



SHIFT Kentucky Ahead

Strategic Highway Investment Formula for Tomorrow

Process Timeline

		Action	Acting Party	Description
Sponsorship	Winter 2026 - Spring 2027	CHAF's	ADD, MPO, HDO	ADDs and MPOs prepare new and/or update existing CHAFs as needed in their respective areas in order to prepare for project Sponsorship.
		Projects Sponsored	ADD, MPO, HDO	Sponsor projects in the CHAF program.
Data Verification	Late Spring 2027	Review Sponsored Project List	Central Office, HDO, ADD, MPO	Review project list, discuss projects with districts, ADDS and MPOS, review projects for duplications and families
		Update project data	HDO, Central Office	Review and Update data needed for Project Scoring
		Data Verification	Central Office	Confirm entered data on sponsored CHAFs
Statewide Prioritization	Late Spring 2027 - Early Summer 2027	Statewide Scoring	Central Office	CO will start Scoring Process and produce a Statewide list of scored projects along Interstates and Parkways.
		Statewide Project Identification		Projects of statewide significance identified based on facility type and improvement impact. Statewide projects will be generated from this list to be included in Recommended Highway Plan.
Regional Prioritization	Summer 2027	Regional Scoring	Central Office	Planning will produce regional lists, including projects along Interstates and Parkways not selected through the Statewide Prioritization selection process, score regional projects, and distribute project list.
		Boost Point Allocation & Submittal	ADD, MPO, HDO	ADD's, MPO's, and HDO's determine which projects within their area's Regional List will be selected to receive boost points.
		Area Report	ADD, MPO, HDO	ADD's, MPO's, and HDO's will write up the methodology that was used for the 2028 process. This should include Sponsorship and Boosting and discuss what factors or reasons each area used to make decision's.
		Finalize Regional Scores	Central Office	Scoring is completed and disseminated to ADD's, HDO's, MPO's.
KYTC report to Legislature	Fall 2027	Deliver SHIFT 2028 scores to KY Legislature	Central Office	KYTC issues an official copy of SHIFT 2028 scores to Legislature as required by KRS.
Draft Plan	Fall 2027 - Early Winter 2027	KYTC Develops Draft Plan and Delivers to the Governor	Central Office	The Draft Recommended Highway Plan is a combination of statewide list and regional lists. It will also include system preservation and preventative maintenance projects. Submit Draft Plan to Governor. Revise Per Governor request.