

## State Of Maryland 2018 Bond Bill Fact Sheet

1. Senate LR #            Bill #		House LR #            Bill #		2. Name Of Project	
lr2137	sb0443	lr2144	hb0708	Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds	
3. Senate Bill Sponsors				House Bill Sponsors	
Reilly				McConkey	
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)			5. Requested Amount		
Anne Arundel County			\$125,000		
6. Purpose of Bill					
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds, including improvements to the parking lots					
7. Matching Fund					
Requirements:  Grant			Type:		
8. Special Provisions					
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian		
9. Contact Name and Title			Contact Ph#	Email Address	
Andy Bates			443-994-4961	abates7133@yahoo.com	
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)					
<p>Anne Arundel County Fair Inc is a 501c3 all Volunteer agricultural fair organization. Our purpose is explained in our corporation goals. To serve as a showcase for ingenuity, talent and interest in the agricultural life. To serve as a means of educating children and young people to the honorable profession of farming, including the handling of animals from birth to market, the growth, preparation and preservation of food and the creativity of home arts skills.</p>					

**11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)**

The project is to repave our existing midway & handicap parking. The surface is currently cracking and breaking up. This road is used for fair access and public foot traffic at most all events on the fairgrounds. This project will also extend new paving to the Barn area replacing the current uneven gravel/milling road. The project estimate is for approx. 66,250 sq. ft. of asphalt. This project will benefit all fair and event visitors for 100,000 + people annually. This will provide for public safety and access for wheelchairs, scouters, strollers, canes, walkers and people with disabilities. People will appreciate the lack of mud and puddles on wet days and dust and allergies when its dry on there way to the barns.

*Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.*

**12. Estimated Capital Costs**

<b>Acquisition</b>	
<b>Design</b>	
<b>Construction</b>	\$125,000
<b>Equipment</b>	
<b>Total</b>	\$125,000

**13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)**

State of MD	\$125,000
<b>Total</b>	\$125,000

<b>14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)</b>			
<b>Begin Design</b>	<b>Complete Design</b>	<b>Begin Construction</b>	<b>Complete Construction</b>
N/A	N/A	7/2/2018	8/31/2018
<b>15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised</b>	<b>16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site</b>	<b>17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete</b>	
	100,000 +	100,000 +	
<b>18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years</b>			
<b>Legislative Session</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	
None			
<b>19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee</b>		<b>Project Address (If Different)</b>	
Anne Arundel County Fair Inc. PO Box 372 Crownsville, MD 21032		1450 Generals Hwy Crownsville, MD 21032	
<b>20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located</b>	33 - Anne Arundel County		
<b>21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)</b>			
<b>Local Govt.</b>	<b>For Profit</b>	<b>Non Profit</b>	<b>Federal</b>
[ ]	[ ]	[ X ]	[ ]
<b>22. Grantee Legal Representative</b>		<b>23. If Match Includes Real Property:</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	Grydon Ripley	<b>Has An Appraisal Been Done?</b>	Yes/No
<b>Phone:</b>	301-261-4331		
<b>Address:</b>		<b>If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value</b>	
3019 Davidsonville, Rd. Davidsonville, MD 21035			

<b>24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site</b>			
<b>Current # of Employees</b>	<b>Projected # of Employees</b>	<b>Current Operating Budget</b>	<b>Projected Operating Budget</b>
Volunteer			
<b>25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)</b>			
<b>A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?</b>			Lease
<b>B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?</b>			
<b>C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?</b>			No
<b>D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:</b>			
<b>Lessee</b>	<b>Terms of Lease</b>	<b>Cost Covered by Lease</b>	<b>Square Footage Leased</b>
<b>E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:</b>			
<b>Name of Leaser</b>	<b>Length of Lease</b>	<b>Options to Renew</b>	
State of MD Managed by DNR	98 yrs/2081	10 year renewal, next in 2000	
<b>26. Building Square Footage:</b>			
<b>Current Space GSF</b>			
<b>Space to be Renovated GSF</b>			
<b>New GSF</b>			

<b>27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion</b>	
<b>28. Comments</b>	
<p>The Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds are currently run by Anne Arundel County Fair Inc., an incorporated Agricultural Fair in MD. We are governed and ran by a group of dedicated volunteers with a passion for our community and agricultural interest.</p> <p>We engage the public and our youth in a positive, educational, festive, community atmosphere. There is something here for everyone. We depend on our community partners to help us out, so we can keep the fairs admission affordable for our patrons.</p> <p>The Fair board is a member of the Maryland Association of Fairs and Shows and International association of fairs and expos. These organizations both provide networking resourses and trainings to agricultural fairs..</p> <p>The Fair home "Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds" is in beautiful Crownsville MD in the county of Anne Arundel. Thanks to the State of MD who purchased the property for our Fairs use under open space in 1981. We love our home and have continued to maintain and manage its uses as written in our lease with DNR. The Fair has and continues to be used for many ethnic and food festivals, Scout camps &amp; jamborees, trainings, reunions, weddings, sportsmen shows, tractor pulls, rodeos, Haunted House &amp; hayrides, flea markets, craft shows, jousting,4-H fundraisers and horse pulls. With all this going on you can see we impact over 100,000 people directly. Our benefit to the community is not limited to what we offer but also the economic impact from Vendors for food and goods, event promoters and rooms for those coming from afar to these events.</p>	