



City of Wheeling

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR WHEELING HERITAGE
TRAIL CONNECTOR PROJECT

Send to:

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<https://www.wheelingwv.gov/bids>

Proposals Due: August 30, 2024, at 2 p.m. prevailing time

I. Background/Vision

The Wheeling Heritage Trail Connector Project seeks to create safe passage for cyclists riding on the Wheeling Heritage Trail through downtown Wheeling. Currently there is limited signage and an incomplete passageway from the Wheeling Creek Trail to the Wheeling Heritage Trail. This project seeks to hire a professional consultant to create a plan to connect the two trails through downtown Wheeling. The Wheeling Heritage Trail Connector would fix a gap in two existing trail systems in Wheeling. The two trail systems originally had a connecting route through the downtown Wheeling city streets. This route had painted "bike lanes" and signage to guide and assist cyclists. The lines have since faded and the signage has been removed. The current route is unclear and unsafe. This project would provide a clear plan for safe passage for cyclists. It is possible that a consultant might provide a route that would accommodate walkers and runners, which currently doesn't exist.

II. Compensation

This is a partnership through West Virginia Department of Transportation Division of Highways and Ohio Valley Trail Partners. The project budget is \$40,000.

III. Application Submission Procedure

1. **Apply online at** <https://www.wheelingwv.gov/bids>
2. **Project Descriptions** Provide a brief overview of the project. (Not to exceed two pages)
3. **Work Plan** Provide a brief outline of the steps involved in the proposed project with time requirements included.
4. **Bio or Resume** Provide any information on previous and related experience.
5. **Sample Work** Please provide images of previously executed projects