


	<b>POTTER COUNTY</b>
	<p>Potter County has benefitted significantly from the Recovery Act. As a direct result, over 7,000 constituents received a tax cut. In addition, Potter County has received over \$15 million in funding for education, transportation, and infrastructure and other projects.</p>

<b>Education</b>	<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 Potter County include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ \$241,206 to the Austin Area School District</li> <li>➤ \$706,092 to the Coudersport Area School District</li> <li>➤ \$391,935 to the Galeton Area School District</li> <li>➤ \$822,336 to the Northern Potter School District</li> <li>➤ \$647,934 to the Oswayo Valley School District</li> </ul> <p>Total Education Funding: \$2,809,503</p>
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<b>Transportation and Infrastructure</b>	<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 Potter County include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ \$2,289,744 for the preservation of 7 bridges in Clearfield and Potter Counties</li> <li>➤ \$1,802,281 for the restoration of US Route 6</li> <li>➤ \$4,220,449 for preservation of 7 bridges in various locations</li> <li>➤ \$2,245,161 for highway restoration on SR 0006</li> <li>➤ \$2,830,418 for Galeton Borough Authority - Sewer Separation and Rehabilitation</li> </ul> <p>Total T&amp;I Funding: \$13,388,053</p>
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<b>Helping Children and Families</b>	<p>The Recovery Act is helping those hit hardest by the economic downturn. Here is how Potter County residents are benefiting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 7,203 residents of Potter County have enjoyed federal tax relief as a result of the Recovery Act</li> </ul>
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Information gathered from <http://recovery.pa.gov> and <http://www.recovery.gov/Pages/home.aspx>. These figures are not final and are regularly updated.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ 1,100 jobless adults will receive a boost in unemployment compensation</li><li>➤ 900 unemployed persons qualify for more help purchasing health insurance</li><li>➤ 3,489 low income children and adults will continue to have access to health care through Medical Assistance</li><li>➤ 2,394 children and adults will receive more help through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)</li></ul>
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<b>Direct Funding</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ \$6,296 to Potter County for food banks and homeless shelters</li></ul>
	Total: \$6,296