

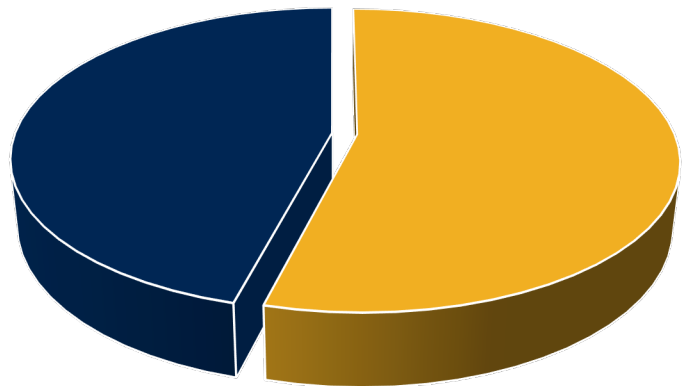


Stronger Together



Who is BIL?

- Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL)
 - AKA Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA)
- National Infrastructure Investment = \$1.2 Trillion across 5 years
 - Nearly 400 programs across 12 Federal Agencies
 - 60% Formula / 40% Discretionary



■ Formula ■ Discretionary

Formula vs. Discretionary

Guaranteed vs. Earned



An Important Side Note

FORMULA

- Guaranteed Dollars
- Distributed via existing or new programs

State Based Distribution

- \$50 Million Formula Program
- \$1 Million Per State

DISCRETIONARY

- Earned, Competitive Dollars
- Distributed via existing or new programs

Merit Based Distribution

- \$50 Million Grant Program
- \$5 Million to Waterville, KS
- \$10 Million to Lincoln, NE
- \$35 Million to Boulder, CO



Resource Alert!

- The Guidebook
 - Rural Playbook
 - Technical Assistance Guide
 - Tribal Playbook
- Find all the Books online
kshub.org
 - Original Source: build.gov

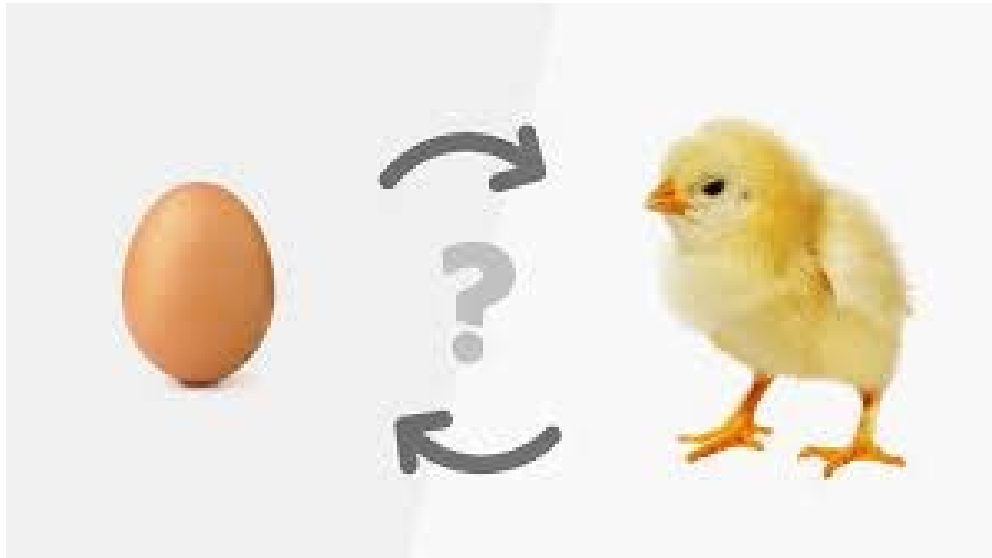


BIL is for...

- Infrastructure Sectors
 - Transportation (roads, bridges, rail, transit, aviation)
 - Climate, Energy, Environment (water, remediation, energy & power)
 - Broadband (internet)
 - Resilience (cybersecurity, weather impacts)
- All types of projects
 - Dams, Lead Pipes, Carbon Capture, Roads, Bridges, and, and, and...
- All types of recipients
 - Cities, Counties, MPO, Tribes, States, and, and, and...



Which comes first?



- My community has X project.
- My community has Y idea.
- There's a grant for Z, is this an opportunity for my community...and where do we start?

