



PUBLIC NOTICE

FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS

The Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) has announced the availability of **Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund (STIF)** grants to support public transportation services through the Salem Area Mass Transit District (District). The District is the “Qualified Entity” overseeing the allocation of these funds for Marion and Polk counties. STIF funds may be used for public transportation projects, including operations, capital purchases, or planning. These funds support projects and services from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2027. Paper application will not be accepted. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. on **October 25, 2024**.

Submit STIF formula funding application using following subrecipient application form:
<https://www.cognitofrms.com/odot2/subrecipientprojectapplication202527/>

STIF grant application instructions are available at:
<https://www.oregon.gov/odot/RPTD/RPTD%20Committee%20Meeting%20Documents/2025-27-STIF-Plan-Application-Instructions.pdf>

The STIF Advisory Committee (STIFAC) members will review grant applications and prepare a project priority ranking that will be presented at District’s December 2024 Board of Directors meeting. Public testimony will be allowed during the STIFAC meeting which will be held online on **November 1, 2024**.

For questions, contact Kirra Pressey, Executive Assistant, at kirra.pressey@cherriots.org or (503) 588-2424.

Si desea una copia de este aviso público en español, por favor visite la web a partir del 19 de septiembre de <https://www.cherriots.org/grants/> o pro teléfono: (503) 588-2424.