



**2021 NON-PROFIT FUNDING APPLICATION**

Name of Organization: East Dakota Transit  
Address: Bus Barn Located at 820 SW 7th Street - PO Box 199  
Phone Number: 605-481-0008 Email Address: sfinck@rocsinc.org  
Funding Request: \$ 14,250.00

Have you received funding from the City of Madison in the past?  yes  no

Are you a  South Dakota registered non-profit  501(c)3 organization  government entity  
 other \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this application in its entirety. To be eligible, recipients must be organizations or present projects whose work constitutes a public purpose with a mission supporting the public and for the good of the residents of Madison.

1. What purpose will the requested funds fulfill?  
It would help to meet what SD DOT requires as far as local match to support the operation costs of providing transportation services within the city of Madison.

2. When will the funds be used?  
As needed monthly to help support operations in 2021 - The transit's program year is from October 1st through September 30th each year.

3. How will the activity/project benefit the City of Madison? What target population will be served by this funding? Approximately how many people will benefit from this activity/project? *These funds must be used to benefit residents of the City of Madison.*

East Dakota Transit is a public transit - anyone within the community can ride. EDT provides ride to the elderly, disabled, children & general public. EDT follows Title VI requirements. EDT provides an average of 17,500 to 18,000 rides per year.

4. How, specifically, does your organization intend to use the funds requested? Do you have other funding sources to address this need? If this is a new program/initiative, how will you assure future funding sources?

To help with the costs / expenses of day to day operations - the transportation of passengers within the community of Madison. Yes, there are other funding sources that also help to address this need - Federal, State, and local match (which includes county, city, local organizations & businesses). This is not a new program as it has been in operation since 1988-89.

5. What are your plans for evaluation? What will you measure in order to determine success of the program or initiative being funded?

Ridership numbers & financials are reviewed every month by the board members of EDT (leaders within the Madison community) - to evaluate needs such as funding, marketing, and annual surveys from the passengers EDT serves.

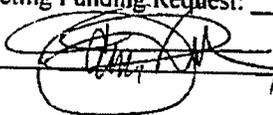
Please feel free to attach any supporting documentation.

As a condition of funding, the following must accompany your completed application:

- completed Form W-9
- copy of the most current certified audit report and/or financial statement

Name/Title of Person Completing Funding Request: Scott Finck - Transit Manager

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

 Chairman: Paul G. Decker

This application and supporting documentation are due to the Finance Office by 5:00pm on Wednesday July 15, 2020. Submit to 116 W Center St, Madison, SD, 57042 or [jennifer.eimers@cityofmadisonsd.com](mailto:jennifer.eimers@cityofmadisonsd.com). The Board of Commissioners will review all requests, invite organizations to formally present their requests and/or suggest budgeted appropriations by Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

For questions regarding this application process, please contact the Finance Office at 605-256-7500 Option 3.