



Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 South Dirksen Parkway / Springfield, Illinois / 62764

January 31, 2020

CIRCULAR LETTER 2020-03

FY 2021 TRUCK ACCESS ROUTE PROGRAM (TARP)

COUNTY ENGINEERS / SUPERINTENDENTS OF HIGHWAYS
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS - DIRECTORS
MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS / PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTORS / MAYORS
TOWNSHIP HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS
CONSULTING ENGINEERS

Effective January 1, 2020, Public Act 101-0328 changes the classification of truck routes in Illinois. Please refer to CL 2020-01 [here](#) for a summary of the Public Act.

IDOT provided a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) on January 31, 2020. The Funding Opportunity Number is 20-0958-01. The NOFO for this program is available here: ([NOFO](#)). This program is listed in the Catalog of State Financial Assistance ([CSFA](#)) as 494-00-0958.

The Department has proposed the Truck Access Route Program ([TARP](#)) continue to be funded in FY 2021 at the \$7.0 million funding level. We anticipate funding will be available for this program beginning in July 2020.

The TARP application form with instructions is attached. Each candidate project must have a completed application form and a project location map. Applications should include information pertaining to prior commitments by the Department, a description of industries, municipalities, and truck generators along the proposed route, projected growth in the area, and the number of trucks using the proposed route. The project location map should clearly identify the proposed route and each of the project termini. Information pertaining to phase construction that will initiate or complete a designated truck route should be provided.

In addition, under the Grant Accountability and Transparency Act (GATA), each candidate project must also complete the Uniform Application for State Grant Assistance, the Uniform Grant Budget Template, and a Conflict of Interest Form, which are attached and are available on the [GATA](#) website .

Only roadway sections determined to be eligible for upgrading to a designated truck route will be funded from the program (unless phase

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construction is approved). Eligible routes must terminate at a designated truck route or municipality and begin at a truck generator, another designated truck route or municipality. Roadway sections that were previously upgraded with TARP funds are not eligible for funding from this program. The TARP is not intended for use in pavement preservation or maintenance projects. The program will provide \$45,000 per lane mile and \$22,000 per eligible intersection, with total project funding up to one-half of the project cost, subject to a maximum of \$900,000 per project. TARP funds may be used for project construction only.

Completed project applications, location maps, and GATA documentation should be submitted to your IDOT District Local Roads and Streets office no later than March 6, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. Project award notifications are anticipated to be announced during the week of April 20,2020.

In summary, each candidate application submittal should contain the following information:

1. Cover letter from the local public agency
2. TARP project application form
3. Project location map
4. Narrative of the proposed project
5. Project cost estimate
6. Photographs of the existing facility
7. Uniform Application for State Grant Assistance
8. Uniform Grant Budget Template
9. Conflict of Interest Form
10. Programmatic Risk Assessment

Any questions regarding TARP funding should be directed to Mr. Stephane Seck, Local Program Development Engineer by telephone at (217) 782 – 3972 or by email at Bablibile.Seck@Illinois.gov. Questions regarding design issues should be addressed to the appropriate District Local Roads Field Engineer.

Sincerely,



Stephane B. Seck-Birhame, P.E., PTOE
Acting Engineer of Local Roads and Streets

Attachments

cc: Duane Ratermann, Illinois Association of County Engineers
Nathan Piper, Illinois Municipal League
Bryan Smith, Township Officials of Illinois
Donald Goad, Township Highway Commissioners of Illinois

Illinois Truck Access Route Program (TARP) FY 2021 Application

Project Information

IDOT District		Functional Classification	
County		Route Name / Number	
Local Public Agency		Section Number	
Is this a phased project?	----->	If "yes" which phase?	
Project Length (feet)		ADT	
Project Length (miles)		ADTT	
Number of Lanes	----->	Total Lane Miles	

Project Termini

What is the project beginning termini?

Is this a truck route, municipality, or truck generator?

What is the project ending termini?

Is this a truck route, municipality, or truck generator?

Eligible Intersections

List Intersections Between Designated Truck Routes And The Proposed Route That Will Be Improved

1)	
2)	
3)	

Programming Information

Anticipated Letting Date	
Estimated Total Project Cost	
TARP Funds Requested	
List Other Fund Types To Be Used	1) <input style="width: 600px;" type="text"/>
	2) <input style="width: 600px;" type="text"/>
	3) <input style="width: 600px;" type="text"/>

List All Major Truck Generators (Including Municipalities and Industry) Along The Proposed Route

1)	
2)	
3)	

List All Types Of Projected Growth In The Project Area

1)	
2)	

List Any Prior Commitments Made By The Department With Regard To This Project

1)	
2)	

Additional Documentation

1)	A narrative of the proposed project improvements and the truck generators in the area	Included?
2)	Location map highlighting proposed route and termini	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
3)	Photographs of the proposed route / truck generators	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
4)	Project cost estimate	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>

Application Instructions

Project Information

IDOT District	Indicate the IDOT District within which the project is located.
County	Indicate the County within which the project is located.
Local Public Agency	Indicate the local public agency that is the lead agency for the project.
Is this a phased project?	Indicate "yes" or "no"
Project Length (feet)	Indicate the net total project length in feet.
Project Length (miles)	Indicate the net total project length in miles.
Number of lanes	Indicate the number of traffic lanes (including bi-directional turn lanes) on the project.
Functional Classification	Indicate the functional classification for the project route. (i.e. Arterial, Collector)
Route Name / Number	Indicate the name and number of the project route. (i.e. John's Creek Road / CH 45)
Section Number	Indicate the project section number.
If "yes" which phase?	If this is a phased project, indicate which phase this application is for.
ADT	Indicate the current average daily traffic for the proposed route.
ADTT	Indicate the current average daily truck traffic for the proposed route.
Total Lane Miles	Multiply the number of lanes by the net project length (miles)

Project Termini

What is the project beginning termini?	Indicate the road name, business name, or municipality where the project will begin.
Is this a truck route, municipality, or truck generator?	Indicate which of these the beginning termini is.
What is the project ending termini?	Indicate the road name, business name, or municipality where the project will end.
Is this a truck route, municipality, or truck generator?	Indicate which of these the ending termini is.

