

Funding Criteria (FY 2019-FY 2022)

- **Readiness to Proceed/Project Planning**
 - Prior Planning/Included in a planning document
 - Prior fundraising
 - Familiarity with the IDOT development process and federal funding requirements.
 - Maintenance in the future beyond just a 20 year commitment resolution (details or plans to maintain/sustain)

- **Extends existing facility/Connects destinations/Enhances facilities** (adds mileage) (adds parking/trailhead)

- **Economic Development/Tourism impact** (activities/festivals built around or utilize facilities/attracts visitors)

- **Provides a safety benefit to user and/or public**

- **Level of local funding contribution** (local contribution greater than required 20% + engineering)

The criteria listed above will provide a point of discussion and comparison of potential projects and are not listed in order of importance. As project types may not provide apples to apples comparison, final funding determinations will be based on Committee discussion and how well a project has addressed these criteria in a direct or indirect manner. The Committee reserves the right to recommend or not recommend funding for all applications submitted.