

B. SMART SCALE: UPDATE

The application deadline for Round 2 of the SMART SCALE project prioritization process was October 3, 2016. A total of 436 applications were submitted requesting a total of \$9.25 billion in funding via SMART SCALE. The Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment (OIPI) will screen the applications to ensure that projects meet VTrans need with validation of project information by VDOT/DRPT staff.

In December, the list of projects that were not evaluated as a result of screening and validation were released. Project scores and the base funding scenario will be released in January 2017. The next round of SMART SCALE will occur in FY 2018.

A table listing all of the SMART SCALE project proposals for FY 2018 may be accessed on the VDOT website

at: http://www.virginiadot.org/projects/resources/SYIP/2016/fall/All_Submitted_Applications.pdf

The Virginia SMART SCALE website offers a way to search for FY 2018 SMART SCALE application information by location

at: <http://vasmartscale.com/projects/default.asp#Search>. Only basic project information is provided (not full applications).