



Recreational Trails Program

RTP is a federally-funded grant program of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) that provides funds to states to develop and maintain recreational trails and trail-related facilities.

The minimum grant amount available is \$10,000, and the maximum is \$100,000 for *Nonmotorized* trail projects.

OHV trail projects are eligible for the maximum amount of *Motorized* funding available.



Who can apply?

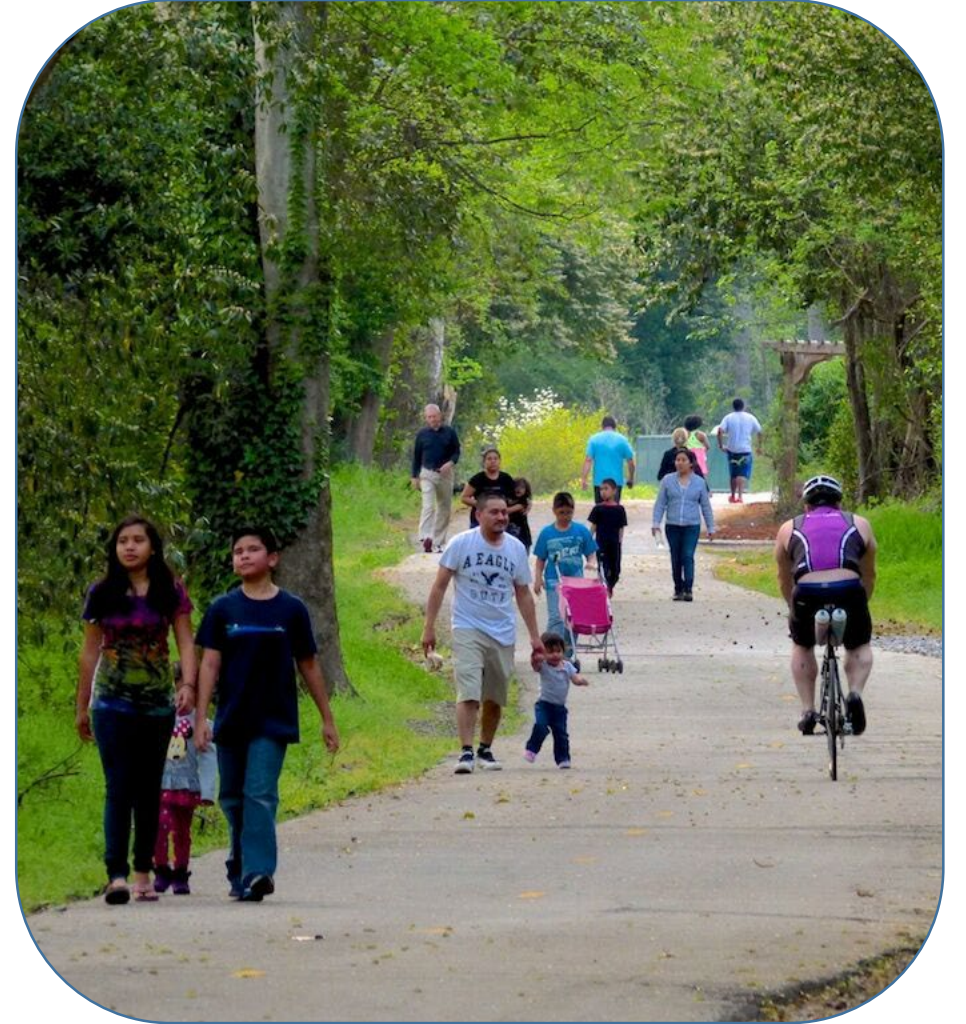
- Local, State and Federal agencies
- Established nonprofit organizations
 - Must be a registered 501(c)(3) organization and provide copy of IRS tax exempt letter
- Established for-profit organizations
 - Must be "in the business of recreation"

**Nonprofit and for-profit organizations must have at least one full-time employee and operate recreational facilities open to the public.*

Eligible Projects

- Construction of new recreational trails
 - Hiking/walking
 - Cycling/mountain biking
 - OHV-use (ATVs and off-road motorcycles)
 - Kayaking/Canoeing
 - Horseback riding/equestrian
- Maintenance and restoration of existing trails
- Development and rehabilitation of trailhead and trailside amenities

SCPRT will begin accepting Letters of Intent (LOIs) on Aug. 1, 2023.





Points of Interest

- RTP project agreement period is 18 months
- 25-year project compliance term
- Project sponsors must follow state procurement code and regulations
- RTP is a reimbursement grant that requires at least a 20% match — project sponsor pays 100% up front — RTP reimburses up to 80% of total project cost
- **For more information, contact Neal Hamilton at (803) 734-0735 or nhamilton@scprt.com**

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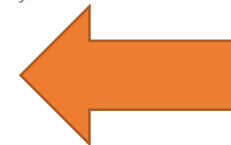
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