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The 2011 Transportation Funding Advisory
Commission report quantified the state's unfunded transportation needs at approximately \$3.5 billion,

which would grow to \$7.2 billion by 2020. Transportation could become the most significant factor related to Pennsylvania's economic health if funding risks are not addressed properly.



### **EVERY \$1 BILLION SPENT ON:**

- Public transportation capital projects sustains 15,900 jobs
- Public transportation operations sustain 24,200 jobs
- Highway operations sustain 17,810 jobs source: American Public Transportation Association

For every billion we invest, 25,000-30,000 good-paying jobs are created in *engineering*, construction and other like industries.

Source: Pennsylvania Department of Transportation

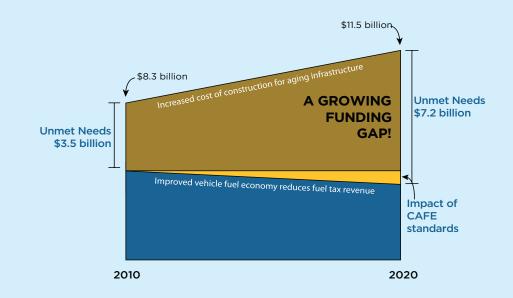
# **BENEFITS OF ACT 89 OF 2013:**

- 50,000 jobs created by 2017-18
- 1.3 billion additional investment in state roads and bridges by 2017-18

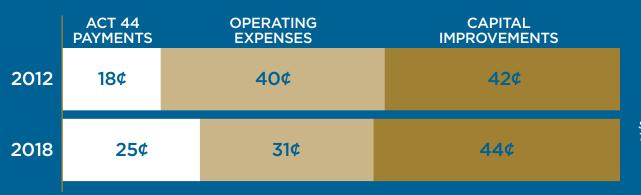
- 237 million additional investment in local roads and bridges by 2017-18
- 86 million additional investment in PA Turnpike expansion by 2017-18

# PENNSYLVANIA'S TRANSPORTATION

Construction cost inflation and increased vehicle fuel efficiency further reduce our future buying power



# WHERE DOES YOUR TOLL DOLLAR GO?



Source: Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission

## TRANSPORTATION FUNDING SOURCES

### **PRIMARY PENNSYLVANIA FUNDS:**

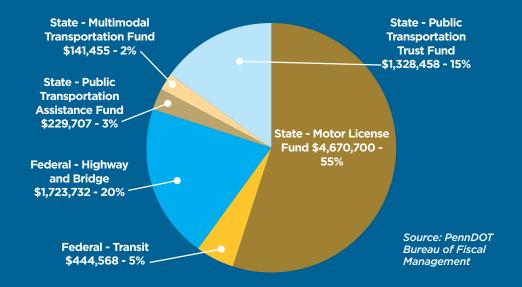
- Motor License Fund (MLF)
- Public Transportation Trust Fund (PTTF)
- Multimodal Transportation Fund (MTF)
- Public Transportation Assistance Fund (PTAF)

### **PRIMARY FEDERAL FUNDS:**

- Highway Trust Fund (HTF), which allocates to states
  - Highway and bridge funding
  - Public transportation

Source: Rules to Pennsylvania Transportation Funding-Transportation Advisory Committee

## FY 2018-19 PENNSYLVANIA TRANSPORTATION FUNDING BY SOURCE

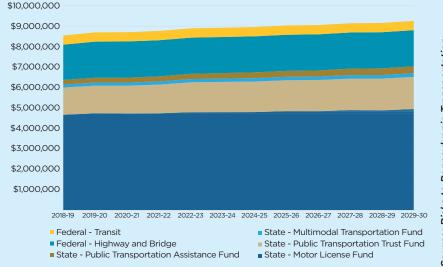


# FY 2018 PTC REVENUE VS. EXPENSES

Total	\$2.1B	Total	\$2.0B
Capital Expenditures	\$550M	Bond Proceeds	\$900M
Act 44 Payments	\$450M		
Debt Service	\$690M		
Operating Expenses	\$370M	Total Operating Revenues	\$1.1B
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$2.1B	TOTAL REVENUES	\$2.0B

Source: Pennsylvania Turnpii

Baseline projections assume no risk impacts. Even with no risks considered, funding is expected to increase only about 1 percent over the study period—not even keeping pace with typical inflation.



