

# **Central Arkansas Planning & Development District**

# **Grant Funding Source Directory**

## Statewide Funding Resources

### ARKANSAS ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS GRANT

**Phone:** 501-904-5575

The purpose and mission of The Arkansas Association of Conservation Districts is to assist the conservation districts of the state of Arkansas in their efforts to serve the soil and water conservation needs of the people of Arkansas.

### ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM OUTDOOR RECREATION GRANTS

**Phone:** 501-682-1301

The Arkansas Department of Parks & Tourism Outdoor recreation grants is to assist cities and counties to improve outdoor recreation within their local communities. Their mission is to advocate for public outdoor recreation throughout Arkansas by providing local communities with planning and financial assistance.

# ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANTS, FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS, AND COMMUNITY FAIRGROUNDS GRANTS

Phone: 1.800.ARKANSAS

The mission of the Arkansas Economic Development, Division of Rural Services and the Arkansas Rural Development Commission is to enhance the quality of life in rural Arkansas. Currently, more than 80% of Arkansans live in rural areas.

# ARKANSAS HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT: TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM AND RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM (TAP)

Phone: 501-569-2000

The TAP provides funding for programs and projects defined as transportation alternatives, replacing the funding from per-MAP-21 programs including Transportation Enhancements and Safe Routes to School (SRTS), wrapping them into a single funding source. The (TAP) is a reimbursement-type grant program. The program provides for an 80 percent federal share and a 20 percent match will be required from the eligible sponsor.



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# **Federal Funding Resources**

#### **DELTA REGIONAL AUTHORITY**

The Delta Regional Authority works to improve regional economic opportunity by helping to create jobs, build communities, and improve the lives of the 10 million people who reside in the 252 counties and parishes of the eight-state Delta region. The Delta Regional Authority fosters local and regional partnerships that address economic and social challenges to ultimately strengthen the Delta economy and the quality of life for Delta residents.

#### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS

As the only federal government agency focused exclusively on economic development, the U.S. Department of Commerce's Economic Development Administration (EDA) plays a critical role in facilitating regional economic development efforts in communities across the nation. EDA works directly with communities and regions to help them build the capacity for economic development based on local business conditions and needs.

#### FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE GRANTS

Hazard Mitigation is any action taken to reduce or eliminate long term risk to people and property from natural disasters. Hazard Mitigation planning is a process used by state, tribal, and local governments to identify risks and vulnerabilities associated with natural disasters and develop mitigation strategies to reduce or eliminate long term risks. Examples of Hazard Mitigation projects funded by FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Assistance grant programs may include, but are not limited to buy-outs, elevations and safe rooms.

#### JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAMS

The JAG Program provides states, tribes, and local governments with critical funding necessary to support a range of program areas including law enforcement, prosecution, indigent defense, courts, crime prevention and education, corrections and community corrections, drug treatment and enforcement, planning, evaluation, technology improvement, and crime victim and witness initiatives and mental health programs and related law enforcement and corrections programs, including behavioral programs and crisis intervention teams.

#### USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT GRANTS/LOANS

The USDA promotes economic development by supporting loans to businesses through banks, credit unions and community-managed lending pools. They offer technical assistance and information to help agricultural producers and cooperatives get started and improve the effectiveness of their operations.