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U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Transit Administration

Application

Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)	OK-2026-015
Application Number	OK-2026-015-00
Temporary Application Number	7340-2026-1
Award Name	Otoe-Missouria Tribal FY26 TTP formula Transit Operations Support and Expansion
Application Status	Final Concurrence / Reservation
Budget Revisions	0

Period of Performance Start Date	N/A
Original Period of Performance End Date	12/30/2027
Current Period of Performance End Date	12/30/2027 Revision #: 0 Approved?: No

Budget Period Start Date	N/A
Budget Period End Date	12/30/2027

Part 1: Recipient Information

Name: OTOE-MISSOURIA TRIBE

Recipient ID	Recipient OST Type	Recipient Alias	UEI	DUNS
7340	Indian Tribe	Otoe-Missouria Tribe	KRYSABHAADZ9	081393381

Location Type	Address	City	State	Zip
Physical Address	8151 HIGHWAY 177	RED ROCK	OK	74651
Mailing Address	8151 HIGHWAY 177	RED ROCK	OK	74651

Union Information

There are no union contacts for this application

Part 2: Application Information

Title: Otoe-Missouria Tribal FY26 TTP formula Transit Operations Support and Expansion

Application Number	Application Status	Award Type	Application Cost Center	Date Created	Last Updated Date	From TEAM?
OK-2026-015-00	Final Concurrence / Reservation	Grant	Region 6	4/15/2026	4/15/2026	No

Application Executive Summary

This application is requesting Tribal Transit FY26 Formula 5311 Program funds apportioned through the Tribal Transit Program (TTP) in the amount of \$300,483 for continued operating assistance and capital investment for 1 vehicle . 100% federal funds.

As the Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program is still in its early stages, activities include supporting and expanding public transportation services within the Otoe-Missouria Tribe's rural services areas. These funds are essential to sustaining current operations as the transit program develops.

No STIP required

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 not 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

The Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program is requesting funding through Federal Transit Administration's Tribal Transit Program (TTP) to support current ongoing operations and capital investment that will help maintain and expand public transportation services in the Otoe-Missouria Tribal rural area. Specifically, the Otoe-Missouria Tribe seeks funding for maintaining operating costs including the Transit Coordinator, existing drivers, as well as capital funding for the purchase of one ADA-accessible minivan.

This project will support the Otoe-Missouria Tribe to maintain current services provided while expanding to meet the increasing demand. It will improve access to essential services such as healthcare, employment, education, and daily needs for Otoe-Missouria Tribal members and community members.

Activities to be performed:

Activities include supporting and expanding public transportation services within the Otoe-Missouria Tribe's rural services areas. These activities include the continuation of general operations of demand-response transit services, scheduling, and dispatching of rides, and daily program management. Existing drivers will provide safe and reliable transportation for riders traveling to essential destinations such as medical appointments, employment, education, and daily needs.

The Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program will also expand personnel with the addition of a dispatcher to improve scheduling efficiency and enhance overall service reliability. Operational activities will include vehicle maintenance, fuel management, ridership logging, reporting, and compliance with Federal Transit Administration requirements.

In addition, the project includes a purchase of one ADA-accessible minivan, which will increase the Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit fleet and improve accessibility for Tribal and community members with disabilities. The minivan will be added to daily operations to expand services and accommodate mobility needs.

Expected outcomes:

The expected outcomes are that the Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program will use these project funds to support and maintain current operating costs while expanding and improving access to essential destinations for Otoe-Missouria Tribal members and community members. The purchase of the minivan will increase the Tribe's fleet and allowing Tribal and community members more access to essential destinations.

Intended beneficiaries:

The intended beneficiaries of this project are Otoe-Missouria Tribal members and community members within the rural service area who rely on public transportation for access to essential destinations.

Subrecipient Activities:

None

Application Point of Contact Information

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Application Budget Control Totals

Funding Source	Section of Statute	CFDA Number	Amount
5311 - Tribal Transit Program Formula	5311-1B	20509	\$300,483
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$300,483

Application Budget

Project Number	Budget Item	FTA Amount	Non-FTA Amount	Total Eligible Amount	Quantity
OK-2026-015-01-00	600-00 (600-A1) OTHER PROGRAM COSTS	\$300,483.00	\$0.00	\$300,483.00	1
OK-2026-015-01-00	11.13.15 BUY VAN FOR SVC EXPANSION	\$72,717.00	\$0.00	\$72,717.00	1
OK-2026-015-01-00	30.09.01 UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE	\$227,766.00	\$0.00	\$227,766.00	0

Discretionary Allocations

This application does not contain discretionary allocations.

