20-Year State Highway Investment Plan















Met Council Funding and Programming

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What are we planning for? What is MnSHIP?

20-YEAR STATE HIGHWAY INVESTMENT PLAN













Identifying priorities for investing in state highways to maintain and improve the system over the next 20 years.

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What is MnSHIP?



Directs capital funding on the 11,703 miles of state highways



Budgets for estimated funding over 20 years



Identifies investments by categories but is not project specific



Part of the Minnesota GO Family of Plans









Why does MnSHIP matter?

MnSHIP investment direction guides the planning of projects and improvements on the state highway system

MINNESOTA GO 50-YEAR VISION

Statewide Multimodal Transportation Plan



20-Year State Highway Investment Plan



10-YEAR CAPITAL HIGHWAY INVESTMENT PLAN (CHIP)

Project planning and development
Updated annually

4-YEAR STATE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (STIP)

Project design and its program

CONSTRUCTION

MnSHIP Revenues

FEDERAL FUNDING

Federal Fuel Tax
General Fund Transfers

State Gas Tax

Registration Tax and Fees

Motor Vehicle Sales Tax

General Fund Transfers STATE HIGHWAY USER TAX DISTRIBUTION FUND

STATE TRUNK
HIGHWAY FUND

TRUNK STATE ROAD CONSTRUCTION

(MnSHIP)

DEBT SERVICE

OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE

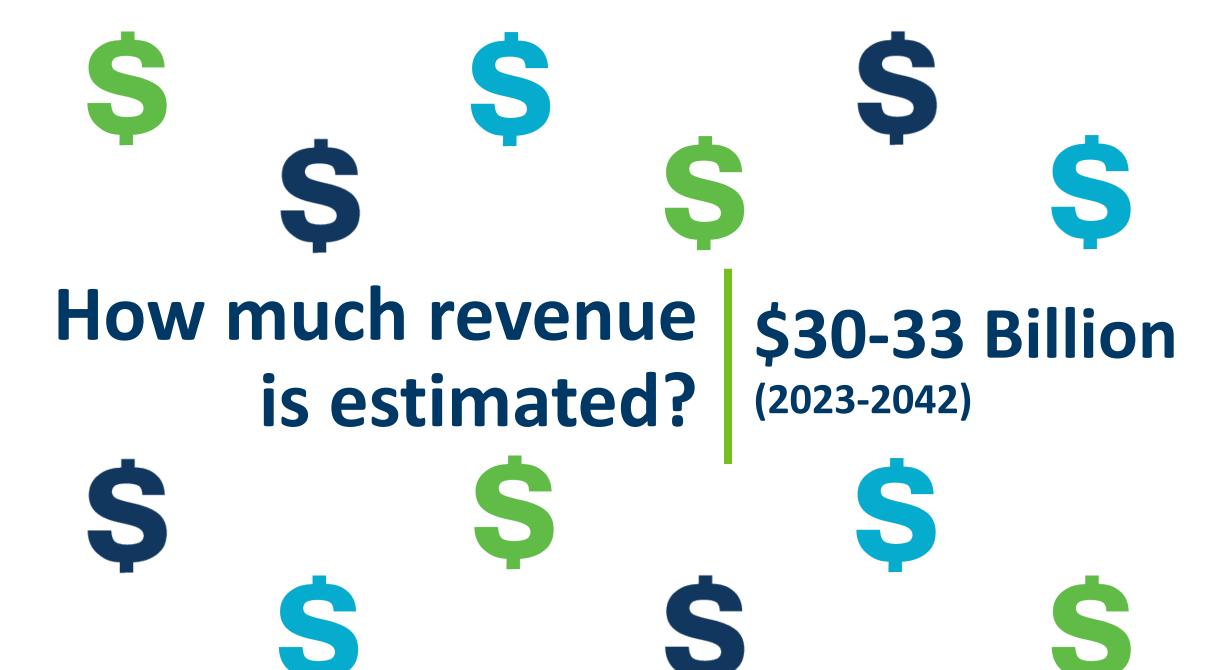
LOCAL DISTRIBUTION

County State Aid: Highways

Municipal State Aid: Streets

Non-State Highway Network

EXISTING TRUNK HIGHWAY BONDS



MnSHIP Investment Categories

SYSTEM STEWARDSHIP

Pavement Condition
Bridge Condition
Roadside Infrastructure
Rest Areas

CRITICAL CONNECTIONS

Highway Mobility
Freight
Pedestrian and Bicycle

CLIMATE ACTION Climate Resilience

TRANSPORTATION SAFETY

Transportation Safety Advancing Technology

HEALTHY EQUITABLE COMMUNITIES

Local Partnerships
Main Streets/Urban Pavements



1st Public Engagement Period

- Ran from mid-July through early October
- Provided an overview on the available funding for the state highway system and context for investment trade-off discussion



