

Build Kansas Fund | Fiscal Year 2024 Application Package | Memo



To: Senator Ty Masterson, Chair, Build Kansas Advisory Committee
Murl Riedel, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Shauna Wake, Office of the Kansas State Treasurer

From: Matthew A. Volz, P.E., Executive Director, Kansas Infrastructure

Hub RE: Build Kansas Fund Application # 2024-027-MARC

Date: April 17, 2024

Attached, please find an application made to the Build Kansas Fund by the City of Edgerton.

The application packet includes the following items:

- Coversheet – provides a high-level overview of the application including a unique identification number, page 1 of 9 of the Build Kansas Fund Application Package.
- Build Kansas Fund Application – includes information submitted with the Build Kansas Fund Application, pages 2-7. Page 7 provides the table of funding sources.
- Attachments – executive summary, pages 8-9.

Project Overview

The City of Edgerton seeks funding from the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) for funding available through the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) for development of their first Comprehensive Safety Action Plan.

SS4A is a discretionary BIL program that has a local match requirement of 20%. The City of Edgerton is requesting \$45,000 from the Build Kansas Fund. This request has the potential to unlock \$180,000 in federal funds.

The next deadline for SS4A applications is May 16, 2024. The Build Kansas Fund application was received on March 15, 2024.

Build Kansas Fund Steering Committee Recommendation

The Build Kansas Fund Steering Committee reviewed this application on April 17, 2024, following a successful completeness check. The Steering Committee **RECOMMENDS APPROVAL** of Build Kansas Funding to the Build Kansas Advisory Committee for final advice.

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Build Kansas Fund Application Number	2024-027-MARC
Project Name	City of Edgerton Safety Action Plan
Entity Type	Local Government
Economic Development District (EDD) Planning Commission	MARC Mid-America Regional Council
Infrastructure Sector(s)	Transportation
BIL Program	Safe Streets for All (SS4A)
BIL Program Type	Discretionary
BIL Application Deadline	4/4/2024
Build Kansas Fund Request	\$45,000
Technical Assistance Received	General Yes
	BIL Application No
	Build Kansas Fund Application Yes
	Other (Brief Description): Provide support on BKF application
Application Notes	Build Kansas Fund contribution of \$45,000 will unlock \$180,000 in federal BIL funding.



Steering Committee Funding Recommendation	April 17, 2024 Recommend
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Advisory Committee Target Review	DATE Recommend or Deny
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Advisory Committee Funding Recommendation	DATE Approve or Deny
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Completeness Review Data

Date Build Kansas Application Received:	3/15/2024
Date Of Completeness Check:	3/19/2024
Date Forwarded to Steering Committee:	3/20/2024

Title **The City of Edgerton Kansas** 03/15/2024
by **Holly Robertson** in **Build Kansas Fund Fiscal Year 2024 Application** id. 45913613
hrobertson@edgertonks.org

Original Submission 03/20/2024

Score n/a

Part 1: Applicant Information

The name of the entity applying for the Build Kansas Fund: The City of Edgerton Kansas

Project Name: Edgerton Safety Action Plan

Entity type: Local Government

Applicant Contact Name: Holly Robertson

Applicant Contact Position/Title: CIP Project Manager

Applicant Contact Telephone Number: +19134243621

Applicant Contact Email Address: hrobertson@edgertonks.org

Applicant Contact Address: 404 E Nelson

Applicant Contact Address Line 2 (optional): PO Box 255

Applicant Contact City: Edgerton

Applicant Contact State: Kansas

Applicant Contact Zip Code: 66021

Is the Project Contact the same as the Applicant Contact? Yes

Part 2: Build Kansas Fund - Eligibility Criteria

Certify that you are pursuing a viable Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity for which your entity is eligible: Yes

Certify that the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity you are pursuing has a required non-federal match component: Yes

What is the primary county that the project will occur in? Johnson County

The Build Kansas Fund is intended to support Kansas-based infrastructure projects. Please provide a list of all the zip codes this project will be located in, along with an estimated percent [%] of the project located in that zip code. For example, if seeking funding for road infrastructure, provide a rough percent of the roads expected in each zip code:

[Zip Code Percentage.xlsx](#)

Part 3: Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) - Grant Application Information
Please Note: This information is related to the federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity to which you will apply. This is NOT information for the Build Kansas Match Fund.

