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**A summary of Federal transportation obligations in the Pine Bluff-White Hall Metropolitan Planning Area between October 1, 2021 and September 30, 2022**

Annual List of Obligated Projects (ALOP)

# FY 2022 ANNUAL LISTING OF FEDERALLY OBLIGATED PROJECTS

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ALOP Annual Listing of Federally Obligated Projects

ArDOT Arkansas Department of Transportation

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

Const Construction

FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FTA Federal Transit Administration

FY Fiscal Year (July 1 – June 30)

FFY Federal Fiscal Year (October 1 – September 30)

MPO Metropolitan Planning Organization

NHPP National Highway Performance Program

PBATS Pine Bluff Area Transportation Study

PBT Pine Bluff Transit

PE Preliminary Engineering

RTP Recreational Trails Program

SEARPC Southeast Arkansas Regional Planning Commission

SEAT Southeast Arkansas Transportation

STIP State Transportation Improvement Program

STP Surface Transportation Program

TAP Transportation Alternatives Program

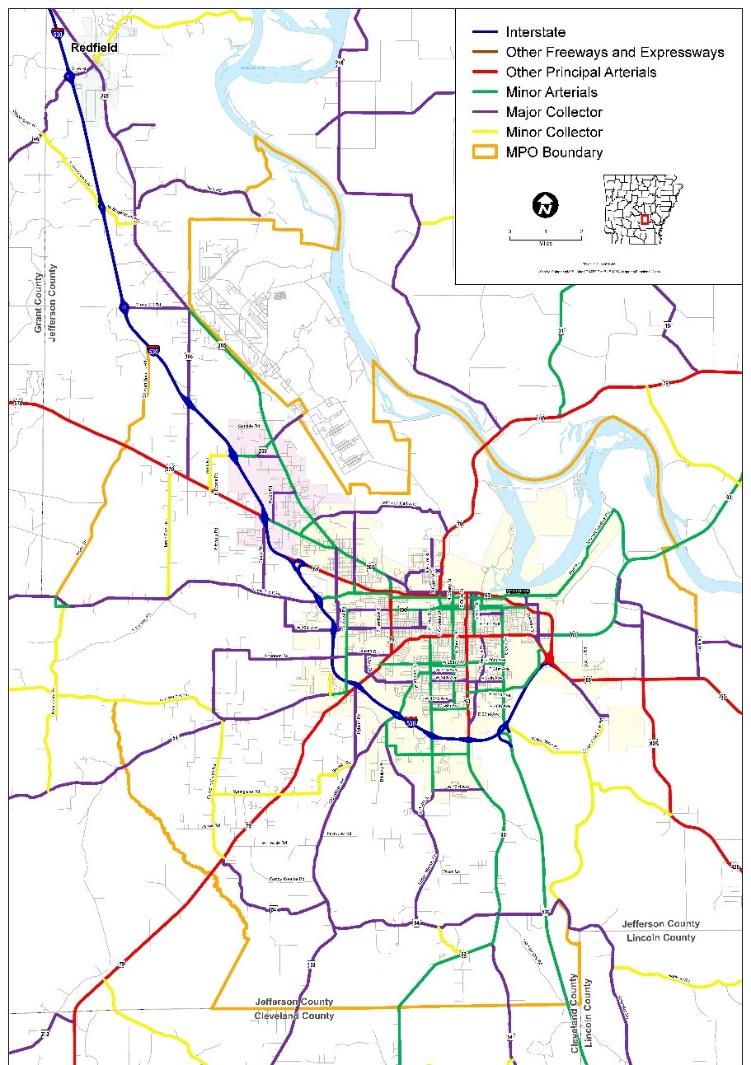
TIP Transportation Improvement Program

U.S.C. United States Code

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# What is the Pine Bluff – White Hall Metropolitan Planning Organization