From A to Z

- Prioritize projects/ideas OR sectors OR needs
 - Don't panic!
 - Perfection isn't the goal!
- Identify BIL Program(s) & Timelines
- Visit website of Authorizing Agency
 - Sign Up for Updates/Webinars...all of it
- grants.gov
 - There's a whole process...it takes time



Local Match Requirements
Technical/Grant Expertise
Administration Burden/Eligibility



Resource Alert!

- Program Release Schedule
 - Constantly Evolving
- kshub.org/grants
- bil@ks.gov



IIJA Implementation Resources | National Governors Association
Described as a "one stop shop" for information on IIJA/BIL, including:

- Calendar of upcoming funding opportunities
- Listing of federal resources broken down by state
- Formula and competitive grant program



Implementing Infrastructure Investments at the County Level | National Association of Counties

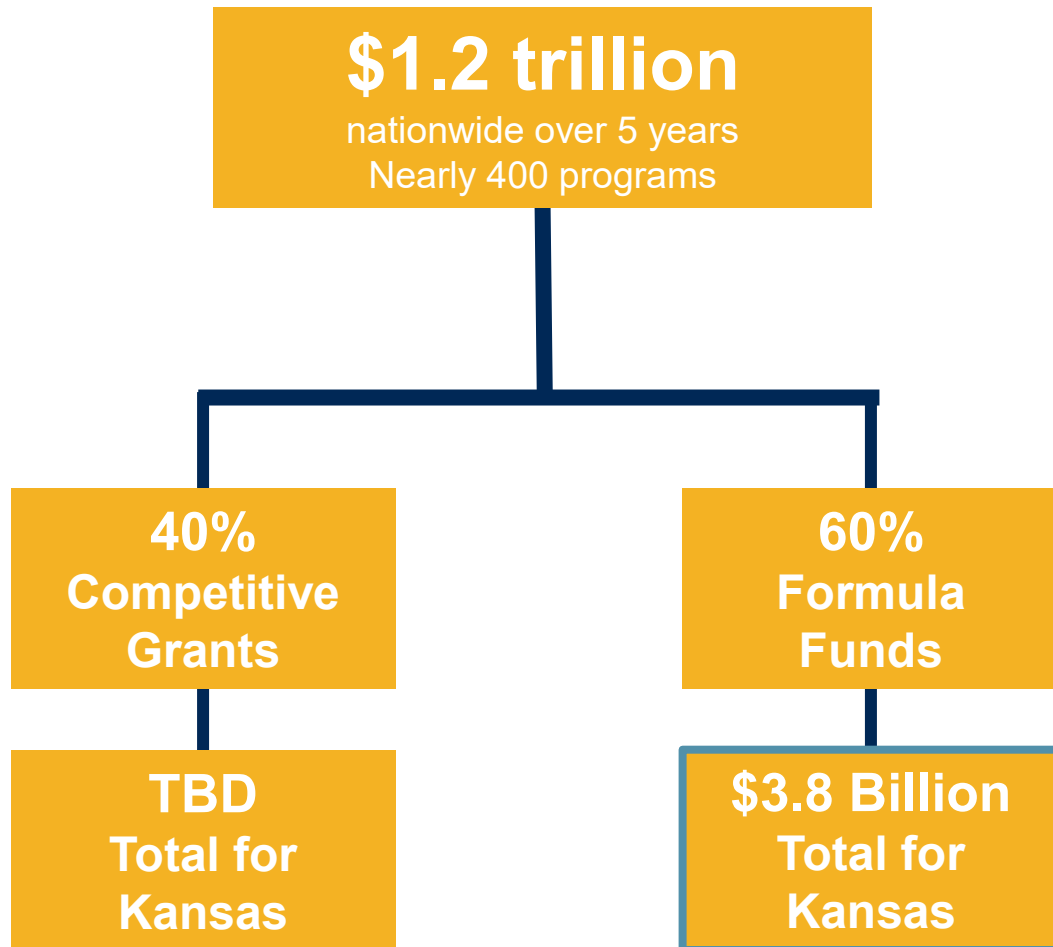
This page, which provides information for counties, includes information such as:

