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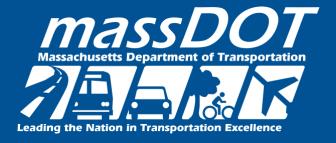


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Construction

2024 Accomplishments – Highway Division

- Construction spend totaled \$1.37B
- Completed projects in 109 communities
- FY25-29 CIP spending at \$12.6 B; 573 projects programmed for future advertisement
- Notable project completions include:
 - Boston: Sumner Tunnel Rehabilitation Project
 - Weymouth: Reconstruction of Route 18
 - Bedford/Billerica: Reconstruction of Middlesex Turnpike
 - Greenfield: Bridge Replacement, 191 over BMRR
- Began construction on major projects, including:
 - Natick: Bridge Replacement Route 27 over Route 9
 - Boston: Tunnel Lighting Replacement 193 Ramps
 - Mashpee: Corridor Improvements on Route 151
 - Watertown: Rehabilitation of Mount Auburn Street
 - Leominster: Reconstruction of Route 12
 - Worthington: Reconstruction of Route 143

189
construction
projects
advertised

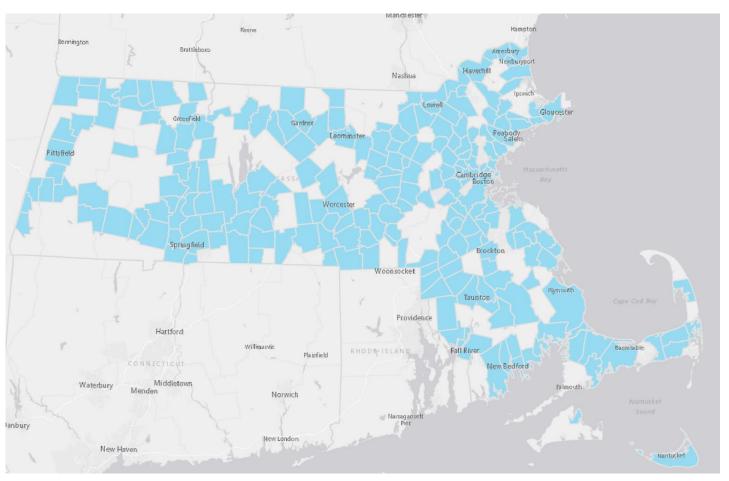
\$1.1B in awarded contracts



Construction

2024 Accomplishments - Highway Division

649 active maintenance and construction contracts totaling \$6.81 B in 2024



Active Projects by Program

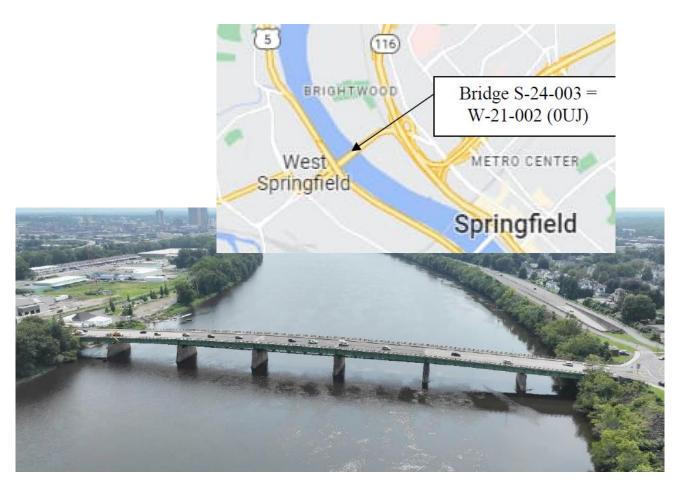
| Bridge | |
|------------------------------|-----|
| Roadway Improvements | 109 |
| Roadway Reconstruction | 73 |
| Safety Improvements | 56 |
| Non-Interstate Pavement | 46 |
| Intersection Improvements | 37 |
| Facilities | 31 |
| Accessibility Improvements | 20 |
| Interstate Pavement | 17 |
| Intelligent Transportation | |
| Systems | 16 |
| Bicycle and Pedestrian | 15 |
| Tunnels | 10 |
| Capacity | - |
| Bicycle and Pedestrian Modal | |
| Implementation | (|
| Safe Routes to School | (|
| Allston Multi-Modal | |
| | |



Upcoming Major Projects Advertising

Springfield-West Springfield - Route 20 over Connecticut River

- Scheduled Advertising: 4/17/2027
- Office Estimate: **\$200,000,000**
- Initial rehabilitation options were investigated to determine feasible alternatives for this 100 year old structure.
- Ultimately, replacement of the existing bridge carrying Route 20 over the Connecticut River was deemed appropriate to provide a 75-year design life.
- Proposed improvements to pedestrian and bicycle accommodations to provide connectivity between Springfield and West Springfield.

