



Illinois Department of Transportation

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CIRCULAR LETTER 2021-15

REBUILD ILLINOIS BOND GRANTS FOURTH INSTALLMENT

COUNTY ENGINEERS / SUPERINTENDENTS OF HIGHWAYS / MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS / DIRECTORS OF PUBLIC WORKS / MAYORS / METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS – DIRECTORS / TOWNSHIP HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS / CONSULTING ENGINEERS

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) will provide local public agencies with the fourth (4th) installment of the \$1.5 billion grant program from the local government component of the REBUILD ILLINOIS capital bill program. This fourth (4th) installment consists of \$250 million that will be distributed based on the regular Motor Fuel Tax (MFT) formula. These \$250 million are not MFT distributions, rather, they are grants made from bond sale proceeds that must be deposited into the local public agencies' MFT account and expended for transportation use with IDOT oversight.

Distribution allotments may be viewed on-line at <http://www.idot.illinois.gov/transportation-system/local-transportation-partners/county-engineers-and-local-public-agencies/mft-distribution/index#rib> under the tab "REBUILD ILLINOIS".

This installment will be disbursed primarily through mailed checks from the Illinois Comptroller's Office and local public agencies can anticipate receiving this funding in the week of May 17, 2021.

If you have any questions regarding this circular letter, please contact Stephane B. Seck-Birhame, Local Program Development Engineer at (217) 782-3972 or Bablibile.Seck@illinois.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Tapas'.

George A. Tapas, P.E., S.E.
Engineer of Local Roads and Streets

cc: Brian Otten, Illinois Association of County Engineers
Brad Cole, Illinois Municipal League
Bryan Smith, Township Officials of Illinois
Donald Goad, Township Highway Commissioners of Illinois