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**TO: Small Urban Program Agencies**

**SUBJECT: American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009**

On February 17, 2009, President Barack Obama signed the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009. The bill provides the largest reinvestment in our nation's highway and infrastructure with \$27.5 billion focused on transportation. The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is expected to see approximately \$850 million towards transportation improvements over the next years.

The Small Urban Program provides transportation funding to cities, road commissions and transit agencies located within or serving urban areas with populations between 5,000 to 50,000. It has been determined by MDOT that through the Act 51 formula, approximately \$12.9 million will be available to the Small Urban program. Small Urban funds will be distributed to all 55 eligible areas based on the 2000 Census population figures. Please see the attached amount for your area.

All projects submitted for consideration must follow the same federal guidelines including project prioritization and public participation. Application and submittal information can be found at [www.michigan.gov/mdotsmallurban](http://www.michigan.gov/mdotsmallurban). Please submit your prioritized projects up to the dollar amount provided in the attachment. Your projects must be prioritized.

There will be additional reporting requirements for these funds. This information will be provided to you as soon as it is received by MDOT.

It is important to note that funds are limited. Projects will be capped at the estimated dollar amount. Any overruns will require local dollars to be expended. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Brandon Wilcox, Transportation Planner, Statewide Planning Section, at 517-335-2948 or [wilcoxbl@michigan.gov](mailto:wilcoxbl@michigan.gov).

Sincerely,

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Attachment(s)

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cc: Brandon Wilcox, Susan Richardson



American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA)  
 Small Urban Program Funding Distribution

Small Urban Area	U.S Census Population (2000)	Amount
Fremont	5,029	\$ 95,000
Richmond	5,103	\$ 95,000
Caro	5,196	\$ 100,000
Durand-Vernon	5,697	\$ 110,000
Eaton Rapids	5,825	\$ 110,000
Belding - Eau Claire	5,911	\$ 110,000
Laurium - Calumet	5,988	\$ 115,000
Williamston - Webberville	6,166	\$ 115,000
Ironwood	6,217	\$ 120,000
Lowell	6,221	\$ 120,000
Dowagiac	6,302	\$ 120,000
Allegan	6,323	\$ 120,000
Milan	6,513	\$ 125,000
South Haven	6,632	\$ 125,000
Holly	6,817	\$ 130,000
Au Sable	7,082	\$ 135,000
Kinross Charter Township	7,142	\$ 135,000
Marshall	7,615	\$ 145,000
St. Johns	7,712	\$ 145,000
Whitehall - Lakewood Club - Montague	7,736	\$ 145,000
Gaylord	7,769	\$ 150,000
Greenville	7,809	\$ 150,000
Hastings	8,075	\$ 155,000
Petoskey	8,158	\$ 155,000
Houghton Lake	8,477	\$ 160,000
Paw Paw Lake (Berrien Co) - Coloma - Watervliet	8,777	\$ 165,000
Hillsdale	8,901	\$ 170,000
Menominee	9,167	\$ 175,000
Berrien Springs	9,714	\$ 185,000
Albion	9,749	\$ 185,000
Ludington	9,758	\$ 185,000
Three Rivers	9,808	\$ 185,000
Manistee - Eastlake	9,970	\$ 190,000
Plainwell - Otsego	10,871	\$ 205,000
Cadillac	11,110	\$ 210,000
Paw Paw - Lawton - Mattawan	11,341	\$ 215,000
Charlotte - Pottersville	11,539	\$ 220,000
Big Rapids	11,937	\$ 225,000
Ishpeming - Negaunee	13,091	\$ 250,000
Sturgis	13,468	\$ 255,000
Lapeer	13,668	\$ 260,000
Ionia	14,005	\$ 265,000
Houghton	14,119	\$ 270,000
Coldwater	14,293	\$ 270,000
Alpena	15,200	\$ 290,000
Sault Ste. Marie	16,437	\$ 310,000
Alma - St. Louis	16,561	\$ 315,000
Iron Mountain - Kingsford	17,306	\$ 330,000
Escanaba - Gladstone	21,032	\$ 400,000
Owosso - Corunna	22,719	\$ 430,000
Marquette	24,431	\$ 465,000
Mt. Pleasant	31,277	\$ 595,000
Traverse City	39,726	\$ 755,000
Adrian - Tecumseh	41,983	\$ 800,000
Midland - Sanford - Auburn	49,387	\$ 940,000
<b>Total:</b>	<b>678,860</b>	<b>\$ 12,900,000</b>

# American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Federal Aid Distributions in Michigan

**1.**  
Apportionment to Michigan  
\$847,204,834

**3.**  
\$821,788,689 Subject to Michigan PA 51 75/25 Law Resulting in \$616,341,517 to MDOT and \$205,447,172 to Local

**2c.**  
Any Area of the State (67%)  
\$567,627,239

**2b.**  
Sub Allocated to Areas based on Population (30%)  
\$254,161,450

**2a.**  
Transportation Enhancements (3%)  
\$25,416,145

**4a.**  
MDOT (50%)  
\$12,708,073

**4a.**  
Local (50%)  
\$12,708,073

Sub Allocated to Urbanized Areas Population >200,000  
\$139,458,842

Sub Allocated to Areas Population <=200,000  
\$114,702,608

**5b.**  
Sub Allocated to Areas Population < 5,000  
\$19,055,419

**5a. Urbanized Areas**

Ann Arbor	\$7,260,438
Detroit	\$99,823,268
Flint	\$9,336,806
Grand Rapids	\$13,786,198
Lansing	\$7,672,888
Niles (South Bend)	\$874,641
Toledo	\$704,603

**5c.**  
Sub Allocated to Areas Population 5,000-199,000  
\$95,647,189

**6b. Urbanized Areas MDOT Allocations**

Ann Arbor	\$801,336
Detroit	\$11,017,507
Flint	\$1,030,504
Grand Rapids	\$1,521,585
Lansing	\$846,858
Niles (South Bend)	\$96,534
Toledo	\$77,767

**6a. Urbanized Areas Local Allocations**

Ann Arbor	\$6,459,102
Detroit	\$88,805,761
Flint	\$8,306,302
Grand Rapids	\$12,264,613
Lansing	\$6,826,030
Niles (South Bend)	\$778,107
Toledo	\$626,836

**6a.**  
Small MPO  
\$29,435,301

**6a.**  
Small Urban  
\$12,890,659

**6a.**  
Rural  
\$39,054,461

**6a.**  
MDOT  
\$14,266,768

**7. Local Allocations plus MDOT Investment from ARRA Highway sources in Urbanized Areas**

<b>Ann Arbor</b> Total Investment <b>\$7,960,000</b>	<b>Detroit</b> Total Investment <b>\$301,925,000</b>
<b>Flint</b> Total Investment <b>\$34,803,500</b>	<b>Grand Rapids</b> Total Investment <b>\$54,760,000</b>
<b>Lansing</b> Total Investment <b>\$58,526,000</b>	<b>Niles (S.Bend)</b> Total Investment <b>\$875,000</b>
<b>Toledo</b> Total Investment <b>\$705,000</b>	