Eligible Intersections

List only those intersections between the proposed route and existing designated truck routes that will be improved as part of the proposed project.

Programming Information

Anticipated Letting Date	Indicate the anticipated letting date for the proposed project.
Estimated Total Project Cost	Indicate the total estimated cost to complete the proposed project.
TARP Funds Requested	Indicate the total amount of TARP funds requested for the project. (\$45,000 per lane mile, \$22,000 per eligible intersection, \$900,000 max)
List Other Fund Types to be Used	Indicate the additional fund type sources that will be used to complete the project.

Truck Generators

List the major truck generators along the proposed route.

Projected Growth

List the projected growth in the project area which may lead to an increase in the ADTT on this route.

Prior Commitments

List any project commitments from IDOT for this project or any commitments made by the lead agency.

Additional Documentation

Please supply the additional documentation with the project application.

Cover letter from the local public agency, Uniform Grant Application for State Assistance, TARP project application, Uniform Grant Budget, Programmatic Risk Assessment, project location map, narrative of the proposed project, project cost estimate, photographs of the existing facility, and Conflict of Interest Form

Note: Applicants must be registered with GATA and must be in GATA to receive an award.

Uniform Grant Application

State Agency Completed Section

1.	Type of Submission	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-application <input type="checkbox"/> Application <input type="checkbox"/> Changed / Corrected Application
2.	Type of Application	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation (i.e. multiple year grant) <input type="checkbox"/> Revision (modification to initial application)
3.	Date / Time Received by State	Completed by State Agency upon Receipt of Application
4.	Name of the Awarding State Agency	Illinois Department of Transportation
5.	Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA) Number	494-00-0958
6.	CSFA Title	Truck Access Route Program
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable (No federal funding)		
7.	CFDA Number	
8.	CFDA Title	
9.	CFDA Number	
10.	CFDA Title	
Funding Opportunity Information		
11.	Funding Opportunity Number	20-0958-01
12.	Funding Opportunity Title	Truck Access Route Program
Competition Identification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		
13.	Competition Identification Number	
14.	Competition Identification Title	

Applicant Completed Section

Applicant Information		
15.	Legal Name	Name used for DUNS registration and grantee pre-qualification
16.	Common Name (DBA)	
17.	Employer / Taxpayer Identification Number (EIN, TIN)	
18.	Organizational DUNS number	
19.	GATA ID	Assigned through the Grantee Portal
20.	SAM Cage Code	
21.	Business Address	Street address: City: State: County: Zip + 4:
Applicant's Organizational Unit		
22.	Department Name	
23.	Division Name	
Applicant's Name and Contact Information for Person to be Contacted for <i>Program</i> Matters involving this Application		
24.	First Name	
25.	Last Name	
26.	Suffix	
27.	Title	
28.	Organizational Affiliation	
29.	Telephone Number	
30.	Fax Number	
31.	Email address	
Applicant's Name and Contact Information for Person to be Contacted for <i>Business/Administrative Office</i> Matters involving this Application		
32.	First Name	
33.	Last Name	
34.	Suffix	
35.	Title	
36.	Organizational Affiliation	
37.	Telephone Number	
38.	Fax Number	

Applicant Completed Section		
39.	Email address	
Areas Affected		
40.	Areas Affected by the Project (cities, counties, state-wide)	Add Attachments (e.g., maps)
41.	Legislative and Congressional Districts of Applicant	
42.	Legislative and Congressional Districts of Program / Project	Attach an additional list, if needed
Applicant's Project		
43.	Description Title of Applicant's Project	Text only for the title of the applicant's project.
44.	Proposed Project Term	Start Date: End Date:
45.	Estimated Funding (include all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Amount Requested from the State: <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant Contribution (e.g., in kind, matching): <input type="checkbox"/> Local Contribution: <input type="checkbox"/> Other Source of Contribution: <input type="checkbox"/> Program Income: <div style="text-align: right;">Total Amount</div>
Applicant Certification:		
<p>By signing this application, I certify (1) to the statements contained in the list of certifications* and (2) that the statements herein are true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also provide the required assurances* and agree to comply with any resulting terms if I accept an award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001)</p> <p>(*) The list of certification and assurances, or an internet site where you may obtain this list is contained in the Notice of Funding Opportunity. If a NOFO was not required for the award, the state agency will specify required assurances and certifications as an addendum to the application.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> I agree</p>		
Authorized Representative		
46.	First Name	
47.	Last Name	
48.	Suffix	
49.	Title	
50.	Telephone Number	
51.	Fax Number	
52.	Email Address	

Applicant Completed Section

53.	Signature of Authorized Representative	
54.	Date Signed	



Agreement No. _____

Employee or Officer Name _____

Position of Employee or Officer _____

Grantee's disclosure of the information contained in this Form is required by the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards published in Title 2, Part 200 of the Code of Federal Regulations, 2 CFR 200.112, and 44 Ill. Admin Code 7000.40(b)(3). As an Employee or Officer of Grantee, I will remain bias-free before, during and after the award process of the Grant Agreement. Pursuant to the above referenced Uniform Guidance and Administrative Rules, I have identified below any relationship I have, or have had, of a family, political, financial, or social nature with any of Grantor's employees related to this Grant Agreement, and wait for direction from the Grants Unit Manager and the Department's Ethics Officer before proceeding to participate with Grantor in the award process. After submittal of this Disclosure to the Department's Bureau of Business Services, the Bureau of Business Services will provide this form to the Ethics Officer if a conflict is noted.

