



**Community  
Planning Program**



Chicago Metropolitan  
Agency for Planning

**Local Technical  
Assistance Program**

**Application form:  
Community Planning program and  
Local Technical Assistance program**

**DEADLINE: Noon on Wednesday, June 26, 2013**

This application form is online at [www.rtachicago.com/applications](http://www.rtachicago.com/applications). You may submit the form by email to [applications@rtachicago.com](mailto:applications@rtachicago.com).

Upon receipt of application, you will receive an e-mail verifying that your application has been received.

**1. Name of Applicant: Northbrook Park District**

**2. Main Contact for Application (please include name, phone number and email): Jennifer Rooks-Lopez (847)897-6124 [jrooks-lopez@nbparks.org](mailto:jrooks-lopez@nbparks.org)**

**3. Type of Applicant (please check any that apply): Park District**

Local government

Multijurisdictional group\*  $\longrightarrow$  Please list the members of the group (including government and nongovernmental organizations):

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Nongovernmental organization\*  $\longrightarrow$  Name of local government partner(s):

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\*Applications submitted by multijurisdictional groups and nongovernmental organizations must include a letter indicating support from each relevant local government. See the FAQs for more information. Nongovernmental applicants are strongly encouraged to contact CMAP or the RTA prior to submitting their application to discuss their project and the demonstration of local support.

#### 4. Project Type (please check any that apply):

Please check all statements below that describe characteristics of your project. (This will help us determine whether your project is best handled by CMAP or RTA.)

My project involves preparation of a plan.

My project helps to implement a past plan.

My project links land use, transportation, and housing.

My project has direct relevance to public transit and supports the use of the existing transit system.

My project is not directly related to transportation or land use, but implements GO TO 2040 in other ways.

#### 5. Project Location:

Please provide a brief description of the location of your project. You may include a map if that helps to describe location, but this is not required. If your project helps to implement a past plan, please include a link to that plan. Please see the included map of preferred bike route through the Village of Northbrook.

#### 6. Project Description:

**Please tell us what you would like to do in your community, and what assistance is needed.** If you have more than one idea, please submit a separate application for each project. Please be specific, but also brief (less than two pages per project idea)—we simply want to have a basic understanding of what you want to do. CMAP and RTA staff will follow-up with you if we need any additional information to fully understand your proposed project.

Our project is to work with the Village of Northbrook to create specific onsite route signage based on our already developed preferred routes map (attached) that will direct bicycle riders through the village to key locations such as shopping, parks and schools. Signs would indicate if the route includes designated bicycle lanes, bicycle paths or onstreet unmarked riding. Signs would also indicate the level of difficulty for young riders.

The following are links to the Village of Northbrook Bicycle plans.

<http://www.northbrook.il.us/index.aspx?page=254>

<http://www.northbrook.il.us/Modules/ShowDocument.aspx?documentid=928>

<http://www.northbrook.il.us/Modules/ShowDocument.aspx?documentid=3802>

<http://www.northbrook.il.us/Modules/ShowDocument.aspx?documentid=815>

(Please include any additional information that is relevant, preferably by providing links to online documents.)

