

SOUTH DAKOTA

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

AVIATION: South Dakota is home to 5 major airports that will benefit from the \$25 billion in increased airport infrastructure funding provided over 5 years from the IIJA.¹⁰³

BRIDGES: 17% of South Dakota's bridges are in poor condition and considered structurally deficient. The IIJA provides \$40 billion in new funding for bridge repair, replacement, and rehabilitation – the single largest dedicated bridge investment in over 50 years.¹⁰⁴

RAIL: Currently there are 1,977 miles of operating rail lines in South Dakota, including a number of shortline railroads that provide local industries with service to the Class I railroads that serve the state. The IIJA codifies the Railroad Rehabilitation and Improvement Financing program, which offers loans to finance the development of railroad infrastructure. The program would be authorized at \$250 million over five years to provide credit assistance.

ROADS: The South Dakota DOT receives approximately \$300 million per year in federal funding for highway performance, highway safety, and other surface transportation needs. Under the IIJA, the state would receive nearly 2.2 billion over five years, or \$440 million each year.

INLAND WATERWAYS: South Dakota is home 80 miles of inland waterways that will benefit from \$17 billion in new infrastructure funding over 5 years from the IIJA.¹⁰⁵

WASTEWATER: Since 2016, South Dakota has received, on average, nearly \$7 million annually to finance wastewater projects through the Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program.¹⁰⁶ With IIJA funding, the state is set to receive roughly double that for the next 5 years.

DRINKING WATER: South Dakota reports a \$730 million drinking water investment gap.¹⁰⁷ The IIJA provides \$55 billion to upgrade the nation's water infrastructure.

DAMS: South Dakota has 90 high hazard potential dams.¹⁰⁸ The IIJA provides \$585 million for high hazard dam rehabilitation and \$148 million for dam safety programs.

¹⁰³ Bureau of Transportation Statistics, "State Transportation by the Numbers."

¹⁰⁴ U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Office of Bridge Technology. National Bridge Inventory 2017, Deficient Bridges by State and Highway System.

¹⁰⁵ Bureau of Transportation Statistics, "State Transportation by the Numbers."

¹⁰⁶ EPA CWSRF National Information Management System <https://www.epa.gov/cwsrf/clean-water-state-revolving-fund-cwsrf-national-information-management-system-reports>

¹⁰⁷ EPA Drinking Water Needs Survey, 2016

¹⁰⁸ U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, National Inventory of Dams, 2016