Check statement 1 or 2. If you check statement 1, please sign and date the form. If you check statement 2, please complete the information and then sign and date the form.

1. _____ I do not have, nor have I had, any relationship described above nor any other conflict of interest with any of Grantor's employees for this Grant Agreement.

2. _____ I have, or have had, a relationship described above or other conflict of interest with the following employees of Grantor for this Grant Agreement.

_____ Name of Grantor's employee

_____ Nature of Potential Conflict

_____ Name of Grantor's employee

_____ Nature of Potential Conflict

_____ Name of Grantor's employee

_____ Nature of Potential Conflict

(The back side of this form may be used if additional space is needed.)

Signature of Employee

Date



State of Illinois UNIFORM GRANT BUDGET TEMPLATE

This form is used to apply to individual State of Illinois discretionary grant programs. Applicants should submit budgets based upon the total estimated costs for the project including all funding sources. Pay attention to applicable program specific instructions, if attached. The applicant organization should refer to 2 CFR 200, "Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards" cited within these instructions.

You must consult with your Business Office prior to submitting this form for any award restrictions, limitations or requirements when filling out the narrative and Uniform Budget Template.

Section A – Budget Summary STATE OF ILLINOIS FUNDS

All applicants must complete Section A and provide a break-down by the applicable budget categories shown in lines 1-17. Eligible applicants requesting funding for only one year should complete the column under "Year 1." Eligible applicants requesting funding for multi-year grants should complete all applicable columns. **Please read all instructions before completing form.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS GRANT FUNDS

Provide a total requested State of Illinois Grant amount for each year in the Revenue portion of Section A. The amount entered in Line (a) will equal the total amount budgeted on Line 18 of Section A.

BUDGET SUMMARY – STATE OF ILLINOIS FUNDS

All applicants must complete Section A and provide a break-down by the applicable budget categories shown in lines 1-17.

Line 18: Show the total budget request for each fiscal year for which funding is requested.

Please use detail worksheet and narrative section for further descriptions and explanations of budgetary line items.

Section A (continued) Indirect Cost Information: *(This information should be completed by the applicant's Business Office).* If the applicant is requesting reimbursement for indirect costs on line 17, the applicant's Business Office must select one of the options listed on the Indirect Cost Information page under Section-A Indirect Cost Information (1-4).

Option (1): The applicant has a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA) that was approved by the Federal government. A copy of this agreement must be provided to the State of Illinois' Indirect Cost Unit for review and documentation. This NICRA will be accepted by all State of Illinois Agencies up to any statutory, rule-based or programmatic restrictions or limitations. *If this option is selected by the applicant, basic information is required for completion of this section. See bottom of "Section-A Indirect Cost Information".*

NOTE: The applicant may not have a Federally Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement. Therefore, in order for the applicant to be reimbursed for Indirect Costs from the State of Illinois, the applicant must either:

- A) Negotiate an Indirect Cost Rate with the State of Illinois' Indirect Cost Unit with guidance from our State Cognizant Agency on an annual basis.**
- B) Elect to use the de minimis rate of 10% modified total direct cost (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely on State of Illinois Awards.**
- C) Use a Restricted Rate designated by programmatic statutory policy. (See Notice of Funding Opportunity for Restricted Rate Programs).**



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Section A – Budget Summary (continued)

Option (2a): The applicant currently has a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement with the State of Illinois that will be accepted by all State of Illinois Agencies up to any statutory, rule-based or programmatic restrictions or limitations. The applicant is required to submit a new Indirect Cost Rate Proposal to the Indirect Cost Unit within six (6) months after the close of each fiscal year (2 CFR 200 Appendix IV (C)(2)(c). **Note:** *If this option is selected by the applicant, basic information is required for completion of this section. See bottom of “Section-A Indirect Cost Information”.*

Option (2b): The applicant currently does not have a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement with the State of Illinois. The applicant must submit its initial Indirect Cost Rate Proposal (ICRP) immediately after the applicant is advised that the State award will be made and, in no event, later than three (3) months after the effective date of the State award (2 CFR 200 Appendix IV (C)(2)(b). The initial ICRP will be sent to the State of Illinois’ Indirect Cost Unit. **Note:** *The applicant should check with the State of Illinois awarding Agency for information regarding reimbursement of indirect costs while its proposal is being negotiated.*

Option (3): The applicant elects to charge the de minimis rate of 10% modified total direct cost (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely on State of Illinois awards (2 CFR 200.414 (c)(4)(f) & (200.68). **Note:** *(The applicant must be eligible, see 2 CFR 200.414 (f), and submit documentation on the calculation of MTDC within your Budget Narrative under Indirect Costs.)*

Option (4): If you are applying for a grant under a Restricted Rate Program, indicate whether you are using a restricted indirect cost rate that is included on your approved Indirect Cost Rate Agreement, or whether you are using a restricted indirect cost rate that complies with statutory or programmatic policies. **Note:** *See Notice of State Award for Restricted Rate Programs.*

Section B – Budget Summary
NON-STATE OF ILLINOIS FUNDS

NON-STATE OF ILLINOIS FUNDS: If the applicant is required to provide or volunteers to provide cost-sharing or matching funds or other non-State of Illinois resources to the project, the applicant must provide a revenue breakdown of all Non-State of Illinois funds in lines (b)-(d). the total of “Non-State Funds” should equal the amount budgeted on Line 18 of Section B. If a match percentage is required, the amount should be entered in this section.