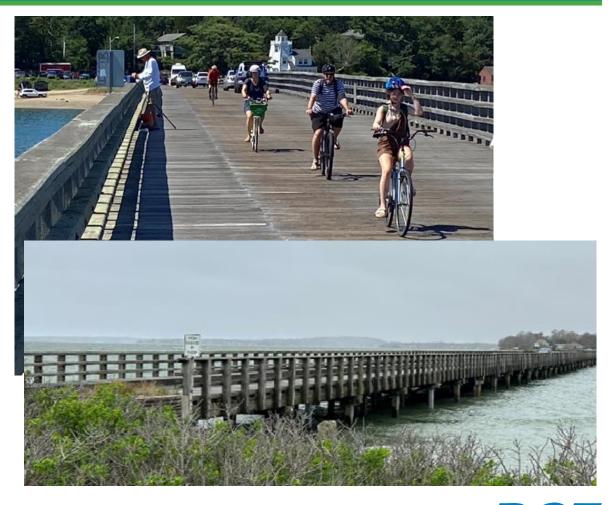




2025 Major Projects Advertising

Duxbury - Powder Point Avenue Bridge over Duxbury Bay

- Scheduled Advertising: 3/20/2027
- Office Estimate: **\$150,000,000**
- Bridge replacement of the 2,200 LF multi-span timber structure with modern day materials
- Although timber constructed, the bridge is not historic having been reconstructed in 1986 after the original 1892 bridge sustained fire damage.
- Current bridge provides 2-10 ft lanes and 1-5.5 ft sidewalk. The proposed cross section will provide 2-12 ft lanes with 1-10 ft wide sidewalk
- NHESP priority habitat are present on the eastern banks due to the presence of Piping Plovers.



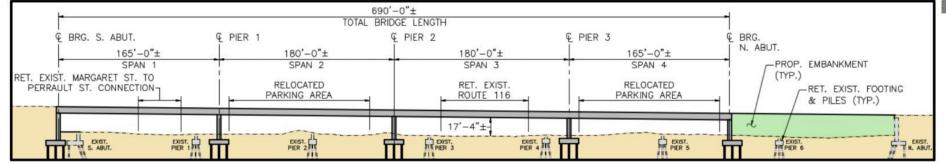


2025 Major Projects Advertising

Chicopee Bridge Replacement – I-391 over Route 116 (Chicopee Street)

- Scheduled Advertising: 4/25/2026
- Office Estimate: \$143,000,000
- Bridge Replacement restoring 3 lanes NB and SB for I-391 to provide for current & future traffic volumes & heave loads.
- Be constructible in halves to maintain highway traffic during construction
- Provide a 75-year design lifespan to reduce long-term impacts to local and regional motorists and users.



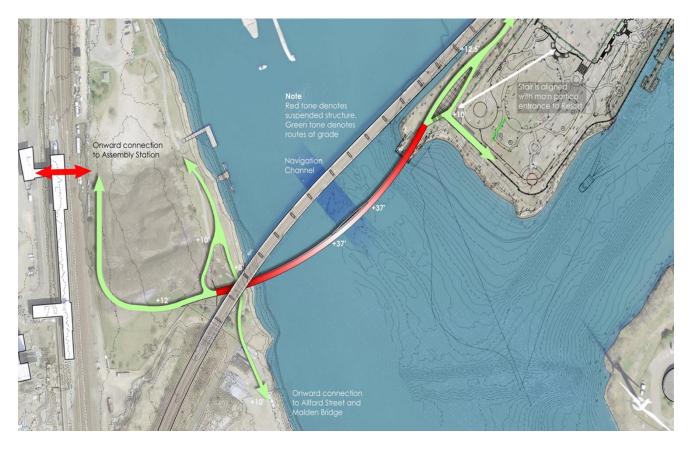




2025 Major Projects Advertising

Mystic River Pedestrian and Bicycle Bridge

- Scheduled Advertising: 3/7/2026
- Office Estimate: **\$65,000,000**
- Construction of new bridge connecting Somerville to Everett crossing the Mystic River
- Addresses a gap in pedestrian and bicycle connectivity across the Mystic River in this area.
- Completes 11.5 mile long Northern Strand project, connecting five Northern Strand communities to rapid transit, to the Mystic River north-south trail network, and ultimately to downtown Boston





