

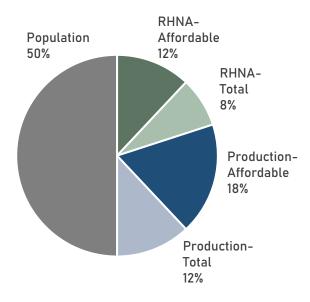
## One Bay Area Grant County & Local Program Call for Projects Guidelines

MTC Programming & Allocations Committee
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# Nomination Targets

### Factors and Inputs

- Maintain OBAG 2 factors and relative weights, updated with the most recent available data
  - 50% Population (2021)
  - 30% Housing Production (2007-19 building permits, capped at RHNA totals)
  - 20% RHNA Allocation (2023-32 period)
  - Affordability Weighting (housing factors weighted 60% affordable, 40% total units)



- ❖ Nomination targets exceed available funds in the County & Local Program (120% of available program capacity)
- Targets do not imply nor guarantee amounts for individual jurisdictions

### Nomination Targets

County	Targets %	Targets \$M
Alameda	20%	\$83
Contra Costa	14%	\$57
Marin	3%	\$12
Napa	2%	\$6
San Francisco	15%	\$62
San Mateo	9%	\$37
Santa Clara	27%	\$109
Solano	5%	\$19
Sonoma	6%	\$23
CTA Nomination Totals 120% available funds		\$408
Funds Available County & Local Program		\$340

Totals may not add due to rounding.

## Call for Projects Process

#### MTC and CTA Roles

- MTC initiates regionwide call for projects
- CTAs assist with local outreach and initial project screening process, using processes reviewed by MTC for consistency with guidelines
- ❖ Countywide nomination targets guide CTAs in the maximum amount of funding requests that they can submit to MTC for project selection
- MTC selects projects based on initial screening & prioritization by CTAs and additional regional project evaluations

### Outreach Requirements and Guidance

- Engage potential sponsors, interested stakeholders, and members of the public throughout the project solicitation process
- Ensure opportunities for input are accessible to all, including people with disabilities and limited-English proficiency populations
- If applicable, CTAs are encouraged to leverage recent, relevant public engagement efforts to supplement dedicated call for projects outreach

### **Evaluation Criteria**

### CTA Screening and Nominations

- Minimum criteria requirements:
  - Screen projects to confirm eligibility for federal funds and regional requirements
  - Prioritize projects based on alignment with federal and regional policies
  - Give greater weight to projects with demonstrated community support
  - Consider project deliverability
- CTAs may incorporate additional criteria to address local priorities

### MTC Regional Evaluation and Selection

- Confirm CTA, sponsor, and project eligibility
- Score projects based on:
  - CTA ranking normalized across counties
  - Regional impact, including effectiveness and contribution to regional objectives and significant networks
  - Deliverability, with consideration for sponsor capacity and past performance
  - Cost-effectiveness of air quality improvements (CMAQ funds only)
- ❖ Balance overall program based on investment targets, project type diversity, equity, and geographic spread

# Program Requirements

### **Sponsor Requirements**

- Certified Housing Element and annual progress reporting
- ❖ Compliance with current state laws governing surplus lands, density bonus, and accessory dwelling units, including the Housing Accountability Act
- Compliance with regional Complete Streets policy & checklist, and state requirements for Local Road Safety Plans (LRSP) or equivalent

### **Investment Targets**

- County Priority Development Area (PDA) minimum investments
  - 50% North Bay counties
  - 70% elsewhere
  - New uniform definition qualifying projects
- \$200M program wide Active Transportation investment target
- \$25M regionwide Safe Routes to School (SRTS) investment target

# Planned Implementation Timeline

Commission Approval of Call for Projects Guidelines CTA Processes & Criteria Development March-April CTAs, in coordination with MTC, develop local call for projects processes Call for Projects MTC releases regional call for nominations CTAs follow with countywide calls for projects activities **Project Nominations Deadline** September CTAs submit Board-approved prioritized project nomination lists Regional Evaluation & Prioritization October-December MTC staff complete emissions benefits calculations, evaluate nominations **MTC Project Selection** Programming of projects into 2023 TIP to follow