- Two main questions
 - What would be your approach to investing in state highways?
 - Preferred approach Short survey
 - Set a budget Online highway budget tool
 - What types of improvements are most important?





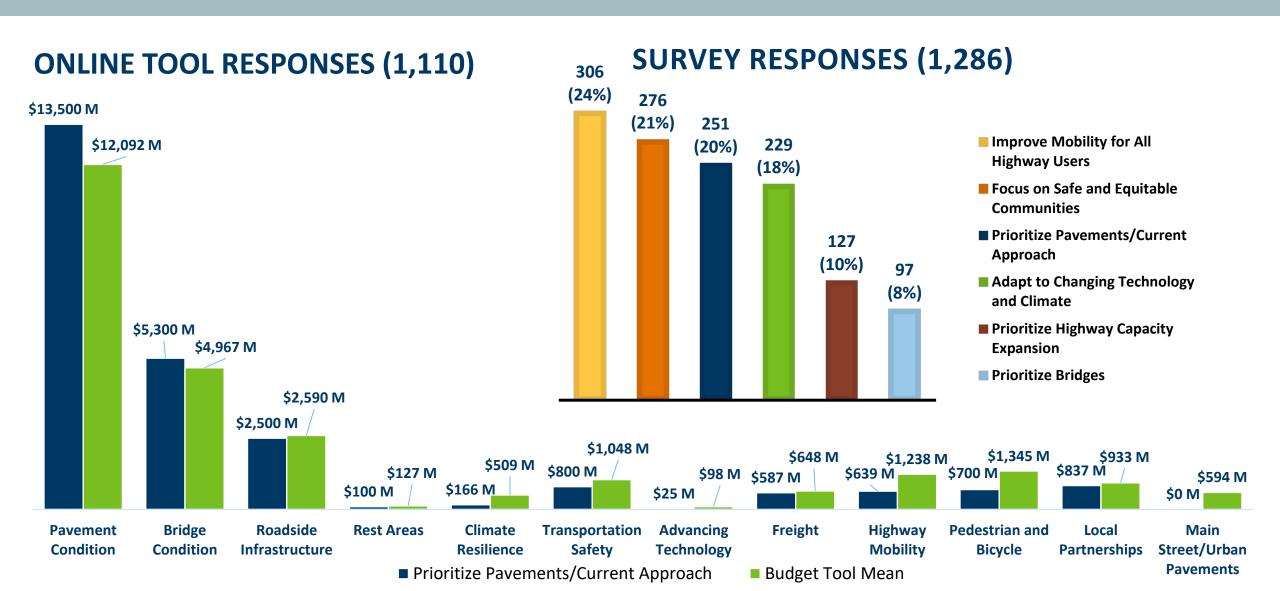
Public and Stakeholder Engagement

OVER 2,600 TOTAL RESPONSES!!!

- Online engagement(1,110 responses)
 - Highway budget tool (<u>www.minnesotago.org/investment/</u>)
 - Spread the word through presentations/briefings, community-based media ad buys and social media posts/boosts
- Stakeholder engagement (353 responses)
 - Email updates and presentations/briefings with MPOs, RDOs, ATPs, AMC, MPCA, and others
 - Collected responses through Menti survey during presentations
- Community engagement (985 responses)
 - Attended 17 community events (targeting culturally diverse events) and materials at 2 additional county fairs
 - Partnering with 4 community-based organizations in boosting responses and participation
- Internal engagement (177 responses)
 - Distributed short survey to internal MnDOT staff to gather feedback and priorities to compare
 against public and external stakeholder engagement

