

Primary Extension Funding Program Application Process

Eligibility:

1. Routes which are both locally maintained and have a primary route number (i.e. Route 250); AND,
2. Those routes which have a Combined Condition Index of less than 60, as determined by VDOT or determined by the locality using pavement assessment evaluation and rating process equivalent to that used by VDOT.

Background:

Virginia Code section 33.1-23.1 (B) authorizes the set-aside of up to \$500,000,000 to provide for certain transportation purposes. Of that amount 25% is set aside for the reconstruction of interstate, primary, and primary extension routes which have a combined condition index of less than 60. Primary extensions represent approximately 14% of the total lane miles for this set aside.

Each year, 14% of the allocations will be made available for reconstruction and rehabilitation projects on primary extensions, using a competitive application process.

Application:

Each locality with qualifying routes may apply for available funds annually using the application found on the VDOT Local Assistance Division website.

Each locality will be required to submit separate application for each identified project and each locality will be limited to a maximum of one million dollars (for all projects) each year.

Scoring will be on a statewide competitive basis using the following criteria: up to 50 points will be provided dependent on the route segment's highest Combined Condition Index; up to 35 points will be provided based on the route's lowest AADT; an additional 15 points will be awarded to those localities who have expended at least 25% of their maintenance payment allocations on pavements in their localities (see attached for a list of eligible localities).

Allocations will be ranked statewide and available allocations will be awarded in the order of ranked priority. The intent is to fully fund projects up to the one million dollar local maximum (there will be no proration of allocations).

All projects which receive funding must be advertise within six months of the award or be subject to deallocation.

A VDOT-Local Government Project Administration agreement will be necessary.

FY 15 Schedule:

Applications due to VDOT District Contact	August 1, 2014
Applications due to VDOT Local Assistance Division	August 15, 2014
Tentative selections presented to CTB	October 15, 2014
CTB approval/allocation.....	November 15, 2014
Project award.....	November 15, 2014
Project Administration Agreement to Locality	December 15, 2014
All projects advertised	May 15, 2015

American Disabilities Act Requirements for Resurfacing Projects

Localities are reminded that, pursuant to federal laws, certain maintenance activities trigger compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). We anticipate that most projects funded through this process will meet the minimum threshold for ADA compliance and your project estimates should include the need to comply with these requirements. For further information regarding maintenance activities and ADA compliance, please see the joint Department of Justice/Department of Transportation Joint Technical Assistance memorandum located at <http://www.ada.gov/doj-fhwa-ta.htm> and the Federal Highway Administration's *Federal Aid Essentials* module entitled *ADA Requirements for Resurfacing Projects* at <http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/federal-aidessentials/catmod.cfm?id=107> .

Localities Eligible for Additional 15 Points toward scoring criteria

ALEXANDRIA	ROANOKE
ASHLAND	ROCKY MOUNT
BEDFORD	SALEM
BIG STONE GAP	SMITHFIELD
BLACKSBURG	SOUTH BOSTON
BLACKSTONE	SOUTH HILL
BLUEFIELD	STAUNTON
BRIDGEWATER	STRASBURG
BRISTOL	TAZEWELL
CHARLOTTESVILLE	VA BEACH
CHESAPEAKE	VIENNA
CHINCOTEAGUE	VINTON
CHRISTIANSBURG	WARRENTON
CLIFTON FORGE	WAYNESBORO
COLONIAL HEIGHTS	WILLIAMSBURG
COVINGTON	WINCHESTER
DANVILLE	WISE
DUMFRIES	WOODSTOCK
ELKTON	WYTHEVILLE
FAIRFAX	
FALLS CHURCH	
FARMVILLE	
FRANKLIN	
FRONT ROYAL	
HAMPTON	
HARRISONBURG	
HERNDON	
LEBANON	
LEESBURG	
LURAY	
LYNCHBURG	
MANASSAS	
MANASSAS PARK	
MARION	
MARTINSVILLE	
NARROWS	
NEWPORT NEWS	
NORFOLK	
NORTON	
ORANGE	
PEARISBURG	
POQUOSON	
PURCELLVILLE	
RICHLANDS	