

## Application

<b>Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)</b>	VT-2018-005-00
<b>Temporary Application Number</b>	1393-2018-3
<b>Application Name</b>	5311 Formula Funds Vermont Agency of Transportation FFY18 for SFY19
<b>Application Status</b>	Final Concurrence / Reservation
<b>Application Budget Number</b>	0

### Part 1: Recipient Information

**Name: Transportation, Vermont Agency Of**

Recipient ID	Recipient OST Type	Recipient Alias	Recipient DUNS
1393	State Agency	VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION	809376296

Location Type	Address	City	State	Zip
Headquarters	109 STATE ST FL 5	MONTPELIER	VT	056090003
Physical Address	1 NATIONAL LIFE DR	MONTPELIER	VT	05602
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State	District of Columbia
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<b>Union Name</b>	<b>INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS</b>
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State	Vermont
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<b>Union Name</b>	<b>TEAMSTERS, LOCAL NO. 597</b>
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Address 2	
City	Barre
State	Vermont
Zipcode	56410
Contact Name	Duane Messier
Telephone	800-371-17
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## Part 2: Application Information

**Title: 5311 Formula Funds Vermont Agency of Transportation FFY18 for SFY19**

FAIN	Application Status	Application Type	Date Created	Last Updated Date	From TEAM?
VT-2018-005-00	Final Concurrence / Reservation	Grant	6/13/2018	6/13/2018	No

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### Application End Date

9/29/2021

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**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?**

Yes, this Grant will 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.

**Application Point of Contact Information**

First Name	Last Name	Title	E-mail Address	Phone
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Leah	Sirmin	Community Planner	leah.sirmin@dot.gov	617-494-2459

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VT-2018-005-01-00		43.50.02 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE	\$51,476.00	\$0.00	\$51,476.00	0
VT-2018-005-01-00	620-00 (620-A2)	PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	\$120,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$150,000.00	0
VT-2018-005-01-00		11.79.00 PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	\$110,000.00	\$27,500.00	\$137,500.00	0
VT-2018-005-01-00		11.79.00 PROJECT ADMINISTRATION- for special services	\$10,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$12,500.00	0

## Earmark and Discretionary Allocations

This application does not contain earmarks or discretionary allocations.

## Part 3: Project Information

### Project Title: 5311 Formula Funds Vermont Agency of Transportation FFY18 for SFY19

Project Number	Temporary Project Number	Date Created	Start Date	End Date
VT-2018-005-01-00	1393-2018-3-P1	6/13/2018	6/30/2018	9/29/2021

#### Project Description

Purpose - to provide statewide transit operations through the following competitively selected sub-recipients and private intercity providers. There are no construction funds in this application: See attached Program of Projects, POP, and the extended Budget Descriptions. This funding, \$3,864,888 is for SFY19, 20 and 21. This project primarily provides operating assistance to all Vermont sub-recipients, see attached description of providers. These providers cover the entire state of Vermont (see attached map of providers coverage area). This project comprises the whole of the application.

#### Project Benefits

These funds will allow continued support for all existing transit projects in the rural areas in the state. All except the urban sections of Chittenden County (small urban) are considered rural. See the VTrans website, <http://publictransit.vermont.gov/providers#buses> for detailed descriptions of statewide services. These services are comprised of fixed route, demand response by bus and volunteers, and ADA paratransit. Rural Transit Providers deliver over half of the rides (in a total of 5,000,000) in Vermont, an admirable accomplishment given the low-density nature of the state's rural areas. Vermont pays particular

attention to basic mobility for all often focusing on the elderly, low income, disabled and those seeking to improve their housing and financial sustainability. VTtrans invests in extensive commuter service to major employment centers and supports Intercity connectivity to the national bus system much of which was lost in 2008.

**Additional Information**

Recipients, Sub-Recipients and Contractors - (see attached for further descriptions)

1. (TVT) - PNP, Tri-Valley Transit
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3. (GMT) - Green Mountain Transit, Rural (part of CCTA, a transit authority) (formerly GMTA); (Teamsters)
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**Location Description**

statewide with destinations in surrounding states, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and New York. All Counties • Recipients, Sub-Recipients and Contractors - (see attached for further descriptions)

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**Project Location (Urbanized Areas)**

UZA Code	Area Name
500000	Vermont

**Congressional District Information**

State	District	Representative
Vermont	1	Peter Welch

**Project Control Totals**

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## Project Budget Activity Line Items

### Budget Activity Line Item: 43.50.01 - TRAINING

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
RURAL TRANSIT ASST PROGRAM (435-00)	43.50.01	TRAINING	RURAL TRANSIT ASST PROGRAM	0

#### Extended Budget Description

RTAP-VTrans is requesting \$57,765 for scholarships to sub-recipient transit personnel to attend trainings in various subjects.