In 1974, SARPC was designated by the Governor as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for transportation planning for the Pine Bluff Metropolitan Statistical Area.  The formal name of the transportation planning program is the Pine Bluff Area Transportation Study (PBATS).  The PBATS program was established in accordance with the Federal Highway Act of 1962, which required urban areas of more than 50,000 populations to create and maintain a **continuing, comprehensive** transportation planning process carried on **cooperative**ly by state and local communities in order to meet the transportation needs of public while complying with local, state, and federal rules and guidelines. The PBATS area encompasses the cities of Pine Bluff, White Hall, and portions of the unincorporated areas of Jefferson County that make up the Metropolitan Urbanized area as defined by the U.S. Census.



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# Report Objective

This report identifies projects in the Pine Bluff – White Hall Metropolitan Planning Area for which Federal funds were obligated between October 1, 2021 and September 30, 2022 (2022 Federal Fiscal Year). Obligation of funds reflects the Federal government’s commitment to pay or reimburse the State of Arkansas and/or local entities for the federal share of a project’s eligible costs. Obligation of funds does not necessarily imply that work on a project began in the year of obligation. Additionally, the amount of Federal funds obligated may not be equal to the total cost of a project, which may also include commitments from the State of Arkansas and local entities.

This report is published pursuant to 23 U.S.C. Section 134, 49 U.S.C. Section 5304, 23 CFR Section 450 and 49 CFR Section 613, which require the preparation of an annual list of projects for which Federal funds were obligated in the previous federal fiscal year. The list of FHWA obligated projects includes highway projects described by location, phase and the amount of Federal funds obligated; and the list of FTA obligated projects includes transit projects described by recipient, the type of assistance received, and the amount of Federal funds obligated.

***Transportation projects undertaken without the use of federal funds are not identified in either list.***

# Summary of Federal Transportation Obligations in FY 2022

As indicated in Table 1, between October 1, 2021 and September 30, 2022, the Federal government obligated approximately $ 48,761,382 for highway projects within the Pine Bluff – White Hall MPO area. Transportation Alternative Program funding received $ 29,855. The remaining amount went toward engineering, consulting and utility relocation on other listed projects as shown in the table.

Table 2 shows Federal obligation to local transit operations for FFY 2022. Total obligations for the Pine Bluff – White Hall MPO area amounted to $ 2,258,862. This total represents an investment in capital equipment purchases of $ 1,402,986 with the remaining portion of $ 855,876 allocated to transit operations, maintenance, and paratransit service.

