


	LANCASTER COUNTY
	<p>Lancaster County has benefitted significantly from the Recovery Act. As a direct result, over 232,000 constituents received a tax cut. In addition, Lancaster County has received over \$111 million in funding for education, transportation, and infrastructure and other projects.</p>

Education	<p>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 Lancaster County include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$1,739,037 to the Cocalico School District ➤ \$1,464,862 to the Columbia Borough School District ➤ \$1,545,913 to the Conestoga Valley School District ➤ \$1,658,929 to the Donegal School District ➤ \$1,753,499 to the Eastern Lancaster County School District ➤ \$1,896,860 to the Elizabethtown Area School District ➤ \$2,169,789 to the Ephrata Area School District ➤ \$3,342,730 to the Hempfield School District ➤ \$1,295,550 to the Lampeter-Strasburg School District ➤ \$11,832,202 to the Lancaster School District ➤ \$1,687,822 to the Manheim Central School District ➤ \$1,639,544 to the Manheim Township School District ➤ \$2,779,730 to the Penn Manor School District ➤ \$1,363,508 to the Pequea Valley School District ➤ \$2,720,119 to the Solanco School District ➤ \$2,251,853 to the Warwick School District ➤ \$48,835 to the La Academia Charter School <p>Total Education Funding: \$42,736,644</p>
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Transportation and Infrastructure	<p>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 Lancaster County include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$1,477,437 for Bridge Rehabilitation on State Route 324 over Pequea Creek in Pequea and Martic Townships ➤ \$3,315,636 for Concrete patching, base repair, resurfacing and new guiderail on US Route 222 from Quarryville to Brennenman Road
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$11,816,786 for Resurfacing and shoulder repair on US Route 222 from north of Bushong Road to US Route 322 ➤ \$4,022,546 for Resurfacing of PA 272 from US 222 to north of Dennis Drive ➤ \$2,046,725 for Bridge Rehabilitation of 11 different bridges on various state routes ➤ \$4,269,325 for Lincoln Hwy Resurfacing ➤ \$318,350 to Install traffic advisory radios, signing and cameras for ITS ➤ \$9,770,062 to the Lancaster, PA, area, in the form of Transit Capital Assistance ➤ \$3,500,000 to the Lancaster Airport Authority, for taxiway rehabilitation
	Total T&I Funding: \$40,536,867

Helping Children and Families	<p>The Recovery Act is helping those hit hardest by the economic downturn. Here is how Lancaster County residents are benefiting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 232,575 residents of Lancaster County have enjoyed federal tax relief as a result of the Recovery Act ➤ 22,900 jobless adults will receive a boost in unemployment compensation ➤ 20,200 unemployed persons qualify for more help purchasing health insurance ➤ 65,597 low income children and adults will continue to have access to health care through Medical Assistance ➤ 45,530 children and adults will receive more help through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)
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Other Recovery Act funding for Lancaster County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$1,036,699 for the Community Services Recovery & Reinvestment Project ➤ \$168,400 to Hempfield, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant ➤ \$575,900 to Lancaster City, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant ➤ \$160,600 to Manheim, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant ➤ \$3,795,900 to Lancaster County, in the form of an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant ➤ \$242,688 to Southeast Lancaster Health Services, in Lancaster, to expand services ➤ \$173,257 to Welsh Mountain Medical & Dental Center, in New Holland, to expand services ➤ \$482,390 to Lancaster City in the form of a Community Development
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	<p>Block Grant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$903,494 to Lancaster County in the form of a Community Development Block Grant ➤ \$18,975 to Columbia Borough in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$12,169 to Ephrata Borough in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$302,563 to Lancaster City in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$12,375 to East Hempfield Township in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$20,212 to East Lampeter Township in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$18,562 to Lancaster Township in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$31,349 to Manheim Township, in the form of an Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant ➤ \$991,476 to the Housing Authority of the City of Lancaster
	Total: \$8,947,009

Direct Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ \$128,318 to Lancaster County to provide funds for food banks and homeless shelters ➤ \$1,382,274 to Lancaster County to provide financial assistance and services to prevent individuals and families from becoming homeless and help those experiencing homelessness ➤ \$100,000 to Electron Energy Corporation ➤ \$35,502 to CDI/North Philadelphia (COLA-ARRA) ➤ \$169,690 to CDI/Philadelphia (COLA-ARRA) ➤ \$10,023,706 to the Red Rose Transit Auth. (RRTA) ➤ \$4,216,378 to Southeast Lancaster Health Services ➤ \$738,012 to Lancaster for homeless services ➤ \$25,000 to Lancaster Symphony Orchestra ➤ \$380,770 to Franklin and Marshall College ➤ \$150,000 to Illuminex Corp ➤ \$149,958 to Advanced Cooling Technologies Inc ➤ \$510,000 to Lancaster County Farm Service Agency ➤ \$652,752 to Welsh Mountain Medical & Dental Center ➤ \$422,154 to the Community Action Program of Lancaster County for a Head Start Program ➤ \$26,000 to the Community First Fund ➤ \$274,080 to Duke Manor Associates for rental assistance payments ➤ \$61,125 to Elizabethtown College to provide need-based financial aid to students ➤ \$332,553 to Elizabethtown College for undergraduate research and
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ training➤ \$51,278 to Franklin and Marshall College to provide need-based financial aid to students➤ \$380,770 to Franklin and Marshall College for research➤ \$37,195 to Housing Associates of Lancaster for rental assistance payments➤ \$209,863 to Jaycee-Hdc, Inc. for rental assistance payments➤ \$167,092 to Lancaster-Lebanon Intermediate Unit #13 for a Head Start Program➤ \$47,878 to Millersville University to provide need-based financial aid to students
	Total: \$20,672,528