BUDGET SUMMARY – NON-STATE OF ILLINOIS FUNDS

If the applicant is required to provide or volunteers to provide ost-sharing or matching funds or other non-State of Illinois resources to the project, these costs should be shown for each applicable budget category on lines 1017 of Section B.

Lines 1-17: For each project year, for which matching funds or other contributions are provided, show the total contribution for each applicable budget category.

Line 18: Show the total matching or other contribution for each fiscal year.

Please see detail worksheet and narrative section for further descriptions and explanations of budgetary line items.



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Section C – Budget Worksheet & Narrative

[Attach separate sheet(s)]

Pay attention to applicable program specific instructions, if attached.

All applicants are required to submit a budget narrative along with Section A and Section B. The budget narrative is sometimes referred to as the budget justification. The narrative serves two purposes: it explains how the costs were estimated and it justifies the need for the cost. The narrative may include tables for clarification purposes. The State of Illinois recommends using the State of Illinois Uniform Budget Template worksheet and narrative guide provided.

1. Provide an itemized budget breakdown, and justification by project year, for each budget category listed in Sections A and B.
2. For non-State of Illinois funds or resources listed in Section B that are used to meet a cost-sharing or matching requirement or provided as a voluntary cost-sharing or matching commitment, you must include:
 - a. The specific costs or contributions by budget category;
 - b. The source of the costs or contributions; and
 - c. In the case of third-party in-kind contributions, a description of how the value was determined for the donated or contributed goods or services.

[Please review cost sharing and matching regulations found in 2 CFR 200.306.]

3. If applicable to this program, provide the rate and base on which fringe benefits are calculated.
4. If the applicant is requesting reimbursement for indirect costs on line 17, this information should be completed by the applicant's Business Office. Specify the estimated amount of the base to which the indirect cost rate is applied and the total indirect expense. Depending on the grant program to which the applicant is applying and/or the applicant's approved Indirect Cost Rate Agreement, some direct cost budget categories in the applicant's grant application budget may not be included in the base and multiplied by your indirect cost rate. Please indicate which costs are included and which costs are excluded from the base to which the indirect cost rate is applied.
5. Provide other explanations or comments you deem necessary.



State of Illinois UNIFORM GRANT BUDGET TEMPLATE

Keep in mind the following—

Although the degree of specificity of any budget will vary depending on the nature of the project and State of Illinois agency requirements, a complete, well-thought-out budget serves to reinforce your credibility and increase the likelihood of your proposal being funded.

- A well-prepared budget should be reasonable and demonstrate that the funds being asked for will be used wisely.
- The budget should be as concrete and specific as possible in its estimates. Make every effort to be realistic, to estimate costs accurately.
- The budget format should be as clear as possible. It should begin with a budget narrative, which you should write after the entire budget has been prepared.
- Each section of the budget should be in outline form, listing line items under major headings and subheadings.
- Each of the major components should be subtotaled with a grand total at the end.

Your budget should justify all expenses and be consistent with the program narrative:

- Salaries should be comparable to those within the applicant organization.
- If new staff is being hired, additional space and equipment are considered, as necessary.
- If the budget lists an equipment purchase, it is the type allowed by the agency.
- If additional space is rented, the increase in insurance is supported.
- If an indirect cost rate applies to the proposal, the division between direct and indirect costs is not in conflict, and the aggregate budget totals refer directly to the approved formula. Indirect costs are costs that are not readily assignable to a particular project, but are necessary to the operation of the organization and the performance of the project (like the cost of operating and maintaining facilities, depreciation, and administrative salaries).

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(e) The Federal/State awarding agency may, at its option, restrict the transfer of funds among direct cost categories or programs, functions and activities for Federal/State awards in which the Federal/State share of the project exceeds the Simplified Acquisition Threshold and the cumulative amount of such transfers exceeds or is expected to exceed 10 percent or \$1,000 per detail line item, whichever is greater of the total budget as last approved by the Federal/State awarding agency. The Federal/State awarding agency cannot permit a transfer that would cause any Federal/State appropriation to be used for purposes other than those consistent with the appropriation.



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State Agency: Illinois Department of Transportation

Organization Name: _____

Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Number: 20-0958-01

Data Universal Number System (DUNS) Number (enter numbers only) : _____

Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA) Number:

CSFA Short Description:

Section A: State of Illinois Funds

Fiscal Year:

<u>REVENUES</u>			Total Revenue
State of Illinois Grant Requested		\$	
Budget Expenditure Categories	OMB Uniform Guidance Federal Awards Reference 2 CFR 200		Total Expenditures
1. Personnel (Salary and Wages)	200.430	\$	
2. Fringe Benefits	200.431	\$	
3. Travel	200.474	\$	
4. Equipment	200.439	\$	
5. Supplies	200.94	\$	
6. Contractual Services and Subawards	200.318 & 200.92	\$	
7. Consultant (Professional Service)	200.459	\$	
8. Construction		\$	
9. Occupancy (Rent and Utilities)	200.465	\$	
10. Research and Development (R&D)	200.87	\$	
11. Telecommunications		\$	
12. Training and Education	200.472	\$	
13. Direct Administrative Costs	200.413 (c)	\$	
14. Miscellaneous Costs		\$	
15. A. Grant Exclusive Line Item(s)		\$	
15. B. Grant Exclusive Line Item(s)			
16. Total Direct Costs (add lines 1-15)	200.413	\$	
17. Total Indirect Costs	200.414	\$	
Rate %: <input style="width: 100px;" type="text"/>			
Base: <input style="width: 100px;" type="text"/>			
18. Total Costs State Grant Funds (Lines 16 and 17) MUST EQUAL REVENUE TOTALS ABOVE		\$	

Instructions found at end of document.