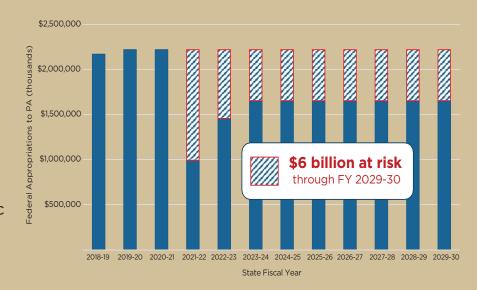
Source: Risks to Pennsylvania Transportation Funding - Transportation Advisory Committee

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...federal appropriations are reduced beginning in federal FY 2021 due to the insolvency of the Highway Trust Fund...

### THEN

...Pennsylvania's highway and public transportation funding through FY 2029-30 could be reduced by a cumulative \$6 billion.



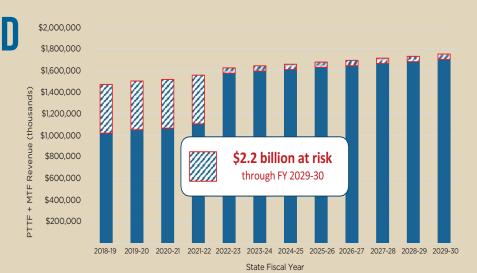
### PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION TRUST FUN AND MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION FUND IMPACT

### IF

...litigation by national motor carrier organizations against the PTC continues to prevent payments by the PTC to the PTTF and MTF...

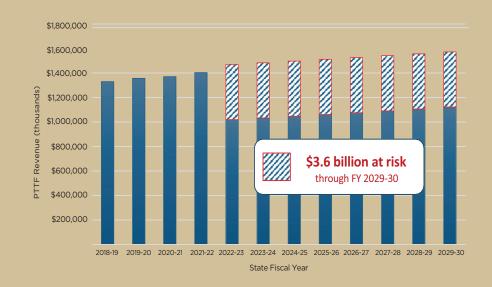
### THEN

...transportation funding through FY 2029-30 could be reduced by a cumulative \$2.2 billion.



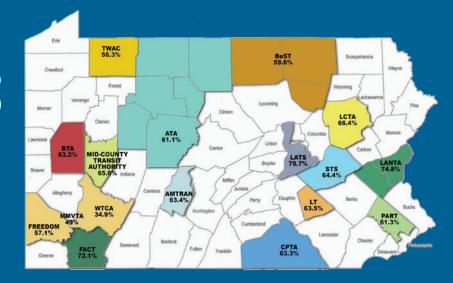
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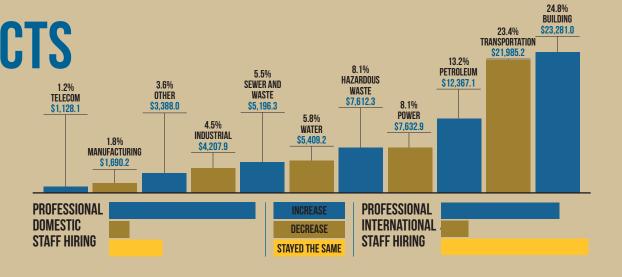
## PERCENTAGE OF FIXED-ROUTE TRANSIT CUSTOMERS WITHOUT ALTERNATE TRANSPORTATION

Source: Customer surveys during Act 44-mandated transit agency performance reviews in 2017 and 2018



# **ENGINEERING IMPACTS** THE US ECONOI (Measured in firms reporting)

Source: ENR



### PA TRANSPORTATION **FUNDING AT RISK RY** FUND TOTAL POTENTIAL IMPACT THROUGH FY 2029-30

\$18.5 billion Risk by Fund

### **Purposes:**

- Highway and bridge construction
- Public transportation capital projects

### **Purposes:**

- Highway and bridge construction, maintenance, repair, and safety projects
- Payments to PA State Police



### Purposes:

- Public transportation operating and capital costs
- Programs of statewide significance
- Multimodal grants

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# TODAY'S FACTS:

 Pennsylvania is realizing more efficiencies through improved information systems, shared services, enhanced maintenance operations and planning, and improved strategic investment planning.

- Of PennDOT's highway and bridge investments, roughly 74 percent currently goes to the private sector.
- Pennsylvania loses roughly \$100 million in buying power each year under a modest inflation rate of 2.25 percent. Meanwhile, due to increasing fuel efficiency, our fuel revenue is projected to remain essentially flat, which means a net loss when factoring in inflation.
- Pennsylvania supported nearly 400 million transit trips in the 2017-18 state fiscal year.

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