Major Projects Advertising Highlights Design-Build Procurements

| Project Number | Description | Office Estimate/Bid Amount | Adv. Date (RFP) | Price Opening | NTP |
|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------|
| 612004 | Mystic River Bicycle and Pedestrian Crossing, Everett- Somerville, MA | \$ 65 | 3/7/2026 | 8/6/2026 | 10/7/2026 |
| 612187 | Bridge Replacement I-391 over Route 116 (Chicopee Street), Chicopee, MA | \$143M | 4/25/2026 | 10/1/2026 | 12/2/2026 |
| 607349 | Bridge Replacement, Route 3 over North River, Norwell-Pembroke, MA | \$51M | 5/23/2026 | 10/22/2026 | 12/23/2026 |
| 612006 | Bridge Replacement Powder Point Avenue over Duxbury Bay, Duxbury, MA | \$150M | 3/20/2027 | 8/26/2027 | 10/27/2027 |
| 612494 | Bridge Replacement, Park Avenue (US Rt 20) over Connecticut River, Springfield-West Springfield, MA | \$200M | 4/17/2027 | 9/23/2027 | 11/24/2027 |
| 612167 & 612495 | Bridge Replacement St. James Avenue over I-291 & Tapley Street over I-291 and CSX,. Springfield, MA | \$150M | 8/28/2027 | 2/3/2028 | 4/5/2028 |
| 608396 | Bridge Reconstruction, Route 1A over Saugus River, Lynn-Revere, MA | \$175M | 2/5/2028 | 7/6/2028 | 9/6/2028 |



FY26-30 CIP Presentation Schedule

| CPC/Board Meeting Month | Topics |
|----------------------------|---|
| March 2025 | CIP overview and development timeline Factors affecting CIP development |
| April 2025 | Progress on CIP development since March Preliminary proposed spending and funding sources Spending highlights in priority areas |
| May 2025 | Progress on CIP development since April (and STIP connections) Draft CIP spending and updates to highlights Public review period engagement approach Board Vote: Release draft CIP for public review |
| June 2025 | Engagement outcomes/public comments Proposed changes from draft CIP to proposed final CIP Equity analysis approach and results Board Vote: Approve final CIP |

Schedule subject to change. CPC = Capital Programs Committee. FY = fiscal year.

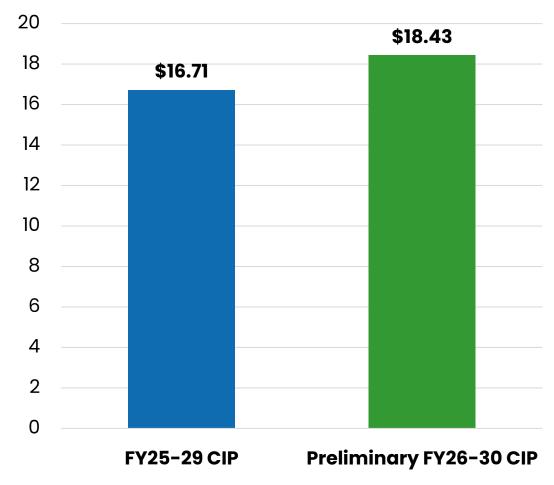


Preliminary FY26-30 CIP Spending by Division

Proposed FY26-30 CIP Spending by Division (\$ millions)

FY26-30 Spending **Division/Section** (millions) \$568.4 Aeronautics Chapter 90 and Rural \$1,025.0 Roadway Funding Program Highway \$14,207.0 Information Technology \$126.4 **MBTA** \$1,134.5 Planning, Enterprise \$488.9 Services, and Other Rail \$493.9 **Registry of Motor Vehicles** \$12.5 **Transit** \$369.9 **Grand Total** \$18,426.9

CIP Spending Levels (\$ billions)



FY26-30 CIP data is as of April 9, 2025, and is subject to change. Totals may not sum due to rounding.

Preliminary FY26-30 CIP Spending: Programs

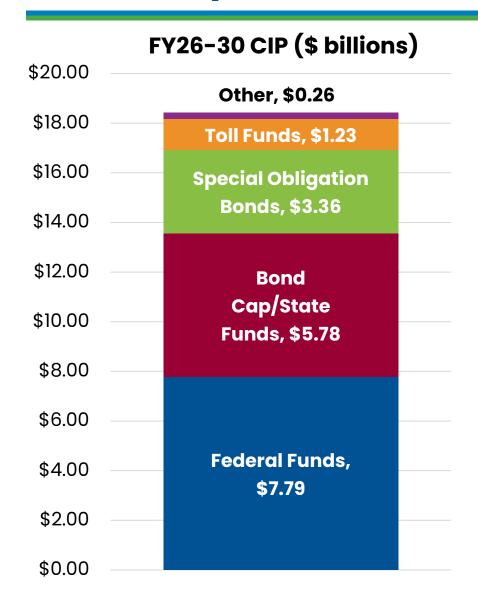
- MassDOT's CIP is made up of more than 50 investment programs, which group projects by theme or type
- Proposed new programs include
 - Aeronautics Advanced Air Mobility
 Technologies Integration Program
 - Highway Vulnerable Road User Improvements program
- MassDOT's CIP realignment work focuses on identifying the Beyond Mobility priority areas and actions that each program addresses

Top MassDOT CIP Programs by Proposed FY26-30 Spending* (\$ millions)



^{*}Chart does not include Commonwealth-funded MBTA investments. **Chapter 90 spending does not include the Rural Roadway Funding Program.