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Organization Name: _____

NOFO Number: 20-0958-01 _____

SECTION A - Continued - Indirect Cost Rate Information

If your organization is requesting reimbursement for indirect costs on line 17 of the Budget Summary, please select one of the following options

1. Our Organization receives direct Federal funding and currently has a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA) with our Federal Cognizant Agency. A copy of this agreement will be provided to the State of Illinois' Indirect Cost Unit for review and documentation before reimbursement is allowed. This NICRA will be accepted by all State of Illinois agencies up to any statutory, rule-based or programmatic restrictions or limitations. NOTE: (If this option is selected, please, provide basic Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement in area designated below.)

Your organization may not have a Federally Negotiated Cost Rate Agreement. Therefore, in order for your organization to be reimbursed for the Indirect Costs from the State of Illinois your organization must either:

- a. Negotiate an Indirect Cost Rate with the State of Illinois' Indirect Cost Unit with guidance from your State Cognizant Agency on an annual basis;
b. Elect to use the de minimis rate of 10% modified for total direct costs (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely on State of Illinois awards; or
c. Use a Restricted Rate designated by programmatic or statutory policy (see Notice of Funding Opportunity for Restricted Rate Programs).

2a. Our Organizations currently has a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA) with the State of Illinois that will be accepted by all State of Illinois agencies up to any statutory, rule-based or programmatic restrictions or limitations. Our Organization is required to submit a new Indirect Cost Rate Proposal to the Indirect Cost Unit within 6 months after the close of each fiscal year [2 CFR 200, Appendix IV(C)(2)(c)]. NOTE: (If this option is selected, please provide basic Indirect Cost Rate information in area designated below.)

2b. Our Organization currently does not have a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA) with the State of Illinois. Our organization will submit our initial Indirect Cost Rate Proposal (ICRP) immediately after our Organization is advised that the State award will be made no later than three (3) months after the effective date of the State award [2 CFR 200 Appendix (C)(2)(b)]. The initial ICRP will be sent to the State of Illinois Indirect Cost unit. Note: (Check with you State of Illinois Agency for information regarding reimbursement of indirect costs while your proposal is being negotiated.)

3. Our Organization has never received a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement from either the Federal government or the State or Illinois and elects to charge the de minimis rate of 10% modified total direct cost (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely on State of Illinois awards [2 CFR 200.414 (C)(4)(f) and 200.68.] [Note: Your Organization must be eligible, see 2 CFR 200.414 (f), and submit documentation on the calculation of MTDC within your Budget Narrative under Indirect Costs.]

4. For Restricted Rate Programs, our Organization is using a restricted indirect cost rate that:
[] is included as a "Special Indirect Cost Rate" in the NICRA, pursuant to 2 CFR 200 Appendix IV(5); or
[] complies with other statutory policies.
The Restricted Indirect Cost Rate is: _____ %

[] 5. No reimbursement of Indirect Cost is being requested. (Please consult your program office regarding possible match requirements.)

Basic Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Information (Use only if option 1 or 2(a), above is selected.)

Period Covered by NICRA: From: _____ To: _____ Approving Federal or State Agency: _____

Indirect Cost Rate: _____ % The Distribution Base Is: _____



**State of Illinois
UNIFORM GRANT BUDGET TEMPLATE**

Organization Name: _____

NOFO Number: 20-0958-01

Section B: Non-State of Illinois Funds

Fiscal Year: _____

REVENUES			Total Revenue
Grantee Match Requirement %:	(Agency to Populate)		
b) Cash		\$	
c) Non-Cash		\$	
d) other Funding and Contributions		\$	
Total Non-State Funds (lined b through d)		\$	

Budget Expenditure Categories	OMB Uniform Guidance Federal Awards Reference 2 CFR 200		Total Expenditures
1. Personnel (Salaries and Wages)	200.430	\$	
2. Fringe Benefits	200.431	\$	
3. Travel	200.474	\$	
4. Equipment	200.439	\$	
5. Supplies	200.94	\$	
6. Contractual Services and Subawards	200.318 & 200.92	\$	
7. Consultant (Professional Services)	200.459	\$	
8. Construction		\$	
9. Occupancy (Rent and Utilities)	200.465	\$	
10. Research and Development (R&D)	200.87	\$	
11. Telecommunications		\$	
12. Training and Education	200.472	\$	
13. Direct Administrative Costs	200.413 (c)	\$	
14. Miscellaneous Costs		\$	
15. A. Grant Exclusive Line Item(s)		\$	
15. B. Grant Exclusive Line Item(s)		\$	
16. Total Direct Costs (add lines 1-15)	200.413	\$	
17. Total indirect Costs	200.414	\$	
Rate %: <input type="text"/>			
Base: <input type="text"/>			
18. Total Costs State Grant Funds (Lines 16 and 17) MUST EQUAL REVENUE TOTALS ABOVE		\$	



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Organization Name: _____ NOFO Number: 20-0958-01

Data Universal Number System (DUNS) Number (enter numbers only) : _____ Fiscal Year: _____

Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA) Number: 494-00-0958 CSFA Short Description: TRUCK ACCESS ROUTE PROGRAM

By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete and accurate and that any false, fictitious or fraudulent information or the omission of any material fact could result in the immediate termination of my grant award(s).