TVT-\$15,265

AT-\$7,500

SEVT-\$6,000

GMCNI-\$3,000

GMT-Rural \$18,000

MVRTD-\$5,000

RCT-\$3,000

#### 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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5311 - Rural Area Formula	5311-1A	20509	\$57,765
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$57,765</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
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Start Date	7/1/2018	Begin allowable expenses for RTAP Scholarship with the start of the state fiscal year.
End Date	9/30/2020	Completion of all milestone reimbursements.

**Budget Activity Line Item: 11.79.00 - PROJECT ADMINISTRATION-for special services**

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
PROJECT ADMINISTRATION (620-00)	11.79.00	PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	0

**Extended Budget Description**

Project Administration for special services-VTrans is requesting \$10,000 to support the additional service directed toward the elderly and disabled. These funds were awarded under a competitive grant program to RCT who is in good standing with VTrans.

**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 - Rural Area Formula	5311-1A	20509	\$10,000
Local			\$2,500
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$12,500</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	7/1/2018	These funds will be used by RCT beginning with the state fiscal year of 7/1/2018.
End Date	9/30/2021	These funds will be spent by RCT prior to the end of the award.

**Budget Activity Line Item: 11.7A.00 - PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE**

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
OTHER CAPITAL ITEMS (BUS) (117-00)	11.7A.00	PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE	OTHER CAPITAL ITEMS (BUS)	0

**Extended Budget Description**

Preventive Maintenance- Vehicle maintenance such as tire rotation and replacement, brake replacement, transmission replacement, replacement of filters, and other related maintenance due to the normal use of

vehicles for the following transit providers:  
 GMT-Rural -\$50,000  
 MVRTD- \$50,000  
 RCT- \$30,000

**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 - Rural Area Formula	5311-1A	20509	\$130,000
Local			\$32,500
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$162,500</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	7/1/2018	Preventive maintenance will start with State Fiscal Year.
End Date	9/30/2021	Preventive maintenance will be complete by the end of the award.

**Budget Activity Line Item: 43.50.02 - TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
RURAL TRANSIT ASST PROGRAM (435-00)	43.50.02	TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE	RURAL TRANSIT ASST PROGRAM	0

**Extended Budget Description**

RTAP - VTrans is requesting \$51,476 for statewide activities for technical assistance, safety training, procurement training, etc..  
 \$5,000.00 Safety Training  
 \$15,000.00 Professional Certifications  
 \$5,000.00 Procurement Training  
 \$15,000.00 Tri-State Training Conference  
 \$8,500.00 LMS Training  
 \$2,976.00 various technical assistance statewide

**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
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5311 - Rural Area Formula	5311-1A	20509	\$51,476
Local			\$0
Local/In-Kind			\$0
State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$51,476</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	7/1/2018	RTAP will begin at the State Fiscal Year.
End Date	9/30/2021	RTAP will be complete by the end of the award.

**Budget Activity Line Item: 11.79.00 - PROJECT ADMINISTRATION**

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
PROJECT ADMINISTRATION (620-00)	11.79.00	PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	0

**Extended Budget Description**

Project Administration-VTrans is requesting \$110,000 to cover some of the administrative expenses for the following transit providers who are in good standing with VTrans and were awarded these funds as part of a competitive grant process:

AT-\$30,000

SEVT-\$10,000

GMCN-\$20,000

GMT-Rural- \$50,000

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

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State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$137,500</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
Start Date	7/1/2018	Project Administration will begin with the State Fiscal year.
End Date	9/30/2021	Project administration will be complete by the end of the award.

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

Scope Name / Code	Line Item #	Line Item Name	Activity	Quantity
OPERATING ASSISTANCE (300-00)	30.09.01	UP TO 50% FEDERAL SHARE	OPERATING ASSISTANCE	0

**Extended Budget Description**

Statewide Transit Operations-VTrans is requesting \$3,505,647 for operating purposes of all providers across the state. See VTrans website for detailed route and service information . All of the following operators are in good standing with VTrans and will receive the following awards as part of a competitive grant process:

TVT - \$411,000

AT - \$245,000

GMCNI -\$255,000

GMT-Rural - \$600,000

MVRTD- \$651,417

RCT - \$90,000

SEVT- \$633,230

Greyhound-Intercity Bus \$120,000

VT Translines (Premier Coach)- Intercity Bus \$500,000

**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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State			\$0
State/In-Kind			\$0
Other Federal			\$0
Transportation Development Credit			\$0
<b>Total Eligible Cost</b>			<b>\$7,011,294</b>

Milestone Name	Est. Completion Date	Description
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Start Date	7/1/2018	Operating assistance to start with State Fiscal year.
End Date	9/30/2021	Operating assistance

## Project Environmental Findings

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

#### Class Level Description

Class II(c) consists of projects called categorical exclusions (CEs) which are known not to have, either individually or cumulatively, 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. Class II(c) does not require documentation.