Part 3: Project Information

Project Title: Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Operations Support and Expansion

Project Number	Temporary Project Number	Date Created	Start Date	End Date
OK-2026-015-01-00	7340-2026-1-P1	4/21/2026	10/1/2026	9/30/2027

Project Description

The Otoe-Missouria Tribe is requesting funding from the FTA's Tribal Transit Program competitive grant to support current operations and expand public transportation within the Otoe-Missouria Tribe's rural area. Funding will support the current key personnel salaries; The Tribal Transit Coordinator, two transit drivers, a new hire of a transit dispatcher, and a ADA-Compliance minivan.

Project Benefits

The Otoe-Missouria Tribal members and the community members will benefit. The Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit will provide safe and reliable transportation for Tribal and community members within the jurisdiction of Noble, Kay, Pawnee, Payne counties of Oklahoma. Current services will continue to operate efficiently with the addition of a new transit dispatcher and new ADA-Compliance minivan. Services will expand for more essential destinations.

Additional Information

The Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program began operations in December 2024. The Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program is still in it's early stages, working to expand services within the Otoe-Missouria Tribe's rural area. There are over 500 Otoe-Missouria Tribal members in the service area, including many elders and low-income individuals who rely on the Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program for effective transportation. This project will help maintain current services and improve access to daily essential destinations for our most vulnerable Tribal, community members, and the overall general public.

Location Description

This project will take place in the rural area of the Otoe-Missouria Tribe; 8151 Hwy 177 Red Rock, OK 74651.

Project Location (Urbanized Areas)

UZA Code	Area Name
400000	Oklahoma

Congressional District Information

District	State
3	Oklahoma

Program Plan Information

STIP/TIP

Date: 10/1/2026

Description: The completed Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Plan created with the Transit Planning Grant.

UPWP

Date: N/A

Description: N/A

Long Range Plan

Date: N/A

Description: N/A

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Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
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OK-2026-015-01-00	30.09.01 UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE	\$227,766.00	\$0.00	\$227,766.00	0

Project Budget Activity Line Items

Budget Activity Line Item: 30.09.01 - UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE

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	0

Extended Budget Description

Operating assistance funds will be used to support continued operation of the Otoe-Missouria Tribal Transit Program which include personnel costs for the transit coordinator, driver wages, fringe benefits, fuel, vehicle maintenance and repairs, insurance, scheduling support, supplies, and day-to-day operating costs. 10/1/26-9/30/27

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

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

Funding Source	Section of Statute	CFDA Number	Amount
5311 - Tribal Transit Program Formula	5311-1B	20509	\$227,766
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0

State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$227,766

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	10/1/2026	The project will begin October 1, 2026.
End Date	9/30/2027	Project will be completed by September 30, 2027.

Budget Activity Line Item: 11.13.15 - BUY VAN FOR SVC EXPANSION

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
OTHER PROGRAM COSTS (600-00)	11.13.15	BUY VAN FOR SVC EXPANSION	BUY EXPANSION - CAPITAL BUS	1

Extended Budget Description

Chrysler Voyager w/ ADA rear entry (minivan). Useful life of the minivan is 4 years/ 100,0000 miles.

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

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

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Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
Adjustment			\$0
Total Eligible Cost			\$72,717

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	10/1/2026	Bids will begin October 1, 2026.
End Date	12/31/2026	Van will be purchased and in service by this date.

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 07: Acquisition, installation, rehabilitation, replacement, and maintenance of vehicles or equipment, within or accommodated by existing facilities, that does not result in a change in functional use of the facilities, such as: equipment to be located within existing facilities and with no substantial off-site impacts; and vehicles, including buses, rail cars, trolley cars, ferry boats and people movers that can be accommodated by existing facilities or by new facilities that qualify for a categorical exclusion.

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)	11.13.15	BUY VAN FOR SVC EXPANSION	1	\$72,717.00	\$72,717.00

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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)	30.09.01	UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE	0	\$227,766.00	\$227,766.00

Part 4: Fleet Details

No fleet data exists for this application.

Part 5: FTA Review Comments

FTA Comments for DOL

Comment By Luciana Nears

Comment Type DOL Review for Information

Date 6/2/2026

Comment Section 5311c for information ONLY.

Application Review Comments

Comment By Luciana Nears

Comment Type Pre-Award Manager Returns Application

Date 5/4/2026

Comment