Institution/Organization Name:

Institution/Organization Name:

Title (Chief Financial Officer or equivalent):

Title (Executive Director or equivalent):

Printed Name (Chief Financial Officer or equivalent):

Printed Name (Executive Director or equivalent):

Signature (Chief Financial Officer or equivalent):

Signature (Executive Director or equivalent):

Date of Execution (Chief Financial Officer):

Date of Execution (Executive Director):

Note: The State Awarding Agency may change required signers based on the grantee's organizational structure. The required signers must have the authority to enter onto contractual agreements on the behalf of the organization.



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1). Personnel (Salaries and Wages) (2 CFR 200.430)

List each position by title and name of employee, if available. Show the annual salary rate and the percentage of time to be devoted to the project and length of time working on the project. Compensation paid for employees engaged in grant activities must be consistent with that paid for similar work within the applicant organization. Include a description of the responsibilities and duties of each position in relationship to fulfilling the project goals and objectives in the narrative space provided below. Also, provide a justification and description of each position (including vacant positions). Relate each position specifically to program objectives. Personnel cannot exceed 100% of their time on all active projects.

Name	Position	Salary or Wage	Basis (Yr./Mo./Hr.)	% of Time	Length of Time	Personnel Cost	Add/Delete Row
				%			Add
							Delete
State Total							
				%			Add
							Delete
NON-State Total							
Total Personnel							
Personnel Narrative (State):							
Personnel Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")							



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2). Fringe Benefits (2 CFR 200.431)

Fringe benefits should be based on actual known costs or an established formula. Fringe benefits are for the personnel listed in category (1) direct salaries and wages, and only for the percentage of time devoted to the project. Provide the fringe benefit rate used and a clear description of how the computation of fringe benefits was done. Provide both the annual (for multiyear awards) and total. If a fringe benefit rate is not used, show how the fringe benefits were computed for each position. The budget justification should be reflected in the budget description. Elements that comprise fringe benefits should be indicated.

Name	Position(s)	Base	Rate (%)	Fringe Benefit Cost	Add/Delete Rows
			%		Add
					Delete
State Total					
			%		Add
					Delete
Non-State Total					
Total Fringe Benefits					

Fringe Benefits Narrative (State):

Fringe Benefits Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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3). Travel (2 CFR 200.474)

Travel should include: origin and destination, estimated costs and type of transportation, number of travelers, related lodging and per diem costs, brief description of the travel involved, its purpose, and explanation of how the proposed travel is necessary for successful completion of the project. In training projects, travel and meals for trainees should be listed separately. Show the number of trainees and unit cost involved. Identify the location of travel, if known; or if unknown, indicate "location to be determined." Indicate source of Travel Policies applied, Applicant or State of Illinois Travel Regulations. NOTE: Dollars requested in the travel category should be for staff travel only. Travel for consultants should be shown in the consultant category along with the consultant's fee. Travel for training participants, advisory committees, review panels and etc., should be itemized the same way as indicated above and placed in the "Miscellaneous" category.

Purpose of Travel/Items	Location	Cost Rate	Basis	Quantity	Number of Trips	Travel Cost	Add/Delete Row
							Add
							Delete
State Total							
							Add
							Delete
NON-State Total							
Total Travel							

Travel Narrative (State):

Travel Narrative (Non-State): (i.e..e "Match" of "Other Funding")



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4). Equipment (2 CFR 200.439)

Provide justification for the use of each item and relate them to specific program objectives. Provide both the annual (for multiyear awards) and total for equipment. Equipment is defined as an article of tangible personal property that has a useful life of more than one year and a per-unit acquisition cost which equals or exceeds the lesser of the capitalization level established by the non-Federal entity for financial statement purposes, or \$5,000. An applicant organization may classify equipment at a lower dollar value but cannot classify it higher than \$5,000. (Note: Organization's own capitalization policy for classification of equipment can be used). Applicants should analyze the cost benefits of purchasing versus leasing equipment, especially high cost items and those subject to rapid technical advances. Rented or leased equipment costs should be listed in the "Contractual" category. Explain how the equipment is necessary for the success of the project. Attach a narrative describing the procurement method to be used.

Item	Quantity	Cost Per Item	Equipment Cost	Add/Delete Rows
				Add
				Delete
State Total				
				Add
				Delete
Non-State Total				
Total Equipment				

Equipment Narrative (State):

Equipment Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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5). Supplies (2 CFR 200.94)

List items by type (office supplies, postage, training materials, copying paper, and other expendable items such as books, hand held tape recorders) and show the basis for computation. Generally, supplies include any materials that are expendable or consumed during the course of the project.

Item	Quantity/Duration	Cost Per Item	Supplies Cost	Add/Delete Rows
				Add
				Delete
State Total				
				Add
				Delete
Non-State Total				
Total Supplies				

Supplies Narrative (State):

Supplies Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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6). Contractual Services (2 CFR 200.318) & Subawards (200.92)

Provide a description of the product or service to be procured by contract and an estimate of the cost. Applicants are encouraged to promote free and open competition in awarding contracts. A separate justification must be provided for sole contracts in excess of \$150,000 (See 2 CFR 200.88). NOTE : this budget category may include **subawards**. Provide separate budgets for each subaward or contract, regardless of the dollar value and indicate the basis for the cost estimates in the narrative. Describe products or services to be obtained and indicate the applicability or necessity of each to the project.