Please enter the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity title that the entity is applying for: USDOT FY24 Safe Streets and Roads for All Funding

What is the funding agency for this Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity? U.S. Department of Transportation

What is the Assistance Listing Number (ALN) for this Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity? 20.939

What is the application due date for this Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity? 4/4/2024

What is the federal fiscal year for this Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity? 2024

Enter the amount of funding being applied for, from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) funding opportunity: \$180,000.00

Enter the required non-federal match percentage: 20.0

Part 4: Build Kansas Fund - Match Application Information

Enter the non-federal match amount being requested from the Build Kansas Fund: \$45,000.00

Is the project able to move forward with a lesser match amount than requested? No

If you are awarded less match than the amount requested, at what amount would your project NOT be able to move forward? \$45,000.00

Expected breakdown of funding sources to support the project: Enter the funding source and projected amount from each source to support this project:

[Kansas+DOT+table.xlsx](#)

Part 5: Build Kansas Fund - Means Test

Confirm that there are no available funding sources currently planned to go unused by your entity that could be leveraged for this project: Yes

Confirm there are no available American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) or Coronavirus State & Local Fiscal Recovery Fund monies that could be used for this match: Yes

Confirm that you have explored other readily available funding sources (federal or non-federal) to be used for this match: Yes

Briefly describe your efforts to find other available funding sources for this project: The City of Edgerton does not have any unused funds to leverage for this project. We are currently under construction for a new community center, park renovation, and sewer extension that are anticipated to fully leverage their respective budgets and beyond. Additionally, the ARPA money received has been used for our Lead Service Line Inventory as required through the EPA Lead and Copper Rule Revision. If successful, we anticipate this project will prepare The City of Edgerton for future federal grant applications for capital projects related to improving safety of our roadways. These subsequent grant applications, if successful, will leverage additional federal funds for the improvement of Kansas roads.

Part 6: Additional Information

Please upload a copy of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) program application associated with this request OR a 2-page executive summary providing an overview of the project:

[Edgerton_Safety_Action_Plan_Executive_Summary_SS4A.pdf](#)

Provide any additional information about this project (optional):

Part 7: Terms and Conditions

Understanding of Fund Release Requirements: checked

Understanding of Use of Funds: checked

Understanding of Reporting Requirements: checked

Authority to Make Grant Application: checked

Persons and Titles: Holly Robertson
The following persons are responsible for making this Build Kansas Fund application.

Position/Title:

Additional:

Position/Title:

Additional:

Position/Title:

Additional:

Position/Title:

Internal Form

Score n/a

Pre-Award Information:

Post-Award Information:

Source	Amount	Zip Code	% of project in zip code
BIL Federal Funds (applied for)	\$ 180,000.00	66021	100% in Kansas
Build Kansas Funds (non-federal match)	\$ 45,000.00		
Additional Project Contribution (if applicable)			
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$ 225,000.00		



March 15, 2024

Secretary Calvin Reed
Kansas Department of Transportation
Dwight D. Eisenhower State Office Building
700 S.W. Harrison Street
Topeka, Kansas 66603-3745

Dear Secretary Reed:

The City of Edgerton Kansas is requesting the support of the Kansas Department of Transportation through providing matching funds for our proposed Edgerton Safety Action Plan. We are requesting the Kansas Build Fund consider funding our 20% match required to pursue federal funding through the FY24 Safe Street and Roads for All (SS4A) a Bi-Partisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) program.

Project Description:

The Edgerton Safety Action Plan will be a new comprehensive action plan to reduce serious injury and fatal crashes throughout our road system. The City of Edgerton is connected to multiple economic centers including the BNSF Intermodal Facility, Logistics Park Kansas City (LPKC), the Kansas City metropolitan area, and sources of the global food supply through our local farms. As Edgerton continues to grow both with new residential and commercial developments as well as the continued expansion of LPKC it is essential that we evaluate the safety of the current and future expansion of our road system.

The Edgerton Safety Action Plan will include data gathering measures to identify safety related problems and provide strategies to address and remedy those problems. This plan will incorporate community input and collaborate with connected stakeholders like Johnson County, KDOT, and other connected transportation entities to create an inclusive approach to safety. The Edgerton Safety Action Plan will establish achievable goals for the City to greatly reduce crash severity as well as improve the safety culture in our community.

The results of this plan will include safety related policies and procedures for future transportation development and equity of our road system for all users. Inclusion for the safety of vulnerable users of our road system like bikers and pedestrians will also be incorporated into the safety goals for the Edgerton Safety Action Plan.

Budget Narrative:

The City of Edgerton has evaluated the costs for comprehensive safety action plans for other municipalities in our area including the City of Paola (\$144,500), the City of Spring Hill (\$237,500), Unincorporated Johnson County (\$270,000) and the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation (\$267,900). Considering the population of Edgerton as well as the additional transportation safety considerations related to frequent rail traffic and freight traffic from LPKC, the cost estimate for the Edgerton Safety Action Plan is anticipated to be approximately \$225,000.

The City of Edgerton is requesting \$45,000 (20%) of the project costs to be covered through the Kansas Build Fund in support of our application for \$180,000 (80%) through the FY24 SS4A Program federally funded by BIL.

Please let us know if you have any questions regarding this information.

Sincerely,



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