

Agenda Item Summary Report

Meeting Date: February 10, 2025 Submitted by:

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Item Title: Resolution 17-2025 | A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE PORT TOWNS APPLICATION FOR THE FY 2026 TRANSPORTATION LAND-USE CONNECTIONS (TLC) PROGRAM AND THE REGIONAL ROADWAY SAFETY PROGRAM (RRSP)

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Work Session Item [X] Council Meeting Item [X] Documentation Attached: Resolution 17-2025 Grant Information

Recommended Action:

Approval of the resolution of support to apply for grant funds and approval for the Town Administrator to work with the County and Port Towns

Overview: The grant programs provide short-term consultant services to local jurisdictions for small planning projects that promote mixed-use, walkable communities and support a variety of transportation alternatives. Projects are eligible to receive up to \$80,000 in technical assistance for planning projects and up to \$100,000 for design projects. These projects typically last 6-8 months

Purpose: The Town of Bladensburg seeks Council support to apply for the funding will enable the Port Town to advance projects that enhance environmental sustainability, improve stormwater management, and increase the overall livability of the community.

Grant Application Details:

- **Deadline:** March 7, 2025
- Partners: The Town will collaborate with the County and the Port Town.
- Proposed Use of Funds: The grant provides short-term consultant services to local
 jurisdictions for small planning projects that promote mixed-use, walkable communities and
 support a variety of transportation alternatives.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the Town Council adopt a resolution supporting the submission of the Grant Program application. This endorsement will demonstrate the Town's commitment to collaboration with the Port Towns.

Budgeted Item: Yes [] No [X]	Continued Date:
Budgeted Amount:\$ TBD	
One-Time Cost: Yes	
Ongoing Cost:	
Council Priority: Yes [] No []	Approved Date: