

What makes a **competitive** RAISE implementation grant application?

- ✓ The project is a **regionally important project** prioritized through a robust planning process
- ✓ The project provides **significant and multiple benefits** in the following categories:
 - ◆ Safety
 - ◆ Environmental Sustainability
 - ◆ Quality of Life
 - ◆ Mobility & Community Connectivity
 - ◆ Economic Competitiveness and Opportunity
 - ◆ State of Good Repair
 - ◆ Partnership and Collaboration
 - ◆ Innovation
- ✓ The project has at least some funding available to serve as a **match** to the RAISE grant
- ✓ The project benefits an **Area of Persistent Poverty** or **Historically Disadvantaged Community**¹
- ✓ The project shows **strong political support** from your federal delegation (US Senator or US Representative)
- ✓ The project has **limited or manageable** environmental or right-of-way **risks**
- ✓ The project has a **high Benefit to Cost ratio**
- ✓ The project cost is at least \$5 million for efforts in urban areas and \$1 million for efforts in rural areas
- ✓ The project funding need is **no more than \$25 million** (maximum award)



Did you know...

Alta has helped our clients **win over 10 RAISE grants** and has secured **over \$850 million** through federal, state, and local grant sources. Alta's in-house grant writing specialists are ready to help you match funding sources with your project.



Contact us to discuss your funding needs with an Alta grant expert.

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¹—<https://www.transportation.gov/RAISEgrants/raise-app-hdc>