- Types of funding for county governments
- Funding matrix for counties

A screenshot of the Local Infrastructure Hub website. The top navigation bar includes logos for The United States Conference of Mayors, NLC, Results for America, Delivery Associates, Bloomberg Philanthropies, Balmer Group, Emerson Collective, Ford Foundation, and The Kresge Foundation. Below the navigation is a large banner with the text "Empowering local leaders to access federal infrastructure dollars—and drive their communities forward" and a "LEARN MORE" button. The banner features images of diverse people and infrastructure. Below the banner is a section titled "The Local Infrastructure Hub Advantage" with a sub-header "The Local Infrastructure Hub is a national program designed to connect cities and towns with the resources and expert advice they need to access federal infrastructure funding in order to drive local progress, improve communities, and deliver results for residents."



Kansas BIL Funds



Kansas Formula Funds: 5-Year Total



TRANSPORTATION

Transportation

\$3.2 billion



ENERGY & POWER

Energy & Power

\$40 million



BROADBAND

Broadband

\$100 million



WATER & SEWER

Water & Sewer

\$454 million



RESILIENCE

Resilience

\$25 million



CYBERSECURITY

Cybersecurity

\$14 million

Statewide Total: \$3.8 billion





















Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work.

--Thomas Edison--



There's Work To Do

Kansas Infrastructure Grades

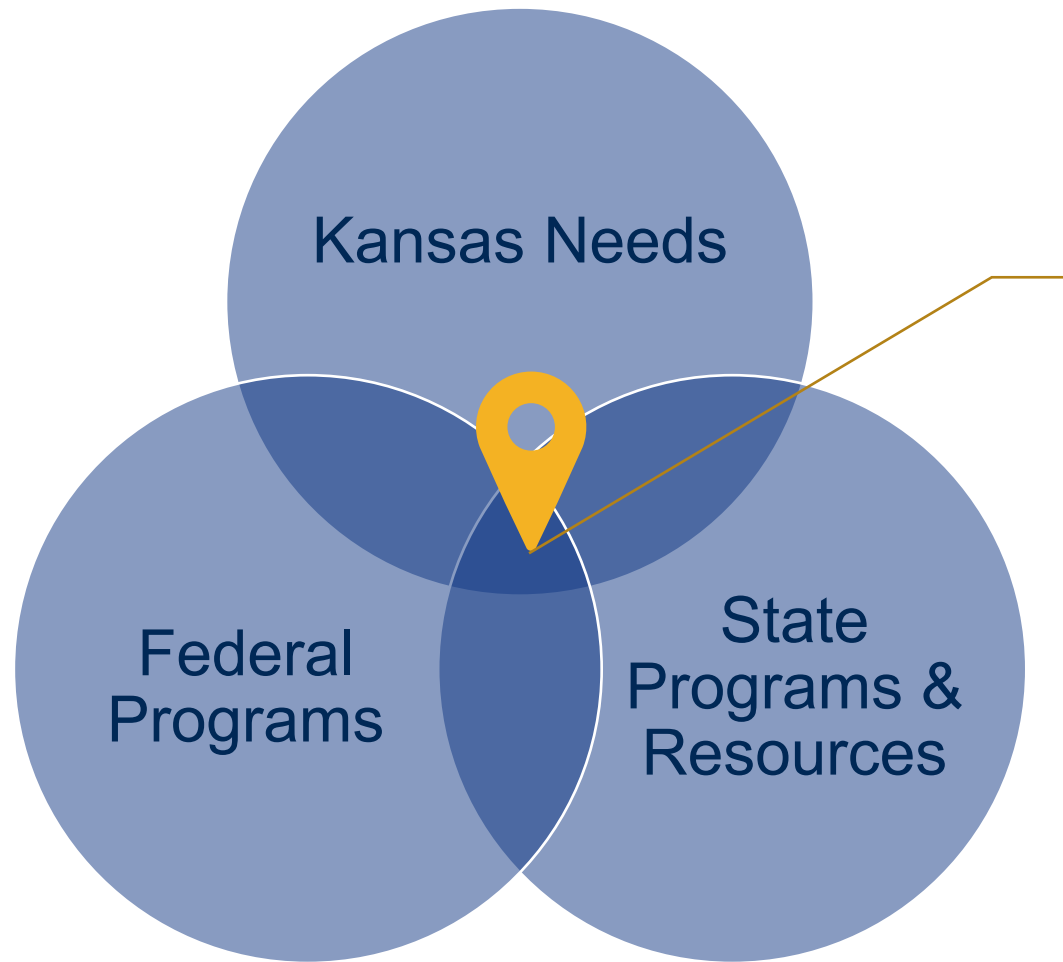
 AVIATION  C-	 BRIDGES  C	 DAMS  C-
 DRINKING WATER  C	 ENERGY  C	 LEVEES  C
 RAIL  C	 ROADS  C-	 STORMWATER  C-

