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U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Transit Administration

Application

Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)	AZ-2026-005
Application Number	AZ-2026-005-00
Temporary Application Number	6721-2026-1
Award Name	FY2025 5311 TTP Operating Assistance and Vehicle Purchase
Application Status	Final Concurrence / Reservation
Budget Revisions	0

Period of Performance Start Date	N/A		
Original Period of Performance End Date	2/29/2028		
Current Period of Performance End Date	2/29/2028	Revision #: 0	Approved?: No

Budget Period Start Date	N/A
Budget Period End Date	2/29/2028

Part 1: Recipient Information

Name: YAVAPAI APACHE NATION

Recipient ID	Recipient OST Type	Recipient Alias	UEI	DUNS
6721	Indian Tribe	Yavapai Apache Nation	SAGLFZKK7UK2	017872552

Location Type	Address	City	State	Zip
Physical Address	2400 W DATSI ST	CAMP VERDE	AZ	86322
Mailing Address	2400 W. DATSI STREET	CAMP VERDE	AZ	86322

Union Information

There are no union contacts for this application

Part 2: Application Information

Title: FY2025 5311 TTP Operating Assistance and Vehicle Purchase

Application Number	Application Status	Award Type	Application Cost Center	Date Created	Last Updated Date	From TEAM?
AZ-2026-005-00	Final Concurrence / Reservation	Grant	Region 9	4/21/2026	4/21/2026	No

Application Executive Summary

This funding application requests FY 2025 5311 Tribal Formula Funds apportioned to Yavapai-Apache Nation, Arizona in the amount of \$373,489

Overall Grant Funding:

Total Federal Funds \$373,489

No Match

Total Eligible Project Cost \$373,489

Yavapai-Apache Nation is submitting this grant application in support of the following activities: operating assistance and the purchase of two vehicles.

Frequency of Milestone Progress Reports (MPR)

Annual

Frequency of Federal Financial Reports (FFR)

Annual

Does this application include funds for research and/or development activities?

This award does not include research and development activities.

Pre-Award Authority

This award is using Pre-Award Authority.

Does this application include suballocation funds?

Recipient organization is directly allocated these funds and is eligible to apply for and receive these funds directly.

Will this Grant be using Lapsing Funds?

No, this Grant does not use Lapsing Funds.

Will indirect costs be applied to this application?

This award does not include an indirect cost rate.

Indirect Rate Details: N/A

Requires E.O. 12372 Review

No, this application does not require E.O. 12372 Review.

Delinquent Federal Debt

No, my organization does not have delinquent federal debt.

Award Description

Purpose

For this application \$373,489 from the second 2025 allocation will be used to assist the continued operation of Yavapai-Apache Nation Transit System. Funds will be used for salaries, benefits, maintenance, fuel, supplies, training/travel and purchase of additional transit vehicles. Funds will be used for employee compensation and continued safety training for all operators and support staff as required.

Activities to be performed:

Activities to be performed will include review of current employee status and adjust salaries and benefits as required. Another activity will be the scheduling of vehicles for routine maintenance and safety inspections. Scheduling of employees safety and operational trainings will also be performed. An additional activity for this funding will be the purchase of two expansion vehicles

Expected outcomes:

Outcomes expected from this funding allocation will be to improve Yavapai-Apache Transit by retaining and adding qualified employees, ensure operators are properly trained and vehicles are safe to operate.

Intended beneficiaries:

Beneficiaries of this project will include members of the Yavapai-Apache Nation, residents of the Verde Valley in Central Arizona, residents of Yavapai County with the expanded services. All beneficiaries will benefit from expanded services to additional medical facilities, commercial zones, educational opportunities and expanded areas of Yavapai County. Yavapai-Apache Nation has successfully operated a public transit system located in the Verde Valley of Central Arizona for over 15 years. The operation covers three towns in the Verde Valley along with the Yavapai-Apache Nation and rural Yavapai County.

Subrecipient Activities:

No subrecipients will be part of this funded project

Application Point of Contact Information

First Name	Last Name	Title	E-mail Address	Phone
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Michelle	Ruan	Community Planner	michelle.ruan@dot.gov	213-757-5985

Application Budget Control Totals

Funding Source	Section of Statute	CFDA Number	Amount
5311 - Tribal Transit Program Formula	5311-1B	20509	\$373,489
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0

Adjustment		\$0
Total Eligible Cost		\$373,489

Application Budget

Project Number	Budget Item	FTA Amount	Non-FTA Amount	Total Eligible Amount	Quantity
AZ-2026-005-01-00	600-00 (600-A1) OTHER PROGRAM COSTS	\$373,489.00	\$0.00	\$373,489.00	3
AZ-2026-005-01-00	11.13.04 BUY <30-FT BUS FOR EXPANSION	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	\$200,000.00	2
AZ-2026-005-01-00	30.09.01 Op Assist at 100% Fed Share for TTP grants	\$173,489.00	\$0.00	\$173,489.00	1

Discretionary Allocations

This application does not contain discretionary allocations.

