MTP Policy Bundle Fact Sheet

Must my entity complete a new Application?

Yes, all entities must complete a new Application each year and submit all required documentation.

How many TDCs will be available?

Annually, the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) team will review federal funding availability for the upcoming year and determine the number of Transportation Development Credit's (TDCs) to be allocated to all new qualifying entities.

When can I request an Application?

Applications can be requested at any time but Applications will not be available to be sent to the requestors until the next Round opens in the fall.

How do I request an Application?

Applications can be requested by going to: <u>https://www.nctcog.org/trans/plan/mtp/policy-bundle</u> and clicking on the *Request an Application* link.

How long do we have to use any TDCs awarded?

TDCs will be available to program through the TIP team throughout the fiscal year as opportunities arise. Entities have one year from the date of the award to add new projects to the TIP. Entities must work with NCTCOG staff to allocate TDCs to an eligible project. Once projects are selected for inclusion in the TIP, entities have two years to meet the following requirements or the TDCs expire:

- Sign a TDC agreement with the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)
- Begin project implementation

What type of projects are eligible?

- Must be used for new projects, not previously selected projects
- Must be eligible for federal roadway or air quality funds
- Projects that improve air quality and relieve congestion including transit improvements, bicycle and pedestrian facilities and programs, and traffic flow improvements
- Projects will be vetted against typical Regional Transportation Council (RTC) selection criteria

Timeline for MTP Policy Bundle:

Early Fall	Early Spring	Summer
Applications Available	Applications Due	Staff review/RTC Approval of Awards for next fiscal year
Notice to STTC – Fast Fact – November & December	Early Deadline – includes staff review will be one (1) month prior to final deadline.	Notice to awardees