## **DAUPHIN COUNTY**



Dauphin County has benefitted significantly from the Recovery Act. As a direct result, over 122,000 constituents received a tax cut. In addition, Dauphin County has received over \$186 million in funding for education, transportation, and infrastructure and other projects.

#### **Education**

The Recovery Act is providing much-needed federal funding for local school districts. School districts are using these funds for a variety of purposes, including special education, educational technology, and basic education needs. These funds have unequivocally prevented the elimination of teaching positions and have helped stabilize education budgets throughout the Commonwealth. Specific awards in Dauphin County include:

- ➤ \$4,852,518 to the Central Dauphin School District
- ➤ \$751,240 to the Derry Township School District
- > \$1,039,221 to the Halifax Area School District
- ➤ \$10,810,381 for the Harrisburg City School District
- > \$2,199,655 for the Lower Dauphin School District
- ➤ \$1,654,853 for the Middletown Area School District
- > \$721,236 for the Millersburg Area School District
- ➤ \$1,563,296 for the Steelton-Highspire School District
- ➤ \$1,286,188 for the Susquehanna Township School District
- > \$1,597,010 for the Susquenita School District
- > \$1,286,188 for the Upper Dauphin Area School District
- ➤ \$1,203,304 for the Williams Valley School District
- ➤ \$3,851 for the Infinity Charter School
- > \$88,233 for the Sylvan Heights Science Charter School

Total Education Funding: \$29,057,174

# Transportation and Infrastructure

The Recovery Act is helping Pennsylvania revitalize its transportation infrastructure through highway resurfacing and bridge rehabilitation projects. It is also providing funding for key infrastructure projects designed to improve water quality. Specific awards in Dauphin County include:

- ➤ \$12,761,539 to widen lanes, install traffic signals, and perform bridge preservation on State Route 39
- ➤ \$5,466,787 for bridge parapet repairs on various state routes in Dauphin County
- ➤ \$2,133,433 for resurfacing and guiderail work on State Route 25
- ➤ \$3,118,998 for the resurfacing of I-83 from South of the Union Deposit Road Interchange to the Bridge over Valley Road in Lower

Information gathered from <a href="http://recovery.pa.gov">http://recovery.pa.gov</a> and <a href="http://www.recovery.gov/Pages/home.aspx">http://www.recovery.gov/Pages/home.aspx</a>. These figures are not final and are regularly updated

#### Paxton Township

- ➤ \$689,500 for the installation of traffic advisory radios, cameras, and signing for ITS in Dauphin County
- > \$2,395,500 for the resurfacing of various Federal-Aid Routes in the City of Harrisburg
- ➤ \$14,213,526 to the Chesapeake Bay Foundation to address non-point pollution sources
- ➤ \$1,000,000 to the Gratz Borough Municipal Authority for the construction of a new 120,000 gallon per day wastewater treatment facility
- ➤ \$100,000 to the Harrisburg Authority for improvements to their wastewater treatment facility
- ➤ \$100,000 to the City of Harrisburg for the Chestnut Street Combined Sewer Separation Project
- > \$7,107,442 to the Harrisburg, PA, area, in the form of Transit Capital Assistance

### Total T&I Funding:\$49,086,725

#### Helping Children and Families

The Recovery Act is helping those hit hardest by the economic downturn. Here is how Dauphin County residents are benefiting:

- ➤ 122,187 residents of Dauphin County have enjoyed federal tax relief as a result of the Recovery Act
- ➤ 11,200 jobless adults will receive a boost in unemployment compensation
- ➤ 10,700 unemployed persons qualify for more help purchasing health insurance
- ➤ 43,706 low income children and adults will continue to have access to health care through Medical Assistance
- ➤ 33,088 children and adults will receive more help through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)

## Other Recovery Act funding for Dauphin County

- ➤ \$1,175,333 to the Community Action Commission for job training and replacement, Weed & Seed programs, GED and literacy training, and foreclosure prevention
- ➤ \$449,664 to the PathStone Corporation for a commercial driver's license program and computer training skills classes, health care screening for children, financial literacy training, and ESL classes
- ➤ \$281,980 to the Campus Square Partners, Harrisburg, for a 50.5 KWh solar panel array for a building that is now under construction
- ➤ \$265,356 to Hamilton Health Center, Inc., to expand access to community health care
- ➤ \$281,200 to Harrisburg, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and

#### Conservation Block grant

- ➤ \$185,200 to Lower Paxton Township, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation block grant
- ➤ \$189,200 to Middletown Borough in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation block grant
- ➤ \$406,027 to Dauphin County, in the form of a Community Development Block Grant
- ➤ \$559,343 to Harrisburg, in the form of a Community Development Block Grant
- ➤ \$483,441 to Harrisburg, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$14,231 to Highspire Borough, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$15,675 to Middletown Borough, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$10,519 to Millersburg Borough, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$21,450 to Steelton Borough, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$35,268 to Derry Township, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$59,399 to Lower Paxton Township, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$28,256 to Susquehanna Township, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- > \$76,930 to Swatara township, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant
- ➤ \$4,420,405 to the Harrisburg Housing Authority
- ➤ \$1,214,842 to the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin

Total: \$10,173,719

### **Direct Funding**

- > \$71,206 to Dauphin County to provide funds for food banks and homeless shelters
- ➤ \$621,187 to Dauphin County to provide financial assistance and services to prevent individuals and families from becoming homeless and help those experiencing homelessness
- > \$7,118,504 to Pennsylvania State University Hershey Medical Center
- > \$2,828,896 to Pennsylvania State University
- ➤ \$3,967,000 to Harrisburg Readiness Center
- ➤ \$1,689,552 to Harrisburg Bureau of Police
- > \$745,169 to Dauphin County through JAG Program funds
- > \$78,125 to Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence
- ➤ \$1,031,836 to Hamilton Health Center, Inc.
- > \$80,000 to Community Action Association of PA

- > \$1,688,702 to Keystone Service Systems, Inc. for Head Start Programs and expansion
- ➤ \$855,478 to Harrisburg to provide financial assistance and services to prevent individuals and families from becoming homeless and help those experiencing homelessness
- ➤ \$50,000 to the Institute for Cultural Partnerships
- ▶ \$68,931,830 to PA Statewide Distribution
- > \$990,645 to Pathstone
- ➤ \$200,000 to Steelton Borough for the cleanup of hazardous substance contaminants
- > \$5,392,782 to CAT
- ➤ \$166,159 to the East Ridge Apartment for rental assistance payments
- ➤ \$113,518 to the Harrisburg Area Community College Foundation to provide need-based financial aid to students
- ➤ \$291,973 to the Harrisburg Park Apartments for rental assistance payments
- ➤ \$1,240,000 to the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin to be use for the substantial rehabilitation
- > \$27,100 to the Community Action Association of PA
- ➤ \$29,444 to the Thompson Learning Corporation to provide need-based financial aid to students

Total: \$98,209,106