

Eligible Projects

Under [23 USC 162\(c\)](#), the following 8 project types are eligible for NSBP grants:

1. State and Indian Tribe Scenic Byway Programs
2. Corridor Management Plans
3. Highway Safety Improvements
4. Construction of Byway Facilities
5. Access to Recreation
6. Resource Protection
7. Tourist and Interpretive Information
8. Marketing Programs



Great River Road National Scenic Byway, Tennessee



Example Activities

State and Indian Tribe Scenic Byway Programs

- Program Creation (Vision Statement & Goals, Resource Inventory, Citizen Participation Meetings)
- Revisions/Updates to Outdated Material and Guidelines
- Technical Assistance and Education to various Groups and Organizations
- Assistance with Continuing Education (Conferences, Seminars, Classes)

Corridor Management Plans

- Outreach Strategy to involve Community Groups and Stakeholders
- Conduct Community Meetings
- Development of CMP Implementation Plan
- Revisions/Updates to CMP
- Implementation of Activities described in the CMP

Example Activities



Highway Safety Improvements

- Improvement that increase safety and access for vehicles, pedestrians and bicyclists, through traffic, etc.
 - Turn lanes
 - Pedestrian crossing facilities
 - Expanded roadway shoulders
 - Clearer signage
- Improvements at sites with high accident frequency and severity rating

Byway Facilities

- Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Improvements to enhance access
- Pedestrian and Bicyclist Facilities
- Rest Area
- Turnout
- Highway Shoulder Improvement
- Overlook
- Interpretive facility

Example Activities



Access to Recreation

- Safe Visitor Access
- Resource Protection, Rehabilitation, Education
- Trails / Trailheads
- Expanded Parking Areas
- Facilities for Picnics and Resting
- Recreational Plan Development

Resource Protection

- Viewshed Protection
- Acquisition of Land and Conservation Easements
- Repair and Renovation of Landmarks
- Wayside Exhibit Pullouts
- Removal of Billboards
- Resource Inventories, Plans, and Education

Example Activities



Tourist and Interpretive Information

- Byway Logo Signs
- Guidebooks
- Websites
- Interpretive Markers and Signs
- Walking, Driving, Virtual Tours
- Byway Condition Information
 - 511 Telephone Info Service
 - Radio Broadcasts
 - Interactive Kiosks
 - Road Weather Info

Marketing Programs

- Marketing Material Development, Printing, & Distribution
 - Brochures
 - Videos
 - Websites
 - Guidebooks
- Travel Kiosks
- Media Press Kits
- Statewide / Byway Marketing Plans