#### 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	Date
	Class IIc CE Approved	7/1/2018

## Part 4: Fleet Details

No fleet data exists for this application.

## Part 5: FTA Review Comments

### DOL Certification

Comment By Karen Torre

Comment Type DOL Review for Information

Date 7/30/2018

Comment

### FTA Comments for DOL

Comment By Leah Sirmin

Comment Type DOL Review for Information

Date 7/30/2018

Comment Per DOL's guidelines FTA is transmitting this grant application for informational purposes through TrAMS to the Department so the Department can notify the labor organizations

representing potentially affected employees of the grant's approval and their rights under the Special Warranty Arrangement

## Application Review Comments

**Comment By** Leah Sirmin

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**Comment Type** FTA Post Review Comments for Grantee

**Date** 7/31/2018

**Comment** For correction to RTAP budget

## Part 6: Agreement

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION**

**GRANT AGREEMENT  
(FTA G-24, October 1, 2017)**

On the date the authorized U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration (FTA) official signs this Grant Agreement, FTA has obligated and awarded federal assistance as provided below. Upon execution of this Grant Agreement by the Recipient named below, the Recipient affirms this FTA Award, enters into this Grant Agreement with FTA, and binds its compliance with the terms of this Grant Agreement.

The following documents are incorporated by reference and made part of this Grant Agreement:

- (1) "Federal Transit Administration Master Agreement," FTA MA(24), October 1, 2017, <http://www.transit.dot.gov>,
- (2) The Certifications and Assurances applicable to the FTA Award that the Recipient has selected and provided to FTA, and
- (3) Any Award notification containing special conditions or requirements, if issued.

WHEN THE TERM "FTA AWARD" OR "AWARD" IS USED, EITHER IN THIS GRANT AGREEMENT OR THE APPLICABLE MASTER AGREEMENT, "AWARD" ALSO INCLUDES ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN THIS GRANT AGREEMENT.

FTA OR THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MAY WITHDRAW ITS OBLIGATION TO PROVIDE FEDERAL ASSISTANCE IF THE RECIPIENT DOES NOT EXECUTE THIS GRANT AGREEMENT WITHIN 90 DAYS FOLLOWING FTA's AWARD DATE SET FORTH HEREIN.

### FTA AWARD

Federal Transit Administration (FTA) hereby awards a Federal Grant as follows:

#### Recipient Information

Recipient Name: Transportation, Vermont Agency Of

Recipient ID: 1393

DUNS No: 809376296

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Amount of Federal Assistance Obligated for This FTA Action (in U.S. Dollars): \$3,864,888.00

Amount of Non-Federal Funds Committed to This FTA Action (in U.S. Dollars): \$3,568,147.00

Total FTA Amount Awarded and Obligated (in U.S. Dollars): \$3,864,888.00

Total Non-Federal Funds Committed to the Overall Award (in U.S. Dollars): \$3,568,147.00

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(The Transportation Development Credits are not added to the amount of the Total Award Budget.)

**U.S. Department of Labor Certification of Public Transportation Employee Protective Arrangements:**

Original Certification Date:

**Special Conditions**

There are no special conditions.

**FINDINGS AND DETERMINATIONS**

By signing this Award on behalf of FTA, I am making all the determinations and findings required by federal law and regulations before this Award may be made.

**FTA AWARD OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT**



Awarded By:

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
Contact Info:  
Award Date:

### **EXECUTION OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT**

Upon full execution of this Grant Agreement by the Recipient, the Effective Date will be the date FTA or the Federal Government awarded Federal assistance for this Grant Agreement.

By executing this Grant Agreement, the Recipient intends to enter into a legally binding agreement in which the Recipient:

- (1) Affirms this FTA Award,
- (2) Adopts and ratifies all of the following information it has submitted to FTA:
  - (a) Statements,
  - (b) Representations,
  - (c) Warranties,
  - (d) Covenants, and
  - (e) Materials,
- (3) Consents to comply with the requirements of this FTA Award, and
- (4) Agrees to all terms and conditions set forth in this Grant Agreement.

Executed By:

*Transportation, Vermont Agency Of*