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Overview of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

Leonard X. Hernandez Chief Executive Officer Tuesday, November 16, 2021

- H.R. 3684 passed the U.S. Senate on August 10th on a 69-30 vote
 - Sens. Feinstein, Padilla AYE
- H.R. 3684 passed the U.S. House on Friday, Nov. 5th on a 228-206 vote
 - 13 Republicans voted for the bill
 - 6 Democrats opposed it
 - AYES:
 - Rep. Judy Chu (D-Monterey Park)
 - Rep. Pete Aguilar (D-Redlands)
 - Rep. Norma Torres (D-Pomona)
 - NAYS:
 - Rep. Young Kim (R-Fullerton)
 - Rep. Jay Obernolte (R-Victorville)
- 5-year reauthorization costing \$550 billion



- Highways \$145.74B:
 - Surface Transportation Block Grants: \$72B
 - Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement: \$13.2B
 - Railway-Highway Grade Crossings: \$1.225B
 - National Highway Freight Program: \$7.15B
 - Formula Carbon Reduction Program: \$6.42B
 - Nationally Significant Freight and Highway Projects: \$8B
 - Congestion Relief Program: \$250M
 - Bridge Grant Program: \$3.265B
- Rail, Freight and Safety Programs \$78B:
 - National Motor Vehicle Per-Mile User Fee Pilot Study
 - Transportation Workforce Development and Training
 - Railroad Crossing Elimination Program: \$3B
 - Safe Streets and Roads for All Grants: \$1B
- Public Transit \$72.8B:
 - Local-Regional Project Assistance (RAISE) Grants: \$7.5B
 - Bridge Replacement, Rehabilitation: \$27.5B

- Airports \$25B:
 - Airport Infrastructure Grants \$15B
 - New Terminal Competitive Grants: \$5B
- Electric Vehicles \$12.75B
- Water Infrastructure \$35B:
 - Drinking Water State Revolving Fund: \$11.6B
 - Clean Water State Revolving Fund: \$14.7B
 - Low Income Water Assistance Pilot Program
 - Western Water Infrastructure: \$8.3B
 - Colorado River Fish Species Recovery: \$50M
- Energy \$92B:
 - Grid Infrastructure and Resiliency: \$65B
 - Supply Chains for Clean Energy Tech: \$7.2B
- Resiliency (Army Corps of Engineers) \$17B:
 - Inland Flood Risk Management Projects: \$2.5B
 - Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities: \$1B
 - State and Local Cybersecurity Grants: \$1B
- Environmental Remediation \$4.7B:
 - Hazardous Substance Superfund Remediation: \$3.5B
 - Competitive Brownfields Grants: \$1.2B

Broadband Infrastructure - \$65B:

- Equity, Access and Deployment Program: \$42.5B in formulabased grants to states to competitively award grants for broadband infrastructure, mapping and adoption projects.
- Funding allocated based on number of unserved and highcost locations in the state.
- All projects must meet a minimum download/upload standard of 100/20 megabits per second.
- States must submit a five-year Action Plan that requires collaboration with local and regional entities.
- States may competitively award subgrants for:
 - Unserved and underserved service projects.
 - Connecting eligible community anchor institutions.
 - Data collection, broadband mapping, and planning.
 - Installing internet and Wi-Fi or providing reduced-cost broadband within a multi-family residential building.



Questions & Comments