Please also note the differences between subaward, contract, and contractor (vendor):

- 1) Subaward (200.92) means an award provided by a pass-through entity to a sub-recipient for the sub-recipient to carry out part of a Federal/State award, including a portion of the scope of work or objectives. It does not include payments to a contractor or payments to an individual that is a beneficiary of a Federal/State program.
- 2) Contract (200.22) means a legal instrument by which a non-Federal entity purchases property or services needed to carry out the project or program under a Federal award. The term as used in this part does not include a legal instrument, even if the non-Federal entity considers it a contract, when the substance of the transaction meets the definition of a Federal award or subaward.
- 3) "Vendor" or "Contractor" is generally a dealer, distributor or other seller that provides supplies, expendable materials, or data processing services in support of the project activities.

	Item	Contractual Services Cost	Add/Delete Rows
			Add
			Delete
	State Total		
			Add
			Delete
	Non-State Total		
	Total Contractual Services		

Contractual Services Narrative (State):

Contractual Services Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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7). Consultant Services and Expenses (2 CFR 200.459)

Consultant Services (Fees): For each consultant enter the name, if known, service to be provided, hourly or daily fee (8-hour day), and estimated time on the project.

Consultant Expenses: List all expenses to be paid from the grant to the individual consultant in addition to their fees (i.e., travel, meals, lodging, etc.) Consultant--Indicate whether applicant's formal, written Procurement Policy or the Federal Acquisitions Policy is used.

Consultant Services (Fees)	Services Provided	Fee	Basis	Quantity	Consultant Services (Fee) Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Consultant Services (Fees)						

Consultant Services Narrative (State):

Consultant Services Narrative (Non-State):

Consultant Expenses - Items	Location	Cost Rate	Basis	Quantity	Number of Trips	Consultant Expenses Cost	Add/Delete Row
							Add
							Delete
State Total							
							Add
							Delete
NON-State Total							
Total Consultant Expenses							

Consultant Expenses Narrative (State):

Consultant Expenses Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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8). Construction

Provide a description of the construction project and an estimate of the costs. As a rule, construction costs are not allowable unless with prior written approval. In some cases, minor repairs or renovations may be allowable. Consult with the program office before budgeting funds in this category. Estimated construction costs must be supported by documentation including drawings and estimates, formal bids, etc. As with all other costs, follow the specific requirements of the program, the terms and conditions of the award, and applicable regulations.

Purpose	Description of Work	Construction Cost	Add/Delete Rows
			Add
			Delete
State Total			
			Add
			Delete
Non-State Total			
Total Construction			

Construction Narrative (State):

Construction Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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9). Occupancy - Rent and Utilities (2 CFR 200.465)

List items and descriptions by major type and the basis of the computation. Explain how rental and utility expenses are allocated for distribution as an expense to the program/service. For example, provide the square footage and the cost per square foot rent and utility, and provide a monthly rental and utility cost and how many months to rent. **NOTE:** This budgetary line item is to be used for direct program rent and utilities, all other indirect or administrative occupancy costs should be listed in the indirect expense section of the Budget worksheet and narrative. Maintenance and repair costs may be included here if directly allocated to program.

Description	Quantity	Basis	Cost	Length of Time	Occupancy Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Occupancy - Rent and Utilities						

Occupancy - Rent and Utilities Narrative (State):

Occupancy - Rent and Utilities Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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10). Research & Development (R&D) (2 CFR 200.87)

Definition: All research activities, both basic and applied, and all development activities that are performed by non-Federal entities directed toward the production of useful materials, devices, systems, or methods, including design and development of prototypes and processes. Provide a description of the research and development project and an estimate of the costs. Consult with the program office before budgeting funds in this category.

Purpose	Description of Work	Research and Development Cost	Add/Delete Rows
			Add Delete
State Total			
			Add Delete
Non-State Total			
Total Research and Development			

Research and Development Narrative (State):

Research and Development Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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11). Telecommunications

List items and descriptions by major type and the basis of the computation. Explain how telecommunication expenses are allocated for distribution as an expense to the program/service. NOTE: This budgetary line item is to be used for direct program telecommunications, all other indirect or administrative telecommunication costs should be listed in the indirect expense section of the Budget worksheet and narrative.

Description	Quantity	Basis	Cost	Length of Time	Telecommunications Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Telecommunications						

Telecommunications Narrative (State):

Telecommunications Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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12). Training and Education (2 CFR 200.472)

Describe the training and education cost associated with employee development. Include rental space for training (if required), training materials, speaker fees, substitute teacher fees, and any other applicable expenses related to the training. When training materials (pamphlets, notebooks, videos, and other various handouts) are ordered for specific training activities, these items should be itemized below.

Description	Quantity	Basis	Cost	Length of Time	Training and Education Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Training and Education						

Training and Education Narrative (State):

Training and Education Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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13). Direct Administrative Costs (2 CFR 200.413 (c))

The salaries of administrative and clerical staff should normally be treated as indirect (F&A) costs. Direct charging of these costs may be appropriate only if all of the following conditions are met: (1) Administrative or clerical services are integral to a project or activity; (2) Individuals involved can be specifically identified with the project or activity; (3) Such costs are explicitly included in the budget or have the prior written approval of the State awarding agency; and (4) The costs are not also recovered as indirect costs.

