Available Funding
Eligible Applicants
Eligible Projects
Other requirements
Selection Process
Timeline
AVAILABLE FUNDING

$27.7 million for competitive grants to provide nonmotorized infrastructure development and enhancements

- Maximum request is $4 million
- No Minimum
APPLICANTS

▷ Local Agencies
▷ Nonprofit Organizations
▷ Non-Governmental Land Conservation Organizations
▷ Federally Recognized Native American Tribes
▷ Non-Federally Recognized California Native American Tribes Listed on the California Tribal Consultation List Maintained by the Native American Heritage Commission
▷ Joint Powers Authorities
▷ State Conservancies
PROJECTS

Criteria of Eligibility
EXAMPLES OF ELIGIBLE PROJECTS

▷ New non-motorized trails
▷ New non-motorized trail segments
▷ Non-motorized bridges
▷ Trailhead facilities
▷ Acquisition of land
Three Bridges
Oak Preserve
L.A. River Greenway Walking Trail
Cloverdale River Park – Phase 3
Mountain Gate Fishing Access
Hidden Falls Regional Park
Truckee River
Legacy Trail
Phase 3B
Trailhead
TRACKS AT BREA
WHAT PROJECTS ARE INELIGIBLE?
EXAMPLES

▷ Planning only, or operation and maintenance projects
▷ Projects to fulfill mitigation requirements
▷ Projects that are not publicly accessible
▷ Projects that create or improve roads for motorized use
▷ Projects contingent on future acquisition for project implementation
OTHER GENERAL REQUIREMENTS, PRIORITIES & CONSIDERATIONS

WHAT, THERE’S MORE?
Mandatory

▷ At least 20% for projects serving a severely disadvantaged community

▷ Not serving a disadvantaged community? 20% match required

▷ Planning, monitoring and reporting

▷ Up to 25% of funds for innovative transportation projects that provide new and expanded outdoor experiences to disadvantaged youth
GENERAL, continued

Where practicable

▷ Workforce education and training…
▷ Conservation of water supplies
▷ Recycled water
▷ Stormwater capture, recharge
▷ Safe and reliable drinking water
▷ Safer interconnectivity

THINK ABOUT IT
SEVERELY DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES

Defined as a community with a median household income less than 60 percent of the statewide average

http://www.parksforcalifornia.org/communities
State Park’s Community Fact Finder
PRIORITIES

▷ Leveraged Funding

▷ Utilize CCC or Local Corps

▷ Water Consumption Efficiency or Carbon Sequestration Features
OTHER FUNDING CONSIDERATIONS

*Competitive*

- Multiple benefits
- Community engagement
OTHER FUNDING CONSIDERATIONS

**Required**

- Public Access
- CEQA
- Labor codes
- Willing seller
SELECTION PROCESS

A FRIENDLY COMPETITION
SELECTION PROCESS

Step One: Project Proposal

Step Two: On-Site Evaluation

Step Three: Supporting Documentation

Funding Awards to Most Competitive Projects
## STEP ONE: INITIAL PROJECT PROPOSAL EVALUATION

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STEP ONE: The Submittal - Overview

On-line submittal includes–

- Summary
- Project Questions
- Site Plan
- Cost Estimate
- Photos
- Outreach plan/one-page summary
STEP TWO: On-Site Evaluation
STEP TWO:
Have you walked the project?
Are your partners / landowners on board?
STEP THREE: Supporting Documentation (Qualifying Applicants)
STEP THREE: 30 days ……

Including, but not limited to …

▷ Resolution
▷ Site Control
▷ Operations & Maintenance
▷ CEQA (Minimum due diligence documents)
▷ CCC Consultation
▷ Willing Seller Letter
Cold Read

Walk your project site

Know who has jurisdiction

Don’t say NA without an explanation

Don’t miss opportunities with your answers

Know the project is doable e.g., due diligence

When in doubt, call 😊
## ANTICIPATED TIMELINE

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WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Project Examples
Evaluation Questions
○ Public Meetings

○ Via Email
  bondsandgrants@resources.ca.gov

○ Or US Mail
  Trails and Greenways Grant Program
  California Natural Resources Agency
  1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1311
  Sacramento, CA 95814

COMMENTS DUE
MAY 31, 2019
Additional Funding Opportunities

▷ Green Infrastructure
▷ Urban Stormwater & Waterways Improvement
▷ Environmental, Enhancement & Mitigation
▷ Museum Grant Program
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