Part 3: Project Information

Project Title: FY25 5311 TTP Operating Assistance and Vehicle Purchases

Project Number	Temporary Project Number	Date Created	Start Date	End Date
AZ-2026-005-01-00	6721-2026-1-P1	4/22/2026	5/1/2026	2/29/2028

Project Description

Project Funding

Federal Funds: \$373,489

No Local Match

Total Project Cost: \$373,489

The Yavapai-Apache Nation will be using funds from this application from this application to continue the operation of the Yavapai-Apache Nation Transit System for salaries, benefits, maintenance, fuel, operational supplies, staff training/travel and to purchase of two vehicles. Funds will be used for employee compensation and continued safety training for all operators and support staff as required. Remaining funds will be used to assist in covering fuel costs, operational supplies, vehicle maintenance, travel/training for the period May 1, 2026 to December 31, 2027.

Project Benefits

The Yavapai-Apache Nation, residents of the Verde Valley in Central AZ, residents of Yavapai County will benefit from the access to additional medical and educational facilities, commercial zones and additional areas of Yavapai County through public transit. Yavapai-Apache Nation has successfully operated a public transit system located in the Verde Valley for over 15 years. The operation includes the Yavapai-Apache Nation, the three towns located on the Verde Valley, rural Yavapai County and has expanded to include

additional areas of Yavapai County.

Additional Information

None provided.

Location Description

Project will take place in rural Central Arizona

Project Location (Urbanized Areas)

UZA Code	Area Name
040000	Arizona

Congressional District Information

District	State
2	Arizona

Program Plan Information

STIP/TIP

Date: 10/1/2025

Description: Not Provided

UPWP

Date: N/A

Description: N/A

Long Range Plan

Date: 8/1/2025

Description: NACOG Plan that includes Yavapai-Apache Nation Transit

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Project Budget Activity Line Items

Budget Activity Line Item: 11.13.04 - BUY <30-FT BUS FOR EXPANSION

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
OTHER PROGRAM COSTS (600-00)	11.13.04	BUY <30-FT BUS FOR EXPANSION	BUY EXPANSION - CAPITAL BUS	2

Extended Budget Description

Project Funding
 Federal FY25 5311 Tribal Formula Funds: \$200,000
 No Local Match
 Total Project Cost: \$200,000

This activity will fund the purchase of two shuttles to be used by Yavapai-Apache Nation Transit. These shuttles will be ADA compliant with wheelchair lifts and wheelchair locks.

Will 3rd Party contractors be used to fulfill this activity line item?

Yes, 3rd Party Contractors will be used for this line item.

Funding Source	Section of Statute	CFDA Number	Amount
5311 - Tribal Transit Program Formula	5311-1B	20509	\$200,000
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$200,000

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
RFP for Vehicles	6/30/2026	RFP for vehicles sent to local dealers and state transit providers
Vehicle Delivery	8/31/2026	Vehicles to be delivered
Project Closeout	10/31/2026	Invoicing complete

Budget Activity Line Item: 30.09.01 - Op Assist at 100% Fed Share for TTP grants

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
OTHER PROGRAM COSTS (600-00)	30.09.01	UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE	OPERATING ASSISTANCE	1

Extended Budget Description

Project Funding

Federal FY25 5311 TTP Funds: \$173,489

No Local Match

Total Project Cost: \$173,489

This activity line item will fund operating assistance for the Yavapai-Apache Nation public transit system for the period May 1, 2026 to December 31, 2027. The application requests funding for FY 2025 5311 Tribal Transit Formula apportioned to Yavapai-Apache Nation in the amount of \$173,489. This grant applies Section 5311 funds for the Yavapai-Apache Nation to support operating costs such as salaries, benefits, vehicle maintenance, fuel, operational supplies, training, and travel to state and national conferences.

Will 3rd Party contractors be used to fulfill this activity line item?

No, 3rd Party Contractors will not be used for this line item.

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State			\$0
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Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$173,489

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Operations Start Date	5/1/2026	Service starts 5/01/2026
Operations End Date	12/31/2027	Operating Assistance End
Project Closeout	2/29/2028	Invoicing completed, project to be close out

Project Environmental Findings

Finding: Class II(c) - Categorical Exclusions (C-List)

Class Level Description

Class II(c) consists of projects that do not have a significant environmental impact on the human or natural environment and are therefore categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or an environmental impact statement. FTA requires a sufficient project description to support a CE determination. The project may require additional documentation to comply with other environmental laws.

Categorical Exclusion Description

Type 04: Planning and administrative activities which do not involve or lead directly to construction, such as: training, technical assistance and research; promulgation of rules, regulations, directives, or program guidance; approval of project concepts; engineering; and operating assistance to transit authorities to continue existing service or increase service to meet routine demand.

Date	Description
	Class IIc CE Approved

Scope Name / Code	Line Item Number	Line Item Name	Quantity	FTA Amount	Total Eligible Cost
OTHER PROGRAM COSTS (600-00)	11.13.04	BUY <30-FT BUS FOR EXPANSION	2	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
OTHER PROGRAM COSTS (600-00)	30.09.01	Op Assist at 100% Fed Share for TTP grants	1	\$173,489.00	\$173,489.00

Part 4: Fleet Details

No fleet data exists for this application.

Part 5: FTA Review Comments

FTA Comments for DOL

Comment By Michelle Ruan

Comment Type DOL Review for Information

Date 6/25/2026

Comment This application contains tribal formula funds for operating assistance and vehicle purchase.

Application Review Comments

Comment By Michelle Ruan

Comment Pre-Award Manager Returns Application

Type

Date	4/23/2026
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Comment	Comments and edits will be sent by email - MR
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