



U.S. Department of Transportation

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- * **Mission** of the Department:
- * *Serve the United States by ensuring a fast, safe, efficient, accessible and convenient transportation system that meets our vital national interests and enhances the quality of life of the American people, today and into the future.*



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- * DOT employs almost 60,000 people across the country in its operating administrations, each with its own management and organizational structure.

Operating Administrations	
Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA)
Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)	Research and Innovative Technology Administration (RITA)
Federal Transit Administration (FTA)	Maritime Administration (MARAD)
Federal Railroad Administration (FRA)	Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation (SLSDC)
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA)	Office of the Secretary (OST)
Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA)	Office of Inspector General (OIG)
	Surface Transportation Board (STB)

FEDERAL GRANTS TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

Agency/Program	FY 2011 (Outlays) (In millions of dollars)
Federal Highway Administration: Federal-aid Highways	\$35,754
Federal Aviation Administration: Grants-in-aid for Airports	\$3,095
Federal Transit Administration:	
Transit Formula Grants	\$7,182
Capital Investment Grants	\$1,926
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration: Highway Traffic Safety Grants	\$558
Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration: Motor Carrier Safety Grants	\$253

*Does not include American Reinvestment and Recovery Act funds

Source: Analytical Perspectives, Budget of the United States Government, Fiscal Year 2013

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Grant Programs (selected)	Description
Federal-aid Highways	Provides financial assistance for the construction, maintenance and operations of the highway network, including the Interstate Highway System, primary highways and secondary local roads
Grants-in-aid for Airports	The Airport Improvement Program (AIP) provides grants to public agencies — and, in some cases, to private owners and entities — for the planning and development of public-use airports that are included in the National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems (NPIAS)
Transit Formula Grants	Multiple programs used for all transit purposes including bus and railcar purchases, facility repair and construction, maintenance and where eligible, planning and operating expenses
Capital Investment Grants	Provides capital assistance for new fixed guide-way systems (New Starts program and Small Starts), new and replacement buses and facilities (Bus and Bus Related Facilities program) and modernization of existing rail systems (Fixed Guide-way Modernization program)
Highway Traffic Safety Grants	Multiple program opportunities that support State and community programs to implement activities that reduce deaths and injuries on the highways
Motor Carrier Safety Grants	Funding opportunities are available for commercial motor vehicle safety activities that demonstrate a capacity to work with highway traffic safety stakeholders

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FY 2013

- * Investing in National Infrastructure
- * Building on Safety
- * Modernizing through Research and Innovation

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- * <http://www.dot.gov/grants>
- * <http://www.dot.gov/map21>

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