

**PACTS FY 2006/2007**

**Application Form for Bicycle/Pedestrian/Other Proposals**

PACTS staff and the Planning Committee will use the information provided on this form to score Bicycle/Pedestrian/Other proposals. Examples of eligible purposes include:

- Streetscape improvements;
- Off-road bike paths;
- Sidewalks;
- Bike lanes built as roadway shoulders designed and designated strictly for bicycle/pedestrian use; and
- Any eligible purpose under the FHWA's Enhancement program administered by the MaineDOT (per the January 2004 MaineDOT mailing).

**General Requirements**

1. Must be received at PACTS by June 1<sup>st</sup>.
2. Must be endorsed by the municipality's council or officers.
3. Must be based on a detailed problem statement and proposed scope of work. Attach supplemental information as needed.
4. Electronic submissions are preferred.

**The Scoring Process**

1. PACTS staff will review and score the proposals, and send the scores to the Planning Committee prior to its July 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.
2. The Planning Committee will review the staff's scores, and then prepare Committee scores and recommendations for consideration by the Policy Committee on July 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Please call Eric Ortman or John Duncan at 774-9891 with any questions as you prepare your proposal.

**Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Proposal Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Municipal Endorsement** (Please list the endorsee and the date of endorsement.)  
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**Location:** (Street name and/or Route number and/or good description of location if off-road.)  
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**Relevant Study or Plan** (Attach relevant excerpts.)  
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**Proposed Scope of Work**

Please attach a scope of work that is in sufficient detail for PACTS staff and the MaineDOT to: (1) develop a reasonably accurate cost estimate, (2) determine the project’s consistency with *Destination Tomorrow*, and (3) determine its merits.

**Overall Project Description**

1. Describe the project including a map of its location.

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2. Is the project within a municipally designated growth area?

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3. Describe how this project is (or is not) part of an approved or pending transportation study.

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4. Describe how the project ties into the existing transportation system (including the roadway and public transportation networks.)

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5. Describe any relevant safety aspects to the existing transportation network as a result of this project.

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**Uses and Benefits**

1. Who are the intended users of the project, e.g., elderly, commuters, people pursuing good health?

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2. What neighborhoods and municipalities will benefit from the project?

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3. Describe any expected regional benefits that will accrue as a result of this project.

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**Costs and Maintenance**

1. What are the capital costs to complete this project?

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2. What are the costs to maintain this project after construction is completed?

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3. Who will maintain the project after construction is completed?

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