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METROPLAN ANNOUNCES \$2.3 MILLION AWARDS TO CENTRAL ARKANSAS

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During its January Board meeting, Metroplan awarded seven cities and one county transportation alternative program funding, totaling \$2.3 million, to design or construct alternative transportation projects around Central Arkansas for. These projects include:

- Austin was awarded \$320,000 to construct a 14 ft trail from Highway 38 to Austin City Park
- Bryant was awarded \$320,000 to construct a 12 ft trail from Alcoa Park to Mills Park
- Cabot was awarded \$320,000 to construct a 2 mile-14 ft trail from Cabot High School to Kerr Station Park
- Little Rock was awarded \$320,000 to design a portion of the Jonesboro Children's Trail
- Pulaski County was awarded \$320,000 to construct a separated path for bikes and pedestrians on 3.7 miles of Old Hwy 161
- Shannon Hills was awarded \$281,000 to construct a 12 ft wide trail from Tall Pine Drive to proposed SW Trail
- Sherwood was awarded \$320,000 to construct a sidewalk connecting neighborhood to proposed Regional Greenways Route
- Ward was awarded \$176,000 for their Safe Routes to School

If you would like to schedule an interview, please contact our Public Engagement Planner, Sydney Dozier, at sdozier@metroplan.org .

Metroplan is the federally designated metropolitan planning organization for the four-county region of Faulkner, Lonoke, Pulaski, and Saline counties. It is a voluntary association of local governments that has operated since 1955. **For more information, see www.metroplan.org.**