts, overlooks, and viewing areas
- Community improvements such as historic preservation and vegetation management
- Environmental mitigation related to stormwater and habitat connectivity
- Recreational trails
- Safe routes to school projects
- Vulnerable road user safety assessments.

Agencies eligible to receive TA Set-Aside funds include:

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| • Local governments | • Individual schools |
| • Tribal governments | • Local education agencies |
| • Natural resource agencies | • Local/regional transportation entities |
| • Public land agencies | • Local/regional recreational trail entities |
| • School districts | • Nonprofit entities |

The deadline for submitting applications is **11:59 PM** local time on **May 9, 2025**. Application materials—to include a detailed budget, project map, and other relevant documents—should be submitted via our [application](#), which can be accessed on RTC's [TA Set-Aside page](#). The TA Set-Aside page also contains the program document and this call for projects.

Please note that the previous call for projects version referenced a fillable PDF application that was available on our website with instructions to submit via email. Through our efforts to increase web accessibility, we have now converted the PDF into a web form. If you possess a copy of the fillable form and prefer to use it, you may still submit it via email during this application period.

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