Preliminary FY26-30 CIP Spending by Funding Source



- Bond Cap/State Funds: These match federal dollars, and fund Chapter 90, municipal grant programs, and non-federal aid programs
- Federal Funds: Includes both formula and discretionary funds from USDOT and its modal administrations
- Special Obligation Bonds: Includes Next Generation Bridge grant anticipation notes and bonds, Rail Enhancement Program bonds, and other Commonwealth Transportation Fund (CTF) bonds supported by FY25 Fair Share
- Toll Funds: Includes revenues generated by Metropolitan Highway System, Tobin Bridge, and Western Turnpike, which are used to improve those facilities
- Other Funds: Includes Central Artery Maintenance/Trust Fund, local contributions, and other sources

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Safety, Reliability, and Travel Experience Highlights

Investments that support these **Beyond Mobility** priority areas advance asset state of good repair, consistent travel times, improved comfort and navigability, and reduced safety risks, fatalities, and serious injuries.

Safety

- \$360 M for intersection improvements throughout Massachusetts
- \$163 M for systematic safety improvements on state-owned roadways
- \$45 M for projects focused on vulnerable road users (bicyclist and pedestrian) safety)*

Travel Experience

- \$2.6 B for roadway improvement and reconstruction programs
- \$558 M for pavement and capital asset needs at public use airports
- \$228 M for regional transit authority vehicle and facility repairs and upgrades

Reliability

- **\$6.7 B** for Bridge program
- \$910 M for Interstate and non-Interstate pavement programs
- \$340 M for rail network improvements for reliable freight and passenger travel



^{*} New program for FY26-30 CIP.

Resiliency, Clean Transportation, and Connectivity Highlights

Investments that support these **Beyond Mobility** priority areas advance low-emission/carbon free modes, preparation for and responses to climate change, and connections to places people need and want to go.

Resiliency

- \$112 M for Highway
 Resiliency program
 (includes culvert, dam,
 and flood control
 improvements)
- \$10 M for Advanced Air Mobility Integration Program, which will support resiliency efforts*
- \$10 M for ongoing flood risk assessment activities

Supporting Clean Transportation

- \$70 M for support for charging stations along major roadways
- \$54 M for regional transit authority investments to fund electric vehicles and supporting infrastructure

Destination Connectivity

- \$618 M for shared-use path and on-road improvements for bicycle and pedestrian travel
- \$222 M for Compass Rail initiative
- \$120 M for Mobility
 Assistance Program
- **\$17 M** for TMA Grant Program



^{*} New program for FY26-30 CIP. TMA = Transportation Management Association. Data is as of April 9, 2025, and is subject to change. Values reflect FY26-30 spending.

Partnerships with Municipalities

| Program | Description | FY26-30 Spending | |
|----------------------------------|---|------------------|--|
| Chapter 90* | State aid to municipalities (provided by formula) that supports a variety of roadway improvement projects | \$1,000.0 M | |
| Rural Roadway Funding Program | , | | |
| Complete Streets | Technical assistance and construction funding to eligible municipalities to improve multimodal roadway travel for all users | \$75.0 M | |
| Local Bottleneck Reduction | Grants to address congestion hottlenecks at local signalized intersections | | |
| Municipal Pavement | Funding to Improve pavement on municipally-owned State Numbered routes | \$125.0 M | |
| Municipal Small Bridge | Support to cities and towns to replace, preserve, or rehabilitate small bridges | \$75.0 M | |
| Safe Routes to School | Funding for infrastructure projects for safe walking and biking to schools | \$59.4 M | |
| Shared Streets and Spaces | Grants for quick improvements to plazas, sidewalks, curbs, streets, bus stops, parking areas, and other public spaces | \$32.5 M | |
| TOTAL | | \$1,417.9 M | |

^{*} Pending legislation would increase Chapter 90 funding to \$300 M per year and fund it with Fair Share dollars. Data is as of April 9, 2025, and is subject to change. Totals may not sum due to rounding.

Thank You

