

Reconnecting Communities

CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION GRANTS

DISCRETIONARY FUNDING

NEW

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

FY 22-26 PROGRAM AMOUNT

\$1 billion



Minimum award
\$5 million

PURPOSE

Planning, design, demolition, and reconstruction of street grids, parks, or other infrastructure to restore community connectivity.

ELIGIBLE FACILITIES



Highway or other transportation facility that creates a barrier to community connectivity due to high speeds, grade separations, or other design factors.

ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES



The removal, retrofit, replacement, or mitigation of an eligible facility to restore community connectivity.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS



Federal Share 50%; Other Federal assistance may be used to satisfy the non-Federal share up to 80% of the total project cost.

COMPETITIVE PRIORITIES



Mobility and access improvements



Appropriateness of removing or retrofitting eligible facility



Freight impacts



The benefits of the proposed activity exceed its costs



Inclusive economic development



Results of feasibility study



Degree eligible facility is out of context



Local hiring