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Engagement Results

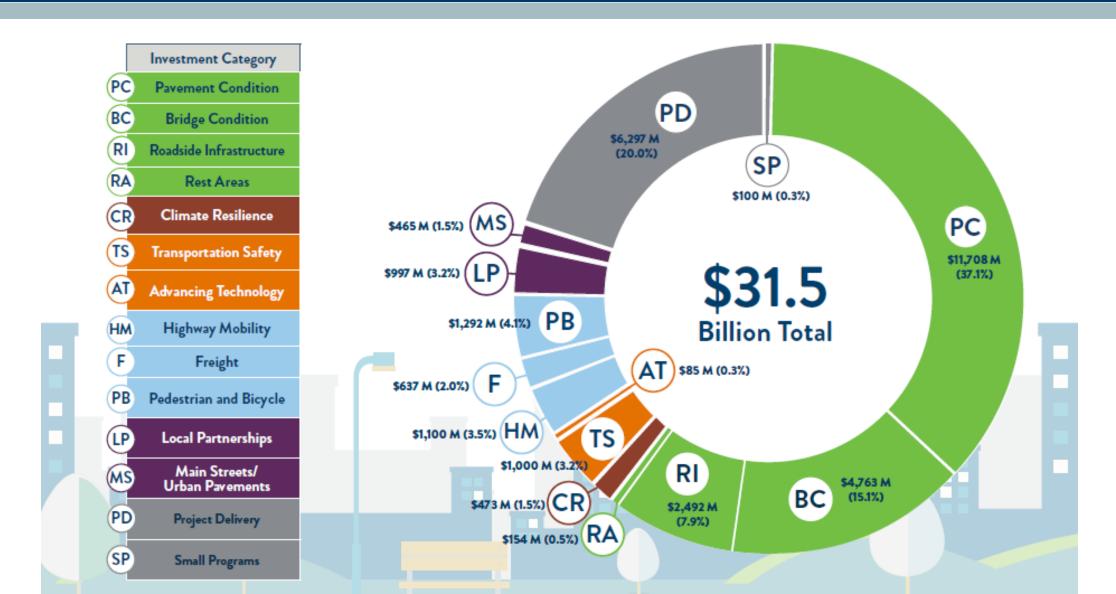


Investment Direction Development

- Based on the average of all responses
 - In-person and stakeholder survey
 - Online budget tool
- Analyzed engagement results by demographic groups (gender identity, race/ethnicity) and geographic location
- Internal MnDOT review and approval



Draft 20-Year Investment Direction - \$31.5 billion



Draft Investment Direction Themes

- Invest to maintain the existing system
- Improve mobility, accessibility, and safety for all
- Begin to adapt to a changing future
- Focus on communities and livability



Invest to Maintain Existing System

~60% of investment towards maintaining the existing system

- Bridge Condition investment increased to manage bridge needs and risks
 - Meeting targets for bridges on National Highway
 System and nearly meeting targets on non-NHS
- Pavement and other roadside infrastructure outcomes in line with 2017 plan outcomes



Improve Mobility, Accessibility, and Safety for All









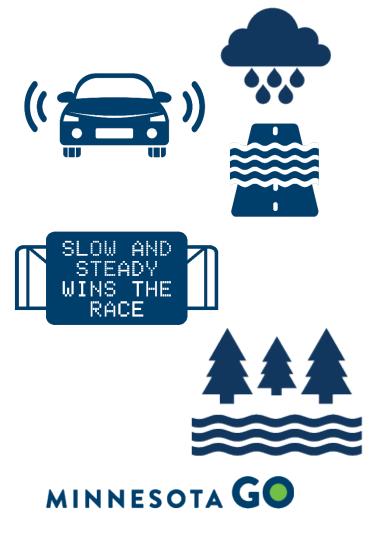


- Increased funding in ADA compliance by 2037
 - Sidewalks, curb ramps, signals
 - (NEW) Pedestrian bridges, multi-use trails, rest areas
- Address pedestrian and bicyclist network gaps and safety improvements (new non-motorized safety program)
- Focus on traffic management, localized mobility/safety, and adding E-Z Pass lanes
- Continue investing in freight mobility, safety, first/last mile improvements
- Invest in bus-only shoulders/ramps and improvements around transit stops on state highways

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Begin to Adapt to a Changing Future

