

RESOLUTION**RECOMMENDATION TO THE STATE OF OHIO GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF APPALACHIA AND OHIO DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AGENCY TO SUPPORT FUNDING FOR THE EASTGATE REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS LOCAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT FULL-APPLICATION PRIORITY OF PROJECTS IN FISCAL YEAR 2018 FOR THE APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION (ARC)**

WHEREAS, the Eastgate Regional Council of Governments (Eastgate) is the designated Local Development District (LDD) for Ashtabula, Mahoning and Trumbull Counties, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Eastgate has received, reviewed and evaluated full-applications for the Local Development District; and

WHEREAS, the following project applications are recommended for funding based on the Eastgate Fiscal Year 2018 ARC Full-Application Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the following project full-applications are eligible ARC applicants and are being recommended by Eastgate to the Governor's Office of Appalachia (GOA) in the order listed below.

Eastgate FY2018 ARC Pre-Application Priority of Projects:

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Area Served</u>	<u>ARC Request</u>	<u>Total Project</u>
Anticipated LDD Allocation				
Youngstown Business Incubator	MAH	MAH	\$111,600	\$223,248
ATB Commissioners	ATB	Saybrook Twp.	\$179,400	\$992,100
KSU Ashtabula Campus	ATB	ATB	\$250,000	\$980,000
TRU Commissioners	TRU	Brookfield Twp.	\$250,000	\$1,375,705
MAH Commissioners	MAH	Poland Twp.	\$150,000	\$410,050
Total FY18 Anticipated LDD Allocation			\$941,000	\$3,981,103
GOA Access Rd Allocation Request				
City of Ashtabula	ATB	City of ATB	\$393,723	\$393,723
Total FY18 Access Road Projects			\$393,723	\$393,723

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the General Policy Board of the Eastgate Regional Council of Governments, State of Ohio, hereby recommends Fiscal Year 2018 ARC Full-application priority of projects presented by the Youngstown Business Incubator, Ashtabula County Board of Commissioner, Kent State University Ashtabula Campus, Trumbull County Board of Commissioners and the Mahoning County Board of Commissioners be approved as submitted and identified in this resolution to the Governor's Office of Appalachia and Ohio Development Services Agency, for consideration and approval.

Passed this 27th day of September, 2017.

ATTEST:


James G. Kinnick, P.E., Executive Director


Casey R. Kozlowski, Chairman