

Inventory of State Infrastructure Programs

Proposed Report

Joint Legislative
Audit & Review Committee



JLARC's Infrastructure Assignment

- > What is infrastructure?
 - The basic installations and facilities on which the continuance and growth of a community or state depends."

 New World Dictionary of the American Language
- In 2005, the Legislature directed JLARC to assemble an inventory of state grant and loan programs that assist local governments and others develop infrastructure.



JLARC's Inventory of State Grant and Loan Programs for Infrastructure

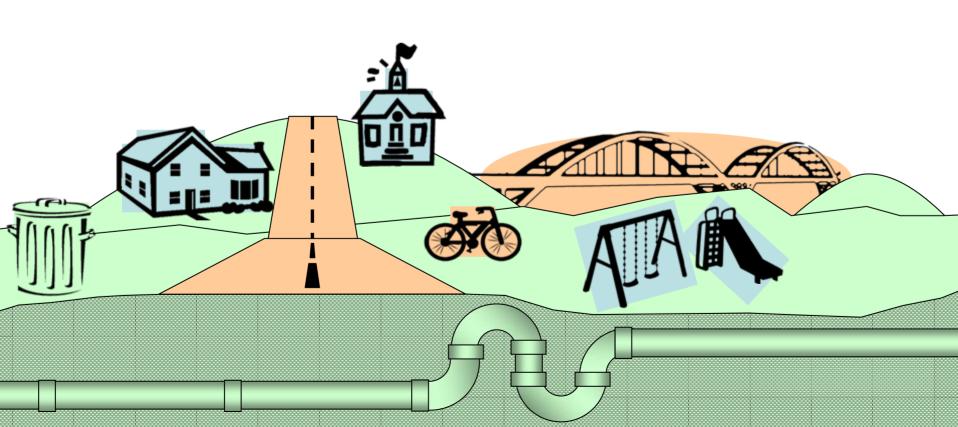
- > 75 programs
- >20 agencies
- ➤ More than \$1 billion in grants and loans in 2005 (state & federal \$)
- Inventory designed for two audiences:
 - ➤ Legislators
 - ➤ Potential program applicants

Organization of the Inventory

Volume 1 – Basic (Green)

Volume 2 – Transportation (Brown)

Volume 3 – Other Infrastructure (Blue)





Profiles About Each Program

- Legislative intent;
- Budget history;
- Frequency of grant or loan cycle;
- Maximum dollar amounts for program and projects;
- Matching requirements;

- Eligible applicants and projects;
- Timing and steps in the process;
- Program performance;
- Agency-identified program challenges;
- Website.



Summary Information on Programs At Beginning of Each Volume

- > Range of resource levels
- > Eligible applicants and projects
- > Distinguishing characteristics
- ➤ Additional information on where potential applicants can get help with their infrastructure projects



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