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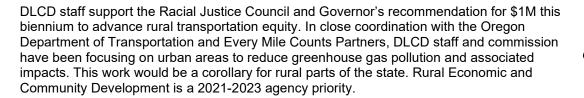
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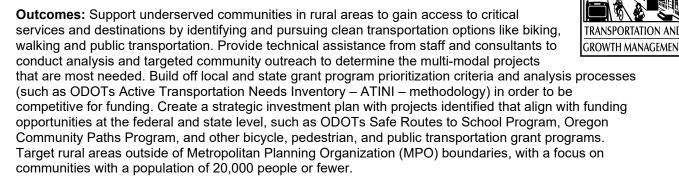
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## Governor's Recommended Budget Rural Transportation Equity

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**Deliverables:** Rural Transportation Equity Strategic Investment Plans in selected communities, guidance for plan development (including how to engage underserved communities, ATNI and other analysis methodologies, etc.), consultant and staff support, and trainings.

**Activities:** Direct technical assistance to rural communities for data, mapping, outreach and engagement, project identification and prioritization, and plan development.

**Staffing:** Align this work within the Transportation and Growth Management (TGM) program, a joint program of the Oregon Department of Transportation and the Department of Land Conservation and Development. Due to the long-running and ongoing nature of this need, DLCD is requesting one new permanent staff person to be housed within the TGM program to sustain this important work long-term.

**Grants and Pilot Communities:** The bulk of this funding would be made available to local governments in several test communities to develop competitive equity-based, transportation disadvantaged community serving project proposals.

**Key Partners**: Oregon Department of Transportation, Native American Tribal Nations, Oregon Main Street (Parks), Association of Oregon Counties, League of Oregon Cities, County Planning Directors, Councils of Government, Community-Based Organizations (Community Action Partners, Rural Transportation Providers, Economic Development Districts, Health Care providers and School Districts).

As this package remains under discussion, we look forward to continued conversations with Racial Justice Council members, Legislators, local government leaders, community-based and community serving organizations.

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