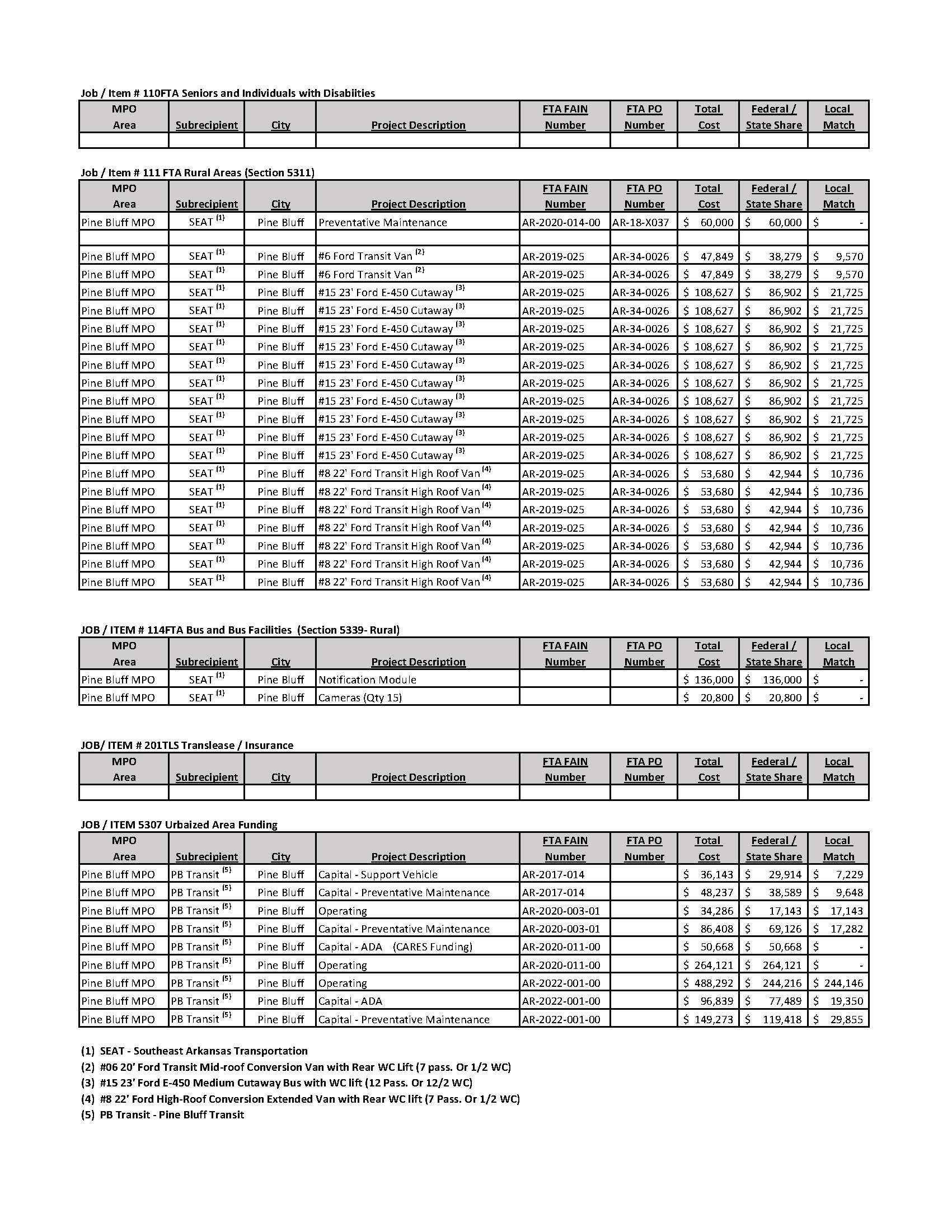
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# Listing of Federal Highway Administration Obligated Projects FFY 2022



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# APPENIX A: 2021-2024 TIP/STIP PROJECT STATUS

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Job #** | **County** | **Route** | **Name** | **Status** |
| 012359 | Jefferson | 63 | Hwys. 18, 63, & 167 (Sel. Secs.) | Completed |
| 02X041 | Jefferson | 54 | Hwy 79 Nevins Creek Pine Bluff | Completed |
| 020696 | Jefferson | 463 | S. Main St. – I-530 (Pine Bluff) | In-progress |
| 020702 | Jefferson | 63 & 65B | 1-530 to I-530 (Pine Bluff) | Completed |
| 020716 | Jefferson | 65 | I-530 – Hwy 425 (Minor Widening) | 2023 |
| 020615 | Jefferson | 79 | Pine Bluff - South | 2024 |
| 020701 | Jefferson | 79 & 79B | Couch Ln – Burnett St. (Pine Bluff) | Completed |
| 020588 | Jefferson | 190 | 11th Ave.- Harding Ave | Awarded |
| 020628 | Jefferson | 190 | I-530 -Hwy 79B (Franklin & 6th) | 2023 |
| 02X119 | Jefferson | 256 | I-530 – Baldwin Rd (White Hall) | TBD |
| 02X143 | Grant/Jefferson | 270 | Hurricane Creek – Hwy 104 (Sel. Secs) | TBD |
| 020626 | Jefferson | 270 / 365 S | Hwy 104 - Hwy 365 | 2023 |
| 020661 | Jefferson | I-530 | I-530 Access Imprvts (Pine Bluff) | 2024 |
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