A: EXCEPTIONAL, B: GOOD, C: MADIOCRE, D: POOR, F: FAILING

Each category was evaluated on the basis of capacity, condition, funding, future need, operation and maintenance, public safety, resilience, and innovation



Finding The Sweet Spot



Kansas Infrastructure Hub



Kansas Infrastructure Hub

- Hub Lead
 - Kansas Department of Transportation
- Subcabinet
 - Agencies receiving bulk of FORMULA funding
 - Kansas Department of Transportation
 - Kansas Department of Commerce
 - Kansas Department of Health and Environment
 - Kansas Department of Agriculture
 - Kansas Department of Administration
 - Kansas Corporation Commission
 - Kansas Water Office
- Advisory Group
 - Public & Private Organization Leaders, Big Thinkers, Collaboration



The Hub Is...

- Information Exchange & Resource Center
- Connector
- Working Group
- Voluntary
- Collaborative



What's The Hub Doing?

- Kansas Infrastructure Summit
- kshub.org
- Examining & Reducing Barriers
- Building Partnerships
- Community Engagement
- Grant & Resource Match-Making



Even With So Much Opportunity...

- Getting lost in a crowded field
- Pace
- Prioritize
- Meet new national themes
 - Safety
 - Equity
 - Resilience
 - Climate Change
- Limited Resources
 - Money: Local Match
 - People: Grant/Technical Writers, Workforce
- Supply Chain
- Project Readiness



X + Y = Success

- Collaboration
 - Think Big: Don't let Zip Codes and Jurisdictional boundaries be barriers
- Prioritize
 - Of course, we want it all...
- Resource Allocation
 - Leverage opportunities, partnerships, and ...
- Communicate
 - Share the challenges, opportunities, and solutions
- ENGAGE
 - Be part of the action!



Build Kansas

- Designed to address critical local needs and maximize opportunities
- One-Time Investment, covers the life of BIL (through FY2027)
 - \$215 Million State Investment (State General Fund)
 - Capacity Extension (\$5M annual)
 - Match Leverage (\$200M)



2-Pronged Approach

Community Needs

- **Identifying needs** or project ideas
- **Finding** funding programs/grants
- **Grant writing** to submit projects for funding
- **Administering federal dollars**/meeting requirements

PRONG 1

\$5M annually
Hub Staff &
Consultant Support

- **Meeting local match requirements**

PRONG 2

\$200 million for matching
funds through life of BIL

Goal: Leverage state funds to capture more federal dollars for Kansas communities

- Average local match requirements for most BIL programs is 20%
- Potentially, if we invest \$200 million as the local match for projects that could return as much as \$800 million to Kansas for infrastructure projects.





Important notes

- The Hub is **not** selecting projects.
- Projects only receive funds **if awarded** a federal grant. Federal agencies make those selections.
- **This is additive only.** Communities can apply for federal grants without going through the Hub.



Guiding Principles | Build Kansas Fund

- Simple
- Available
- Flexible
- Accountable & Transparent

Applicant Perspective of Build Kansas Fund Process

Federal BIL Application Process



Identify BIL Program

Confirm Match Requirement

Build Kansas Fund Application Process



Begin Federal BIL Program Application

[continue to draft BIL application]



Submit BIL Program Application



Begin and Submit Build Kansas Fund Application



Receive Approval for Build Kansas Funds



Receive Federal BIL Program Award Notice



Access Federal BIL Program Funds



Share Federal Award Notice with Infrastructure Hub



Access Build Kansas Funds

Important Notes

Eligible entities should submit Build Kansas Fund application while BIL program application is in progress/development

Build Kansas funds contingent upon federal BIL program award notice

Want to learn more?

- [Visit the Kansas Infrastructure Hub Website: kshub.org](https://kshub.org)





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