

APPLICATION FORM

RTA Community Planning Program and CMAP Local Technical Assistance Program

Deadline: Noon on Friday, October 26, 2018

This application form is online at www.rtachicago.org/applications. You may submit the form by email to applications@rtachicago.org. Please submit one application per project as a PDF package. Please avoid submitting multiple PDFs for the same application.

Please list the members of the group (including government and nongovernmental organizations):

Village of Bartlett

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TYPE OF APPLICANT

(please check all that apply)

- Local Government**
- Multijurisdictional group***
- Nongovernmental organization***

*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.

1. 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.

The Village of Bartlett is located in Cook, DuPage and Kane Counties, approximately 31 miles northwest of downtown Chicago.

2. 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. For plan updates please tell us how you will be building upon (or replacing) the previous work. Program staff will follow-up with you if we need any additional information to fully understand your proposed project. (Please limit your responses to 6000 characters including spaces).

The Village of Bartlett is looking to adopt lighting regulations in our Zoning Ordinance. The only Zoning District that currently has codified lighting standards is the I-2 EDA (General Industry Economic Development Area) District which was adopted in 2001. The current standards in the I-2 EDA District only specify maximum foot-candle measurements at the property line and maximum pole height. The Village strongly feels that lighting regulations are an important tool for setting limits of light pollution to conserve energy while minimizing glare, light trespass and skyglow.

The Village is looking to reduce light pollution, glare and light trespass, while implementing exterior lighting standards which can save tax dollars and increase safety. The Village would like to adopt standards for residential and non-residential zoning districts as recommended by the International Dark Sky Association (IDA) and Illuminating Engineering Society of North America (IES). With the many changes to lighting technology since 2001, the Village is looking to adopt regulations that include but are not limited to: types of fixtures, fixture shielding, correlated color temperature (CCT), site lumen limits, light trespass, and restrictions for specialty purposed lighting (gas station canopies, sports fields, etc). Village Staff has been working for several years to update the Village's Zoning Ordinance but unfortunately due to both Staff and monetary constraints has not been able to research and write lighting regulations.

Regulating exterior lighting throughout the Village's corporate boundaries will improve energy efficiency and sustainability meeting the "Resilience" principal of the On To 2050 Plan. One of the goals of adopting lighting regulations is to reduce the costs of Village-owned lighting due to the uncertainty of local and state budgets.

2. Project Description (continued)

3. Additional Strategic Partnerships. Please list any additional partners you may want to include in this planning project, and specify if you have made contact with them in advance of submitting this application. (Please limit your response to 1400 characters).

The Village of Bartlett does not have any additional strategic partnerships that we would like to include in this planning project.

PLAN CHARACTERISTICS

My project involves:

- The preparation of a plan.
- Updating an existing plan.
- Implementation of a previous plan.
- 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 addresses ON TO 2050 and/or Invest In Transit in other ways.

ON TO 2050 ALIGNMENT

(Please check all that apply)

- Inclusive Growth
- Prioritized Investment
- Resilience

RTA INVEST IN TRANSIT ALIGNMENT

(please check all that apply)

- Deliver Value on our transit investments
- Build on the strengths of the transit network
- Keep transit competitive

