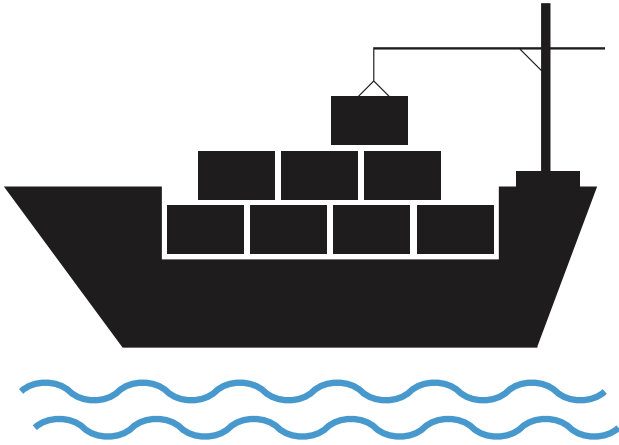


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Rural communities often face barriers that prevent them from qualifying for financing programs. The Rural Project Initiative is here to solve that problem.

ABOUT

The Build America Bureau drives investment in infrastructure by offering low-cost, fixed-rate, long term credit assistance. Serving as a single point of contact throughout the credit process, the Bureau offers technical support that draws upon the expertise of the entire U.S. DOT.

The Bureau strives for transparency, speed, and innovation for every project financed.

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Low-cost loans for rural transportation projects

A Build America Bureau initiative to help expand and modernize America's Rural transportation system.



REVITALIZE, REPAIR, REBUILD



¹Data from the FHWA Office of Planning, Environment, and Realty (HEP).

²Data from the FHWA Office of Bridges and Structures

³The interest rate for a qualifying project is equal to ½ of the Treasury rate at the time of closing. As of September 7, 2018, the U.S. Treasury rate was 3.07%.

FACT

Roughly 40 percent of county roads are inadequate for current travel ⁽¹⁾, and over 38,000 rural bridges longer than 20 feet are in poor condition.⁽²⁾



BUILD AMERICA BUREAU

WHO CAN APPLY?

BENEFITS

ELIGIBLE PROJECTS

Note: Projects must be within an eligible rural area. (Definition below)

State Governments

Local Governments

State Infrastructure Banks

Private Firms

Special Authorities

Transportation Improvement Districts

NO FEES: PAY NO APPLICATION OR ADVISOR FEES (While funds last)

LOW INTEREST: 1.54 %⁽³⁾

UP TO 35 YEAR LOAN TERM

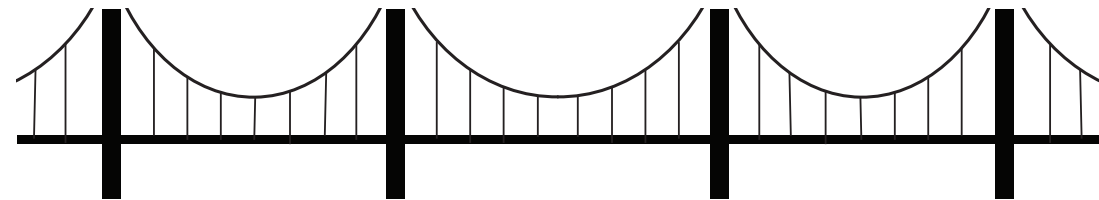
FINANCE UP TO 49% OF ELIGIBLE PROJECT COSTS

PROJECT SIZE: \$10 - \$75 MILLION

- 1 Roads and Bridges
- 2 Inter-modal Connectors
- 3 Freight Transfer Facilities
- 4 Transit and passenger rail vehicles and related facilities
- 5 Ports
- 6 Airports (under some circumstances)
- 7 Intelligent Transportation Systems
- 8 Pedestrian and Bicycle Infrastructure Networks

RURAL

For the Rural Project Initiative, rural is defined as an area with a population of less than 150,000 and located outside a Census-defined urbanized area.



The Department of Transportation's Rural Project Initiative is designed to make federal dollars more accessible to rural communities. Through affordable rural loans, we can begin to revitalize, repair, and rebuild rural America's infrastructure.

INTERESTED? CONTACT US TODAY!

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