- Restart flood mitigation program to address 10-12 locations
- Invest in proactive projects to prevent flooding, erosion, and highway weather-related disruptions
- Add or improve green infrastructure along 150-200 miles of state highways like shade trees, rain gardens, native planting and/or natural stormwater filtration systems
- Continue to invest in expanding the fiber network, new traffic cameras, dynamic message signs, and signal connectivity
- Pilot programs to invest in roadway improvements to integrate with changing vehicle technology



Focus on Communities and Livability





- Reuse of under bridge areas for community spaces
- Better lighting and aesthetics
- 1-3 smaller cap/stitches to improve connections between communities divided by state highways



- Invest in local priorities and local-led projects on state highways through the Local Partnership Program
- Support economic development opportunities through continued funding of the Transportation Economic Development Program



- Provide funding for urban reconstruction projects to provide more opportunities to address local priorities and concerns
- Setaside \$230 million to leverage funding grants and solicitations outside of MnSHIP funding such as federal RAISE grant program



Give us your feedback! Go to:

www.minnesotago.org/investment/

Highway Budget Tool

MINNESOTA STATE HIGHWAY INVESTMENT PLAN

Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan



Give us your feedback on Minnesota's state highway system investment

What is Minnesota's state highway system?

Click the map to see which roads make up the state highway system.

How did we come up with our planned investments?

MnDOT completed the first round of public engagement for the Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan in Fall of 2022. During the first round of public engagement, Minnesota state highway users provided important feedback on how they want to prioritize spending on the state highway system over the next 20 years. MnDOT used that information to develop a draft state highway investment direction. We need your help to finalize the state highway investment direction and tell us how you would spend additional dollars!



Tell us about yourself!

Our goal is to get input from a wide range of people. We are collecting demographic information to identify who we're hearing from. Providing data is optional, however, by answering you will be helping MnDOT understand the needs and preferences of the diverse communities that MnDOT serves. Your responses will not be associated with you, personally.

Age	Are you of Hispanic descent?	
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What describes your racial/othnic background?

What host describes how you think of yourself?

Feedback on the draft investment direction

Draft investment direction

Explore the pie chart below to see how we plan to spend our anticipated \$31.5 billion budget on the state highway system over the next 20 years. Learn more about each investment category.

Critical Connections

Pedestrian and Bicycle

Main Street/Urban Pavements

Healthy Equitable Communities

Highway Mobility

Local Partnerships

Freight

System Stewardship

Pavement Condition

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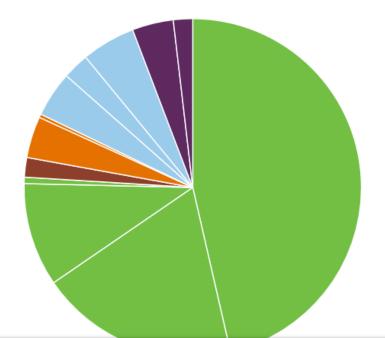
Climate Action

Climate Resilience

Transportation Safety

Transportation Safety

Advancing Technology



SHARE YOUR INPUT:

Tell us what you think about the draft investment direction

I love it

I like it

O I am lukewarm to it

O I don't like it

O I hate it

Why do you feel this way? What would you adjust?

Anything else you want us to know?

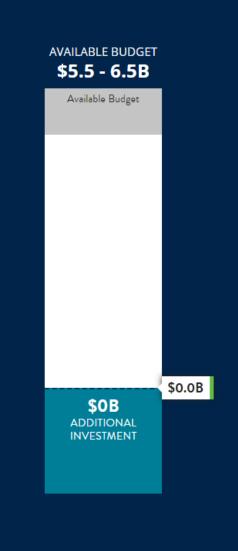
Submit

Tell us your priorities for additional revenue

Increased Revenue Scenario Budget Tool

Pick and choose spending levels for different categories below. You can spend up to \$5.5-6.5 billion. This total is MnDOT's increased revenue scenario.





Help us spread the word!

- Share the link to the online investment budgeting tool www.minnesotago.org/investment/
- Follow MnDOT on social media and share MnSHIP posts
- Sign up for e-mail updates
- Request a presentation for your organization







Timeline

- Now to early May 2nd public engagement period
- Summer 2023 Compile draft plan and seek public comment
- Fall 2023 Adopt final plan

Questions?



Thank you again!

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