Name	Position	Salary or Wage	Basis (Yr./Mo./Hr.)	% of Time	Length of Time	Direct Administrative Cost	Add/Delete Row
				%			Add Delete
State Total							
				%			Add Delete
NON-State Total							
Total Direct Administrative Costs							

Direct Administrative Costs Narrative (State):

Direct Administrative Costs Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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14). Other or Miscellaneous Costs

This category contains items not included in the previous categories. List items by type of material or nature of expense, break down costs by quantity and cost per unit if applicable, state the necessity of other costs for successful completion of the project and exclude unallowable costs (e.g.. Printing, Memberships & subscriptions, recruiting costs, etc.)

Description	Quantity	Basis	Cost	Length of Time	Other or Miscellaneous Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Other or Miscellaneous Costs						

Other or Miscellaneous Costs Narrative (State):

Other or Miscellaneous Costs Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")



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15). GRANT EXCLUSIVE LINE ITEM

Grant Exclusive Line Item Description: _____

Costs directly related to the service or activity of the program that is an integral line item for budgetary purposes. To use this budgetary line item, an applicant must have Program approval. (Please cite reference per statute for unique costs directly related to the service or activity of the program). (Note: Use columns within table as needed for the item being reported. Leave blank those columns that are not applicable. This table does NOT auto-calculate each line. You must enter the line totals. The table will auto-calculate the State, Non-State, and Total Grant Exclusive Line Item amounts based on your line entries. The State, Non-State and Total Grant Exclusive Line Item amounts will NOT carry forward to the Budget Narrative Summary table. You will have to enter the State and Non-State Totals for ALL Grant Exclusive Line Items in the Budget Narrative Summary table. Use the "Add New Grant Exclusive Line Item" button below to add additional tables as needed.)

Description	Quantity	Basis	Cost	Length of Time	Grant Exclusive Line Item Cost	Add/Delete Row
						Add
						Delete
State Total						
						Add
						Delete
NON-State Total						
Total Grant Exclusive Line Item						

Grant Exclusive Line Item Narrative (State):

Grant Exclusive Line Item Narrative (Non-State): (i.e. "Match" or "Other Funding")

Add New Grant Exclusive Line Item	Delete Grant Exclusive Line Item
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16). Indirect Cost (2 CFR 200.414)

Provide the most recent indirect cost rate agreement information with the itemized budget. The applicable indirect cost rate(s) negotiated by the organization with the cognizant negotiating agency must be used in computing indirect costs (F&A) for a program budget. The amount for indirect costs should be calculated by applying the current negotiated indirect cost rate(s) to the approved base(s). After the amount of indirect costs is determined for the program, a breakdown of the indirect costs should be provided in the budget worksheet and narrative below.

Description	Base	Rate	Indirect Cost	Add/Delete Rows
				Add
				Delete
State Total				
				Add
				Delete
Non-State Total				
Total Indirect Costs				

Indirect Costs Narrative (State):

Indirect Costs Narrative (Non-State):



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Budget Narrative Summary—When you have completed the budget worksheet, transfer the totals for each category to the spaces below to the uniform template provided (SECTION A & B). Verify the total costs and the total project costs. Indicate the amount of State requested funds and the amount of non-State funds that will support the project.. (Note: The State, Non-State, and Total cost amounts for each line item below are auto-filled based upon the entries in the preceding budget tables 1-14 and 16. The State and Non-State Total amounts from Table 15 above, Grant Exclusive Line Item(s), must be entered into this table by hand due to the possibility of there being more than one Grant Exclusive Line Item table. Once the Grant Exclusive Line Item(s) amounts are entered into this table, the State Request amount, Non-State Amount and the Total Project Costs will be calculated automatically. It is imperative that the summary tables be completed accurately for the Budget Narrative Summary to be accurate.)

Budget Category	State	Non-State	Total
1. Personnel			
2. Fringe Benefits			
3. Travel			
4. Equipment			
5. Supplies			
6. Contractual Services			
7. Consultant (Professional Services)			
8. Construction			
9. Occupancy (Rent and Utilities)			
10. Research and Development (R & D)			
11. Telecommunications			
12. Training and Education			
13. Direct Administrative Costs			
14. Other or Miscellaneous Costs			
15. GRANT EXCLUSIVE LINE ITEM(S)			
16. Indirect Costs			
State Request			
Non-State Amount			
TOTAL PROJECT COSTS			



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Fiscal Year(s): _____

Initial Budget Request Amount: _____

Prior Written Approval for Expense Line Item: _____

Statutory Limits or Restrictions: _____

Checklist: _____

Final Budget Amount Approved: _____

Program Approval Name Program Approval Signature Date

Fiscal & Administrative Approval Name Fiscal & Administrative Approval Signature Date

Budget Revision Approved: _____

Program Approval Name Program Approval Signature Date

Fiscal & Administrative Approval Signature Fiscal & Administrative Approval Signature Date

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(e) The Federal/State awarding agency may, at its option, restrict the transfer of funds among direct cost categories or programs, functions and activities for Federal/State awards in which the Federal/State share of the project exceeds the Simplified Acquisition Threshold and the cumulative amount of such transfers exceeds or is expected to exceed 10 percent or \$1,000 per detail line item, whichever is greater of the total budget as last approved by the Federal/State awarding agency. The Federal/State awarding agency cannot permit a transfer that would cause any Federal/State appropriation to be used for purposes other than those consistent with the appropriation.