

ALABAMA

The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) provides significant new funding to improve the condition of Alabama's infrastructure systems and better ensure our infrastructure is prepared for the future.

AVIATION: Alabama is home to 9 major airports that will benefit from the \$25 billion in increased airport infrastructure funding provided over 5 years from the BIB.¹

BRIDGES: 4% of Alabama's bridges are in poor condition and considered structurally deficient. The BIB provides \$40 billion in new funding for bridge repair, replacement, and rehabilitation – the single largest dedicated bridge investment in over 50 years.²

ROADS: In 2015, there was an estimated funding shortfall between \$6.5 billion and \$10 billion to support Alabama's roads by the year 2035. The IIJA funding would provide \$5.5 billion in additional funding over the next 5 years.³

PORTS AND INLAND WATERWAYS: Alabama is home to 2 major water ports and 1,270 miles of inland waterways that will benefit from \$17 billion in new infrastructure funding over 5 years from the BIB.⁴

WASTEWATER: Since 2016, Alabama has received, on average, \$16 million annually to finance wastewater projects through the Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program. With IIJA funding, the state is set to receive roughly double that for the next 5 years.⁵

DRINKING WATER: Alabama reports a \$11.3 billion drinking water investment gap. The BIB provides \$55 billion to upgrade the nation's water infrastructure.⁶

DAMS: Alabama has 226 high hazard potential dams. The BIB provides \$585 million for high hazard dam rehabilitation and \$148 million for dam safety programs.⁷

¹ Bureau of Transportation Statistics, "State Transportation by the Numbers."

² U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Office of Bridge Technology. National Bridge Inventory 2017, Deficient Bridges by State and Highway System.

³ <https://www.infrastructurereportcard.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/12/ASCE-AL-Report-Card-2015-Full-Report-FINAL-web.pdf>

⁴ Bureau of Transportation Statistics, "State Transportation by the Numbers."

⁵ EPA CWSRF National Information Management System <https://www.epa.gov/cwsrf/clean-water-state-revolving-fund-cwsrf-national-information-management-system-reports>

⁶ EPA Drinking Water Needs Survey, 2016

⁷ U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, National Inventory of Dams, 2016