Announcing: NEW!! MIO TAC Pre-Development Accelerator Pilot Program APPLY between November 3 – December 1, 2025!

The Michigan Infrastructure Office Technical Assistance Center (MIO TAC) announces the Pre-Development Accelerator Pilot Program (PDAP). Municipalities and federally recognized tribes can now apply for a grant to pay for required infrastructure pre-development activities for surface transportation, transit, and drinking and wastewater infrastructure projects under development.

The purpose of the PDAP program is to invest in impactful transit, surface transportation and water infrastructure projects that are under development but under-resourced. The PDAP will help fund the pre-construction phase of critical projects that have not moved forward due to lack of resources needed to complete required pre-development activities. The aim is to get critical infrastructure projects in Michigan communities prepared to make a competitive federal grant application.

Funding can be used to pay for such activities as preliminary engineering and design, feasibility studies, environmental review, public engagement, technical studies and data gathering, and more.

Important to Note: MIO TAC is targeting only transit, surface transportation and drinking and wastewater infrastructure projects with the Pre-Development Accelerator Pilot.

- To learn more about the Pre-Development Accelerator pilot Program click this link: <u>Pre-Development Guidance</u>.
- View webinar presentation here: <u>Pre-Development Accelerator Pilot Program Webinar</u> Recording
- To apply for the PDAP, click this link: Online Pre-Development Accelerator Pilot Application

The PDAP application window will be open **November** 3, 2025, to December 1, 2025.

MIO TAC stands ready to help Michigan communities with crucial infrastructure projects.

Don't miss your opportunity to accelerate your project toward the finish line!