Planning Sustainable Places Program

ADVANCING A SUSTAINABLE REGION PLACE BY PLACE

2025 Project Recommendations

MARC Board

September 24, 2024

Planning Sustainable Places Background

• Program builds on previous regional planning initiatives



- Implements the MARC Board's adopted policy statement on regional land use direction
- Goal: help local communities advance their local vibrant, connected and green projects towards implementation



By the Numbers | **Planning Projects**

- 101 Projects
 - 50 in KS, 51 in MO
 - One regional project
- 32 Communities
- \$10.8 Million

Projects have addressed:

- Complete Streets
- Multi-modal hubs
- Zoning overlays
- Design Guidelines





Project Type

Sustainable Places Plan

Project Development

Implementation Activities

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By the Numbers | **Implementation**

- 46 PSP Projects*
- 24 Communities*
- 56% of Implementation Without Federal Transportation Funds

\$428+ Million in Implementation



Pre-Construction 35 Projects*



Construction

20 Projects*



Completed 13 Projects*

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As of 2023*

Project Impacts



The Nieman Corridor and eastern portion of Shawnee Mission Parkway **would not be undergoing the intense redevelopment** and place making that they are without the visioning efforts that were fostered by the PSP program. – Shawnee, KS NKC would not be spending **\$18+ Million** on transportation projects without **the two complete street plans** that these investments are implementing. These are catalytic projects that are going to have longterm impacts on our community's land use. – North Kansas City, MO The PSP program provides a great mechanism for **leveraging local funding for transportation and sustainability planning** at a site/corridor level; and being a smaller community with limited financial resources, it's one of our only means to do this for many transportation corridors in our community that have been neglected and need attention. – Olathe, KS



Program Future

- Both Program and many PSP Projects have received awards of excellence
- PSP Projects in recent Transportation Call for Projects were some of the highest scoring applications received
- PSP approved for 2025 Surface Transportation Program Funding to continue program





Response & Recommendation

- For FY2025 (\$1.62m in STP \$ available)
 - \$900,000 in STP \$ (Missouri)
 - \$720,000 in STP \$ (Kansas)
- 20 Projects Submitted, Total of \$2.15 M in requests

Recommendation

- 17 Projects, Total \$2.3 M including local match
- Projects span 8 counties in KS and MO

Kansas Recommendation

202	2025 Kansas Planning Sustainable Places Funding Recommendation										
Project	Primary Applicant	Project Title	ProjectType	Project Score	Score Rank	Priority	Federal Amount Requested	Local	Recommended % Funding	Revised Total	
23	Unified Government	UG Zoning Code Update	Sustainable Places Plan	90	1		\$ 150,000	\$150,000	100% \$150,000	\$	300,000
42	City of Bonner Springs	Bonner Springs Connectivity and Walkability Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	81	3		\$ 65,000	\$ 21,500	90% \$ 58,500	\$	80,000
50	City of Leavenworth	7th Street Corridor Study	Sustainable Places Plan	74	6		\$ 65,000	\$ 65,000	90% \$ 58,500	\$	123,500
54	City of Osawatomie	Mile Zero Trailhead Master Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	71	7		\$ 36,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 36,000	\$	45,000
45	City of Overland Park	Overland Park Wayfinding Master Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	70	8		\$ 64,000	\$ 14,000	90% \$ 57,600	\$	71,600
51	City of Basehor	Basehor Reimagined Active Transportation Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	70	8	2	\$ 120,000	\$ 30,000	<mark>\$</mark> -	\$	-
49	City of Basehor	Basehor Town Center Trail and Recreation	Sustainable Places Plan	68	10	1	\$ 60,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 34,000	\$	49,000
39	City of Mission	Martway/Rock Creek Trail Corridor Plan: Martway West	Project Development	82	2		\$ 96,000	\$ 24,000	90% \$ 86,400	\$	110,400
55	Johnson County	Fast and Frequent Transit Service on the Metcalf Corridor	Project Development	81	3		\$ 150,000	\$ 37,500	90% \$135,000	\$	172,500
47	City of Shawnee	Downtown Shawnee Wayfinding Plan	Project Development	80	5		\$ 56,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 50,000	\$	70,000

Total	\$ 862,000 \$386,000	\$666,000 \$ 1,022,000
Available	\$ 666,000	\$666,000
Difference	\$ (196,000)	\$ -
Funded Projects		9

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Missouri Recommendation

Project Number	Primary Applicant	Project Title	ProjectType	Project Score	Score Rank	Priority	Federal Amount equested	Local	Recommended % Funding		Revised Total	
53	City of Kearney	Connected Kearney Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	89	1		\$ 75,000	\$ 25,000	100%	\$	75,000	\$ 100,000
40	City of Kansas City	Forgotten Homes and Independence Plaza Study	Sustainable Places Plan	85	2		\$ 150,000	\$ 37,500	100%	\$	150,000	\$ 187,500
52	City of Platte City	Historic Downtown Platte City and Courthouse Square	Sustainable Places Plan	84	3		\$ 150,000	\$ 50,000	100%	\$	150,000	\$ 200,000
41	City of Lee's Summit	Rock Island Trail Connectivity and Wayfinding Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	82	4		\$ 40,000	\$ 15,000	100%	\$	40,000	\$ 55,000
38	КСАТА	Blue Ridge TOD and Transit Center Study	Sustainable Places Plan	81	5		\$ 150,000	\$ 35,500		\$	142,000	\$ 177,500
34	City of Liberty	MO 291 Multimodal Corridor Study: Kansas St. to Leonard	Sustainable Places Plan	75	6	2	\$ 150,000	\$ 37,500		\$	-	\$ -
33	City of Liberty	Leonard/Lightburne Multimodal and Reconstruction Study	Sustainable Places Plan	70	7	1	\$ 150,000	\$ 35,625	95%	\$	142,500	\$ 178,125
35	City of Harrisonville	Harrisonville Downtown Area Traffic and Parking Study	Sustainable Places Plan	68	8		\$ 120,000	\$ 36,000	95%	\$	114,000	\$ 150,000
56	City of Parkville	Parkville Sidewalk Gap Inventory and Rating Plan	Sustainable Places Plan	65	9		\$ 20,000	\$ 4,750	95%	\$	19,000	\$ 23,750
24	City of Liberty	Glenn Hendren Corridor Study	Sustainable Places Plan	57	10	3	\$ 150,000	\$ 37,500		\$	-	\$ -

2025 Missouri Planning Sustainable Places | Missouri Funding Recommendation

Total	\$1,155,000 \$314,375	\$ 832,500	\$ 1,071,875
Available	\$ 832,500	\$ 832,500	
Difference	\$ (322,500)	\$-	
Funded Projects		8	

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Recommendation

- Approve the recommended project list from the Sustainable Places Policy Committee & Total Transportation Policy Committee.
- Authorize receipt of \$720,000 from the Kansas Surface
 Transportation Program and receipt of \$900,000 from the Missouri
 Surface Transportation Program.
- Authorize receipt of local match funds from project sponsors.
- Authorize the Executive Director to execute agreements with project sponsors.
- Authorize the release of Request for Proposals (RFPs) for selected
 projects under MARC management.