USTA's Facility Assistance Program is here to help you with your facility renovation!



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STEP 1: Complete and submit an on-line <u>Facility Assistance Form</u> to notify the USTA of your project timeline and needs. This form is available at <u>www.usta.com/facilities</u>. A successfully submitted form will generate an automatic e-mail notification of submission. This form can be completed at any point during the year.

STEP 2: You will be contacted by a USTA representative within 10 days of submitting your Facility Assistance Form.

STEP 3: Your community record will stay active as you progress through stages of advocacy and technical assistance and will close once assistance from the National Governing Body is no longer needed. Funding Applications are released by invitation only.

USTA Facility Assistance Services

- Facility Concepts (generic): The USTA has a library of generic concepts available for any community, catalogued by number of courts, type of courts (36', 60' 78' or mixed) and acreage of land. These can be customized for your community once you have identified your development site.
- Facility Design Review The USTA can review your facility design for design integrity and to ensure that it meets or exceeds tennis industry standards. The USTA will make design recommendations for the optimum management and programming needs of your facility.
- Construction Document Review The USTA can review construction documents to ensure all project construction details are clear and concise. The USTA may uncover cost savings for the community and recommend alternate methods for successful construction, grading and drainage plans.
- RFP and Bid Document Review The USTA can review Request for Proposal and contractor bid documents to ensure that the scope of work meets industry standards.
- 36' and 60' tennis court concepts: The USTA has an extensive library of 36' and 60' tennis court plans and can provide you with generic and site specific concepts.
- Facility Funding The USTA offers competitive grant applications to tennis facilities open to the public that meet additional requirements outlined below. Private facilities are eligible for Conceptual Design, Technical and RFP Review, and Line Grant Funding.

Categories	Funding Description	USTA Contribution	USTA Southern Contribution	USTA Alabama Contribution
Line Grants:	Painting permanent 36' and 60' tennis lines on existing courts, paved areas, blacktops, playgrounds or gymnasiums.	Up to 100% of total project cost (\$5,000 maximum)	N/A	N/A
Category I:	Basic facility improvements, including fixed court amenities (i.e. backboards, fencing, windscreens, etc.)	Up to 50% of total project cost (\$5,000 maximum)	N/A	N/A
Category II	Resurfacing of existing 36', 60' and 78' courts. Converting an existing 78' court to stand-alone 36' courts. Lighting costs.	Up to 50% of total project cost (\$30,000 maximum). 2 - 3 courts = \$10,000 max 4 - 11 courts = \$20,000 max 12+ courts = \$30,000 max	Total of all USTA funding up to 50% of total project 2 – 3 courts = \$10,000 max 4 – 11 courts = \$20,000 max 12+ courts = \$30,000 max	Case by case basis with consideration of need and total of all funding not to exceed 50% while funds last
Category III	New construction or existing facility reconstruction of 36', 60' and 78' courts.	Up to 50% of total project cost 2 - 3 courts = \$30,000 max 4 - 11 courts = \$50,000 max 12+ courts = \$100,000 max	Total of all USTA funding up to 50% of total project cost 2 – 3 courts = \$12,000 max 4- 11 courts = \$25,000 max 12+ courts = \$36,000 max	Case by case basis with consideration of need and total of all funding not to exceed 50% while funds last
Media/Technology Grants	Collegiate Digital Media to install live streaming equipment. (Available to collegiate facilities only)	Up to 50% of total project cost (\$10,000 maximum)	N/A	N/A

**Clay/Har-Tru tennis courts are eligible for funding on a case by case basis. Annual top-dressing and pre-season conditioning are considered maintenance, and <u>not</u> eligible for funding.

Please inquire if your individual State Tennis Association may also offer additional funding. Contact us today for assistance with your tennis court project http://ct.usta.com/pfa/