

**CONGRESSMAN KEITH ELLISON
TRANSPORTATION HIGH PRIORITY PROJECTS (HPPS)
AS OF MAY 14, 2009**

Authorizations

Central Corridor Light Rail Transitway

This request is to authorize the Central Corridor Light Rail Transit (CCLRT) Project, which will link downtown St. Paul and downtown Minneapolis via Washington and University avenues.

Southwest Corridor Transitway

This request is to authorize a proposed 14-mile light rail transit line serving the communities of Eden Prairie, Minnetonka, Hopkins, Edina, St. Louis Park, and Minneapolis.

Bottineau Corridor Transitway

This request is to authorize a proposed Transitway connecting Minneapolis and the Northwest suburbs.

Northstar Commuter Rail Expansion

This request is to authorize an extension of the Northstar Commuter Rail Line from Big Lake to St. Cloud.

Interstate 35-W South Bus Rapid Transit

This request is to authorize a bus rapid transit service between Minneapolis and Lakeville.

High Priority Projects

City of Richfield
Construct Underpass at 77th Avenue
\$17,200,000

City of St. Louis Park
Reconstruct at-grade intersection at Highway 7 and Louisiana Avenue
\$14,112,000

Hennepin County
Reconstruct Lowry Avenue Bridge
\$37,800,000

City of Minneapolis
Construct a new St. Anthony Bridge
\$12,000,000

City of Minneapolis
Granary Road Extension
\$2,400,000

City of Minneapolis
East River Road Extension
\$5,800,000

City of Minneapolis
Franklin East River Parkway Improvements
\$5,600,000

City of Minneapolis
Interstate 35-W from 3rd and 4th Street Access
\$2,000,000

Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board
Grand Rounds Missing Link Scenic Byway
\$10,000,000

Three Rivers Park District
Richfield North-South Regional Trail
\$2,800,000

Three Rivers Park District
Crystal Lake Regional Trail, Robbinsdale
\$2,080,000

City of Golden Valley
Bike and Pedestrian Improvements to Douglas Drive, CSAH 102
\$2,058,000

Hennepin County
Downtown Minneapolis Intermodal Station
\$130,000,000

Metropolitan Council/City of Minneapolis
Interstate 35-W Lake Street Intermodal Station
\$2,400,000

Hennepin County
Access to Interstate 35-W and Lake Street (CSAH 3)
\$6,000,000

Metropolitan Council
Expansion of Hiawatha Light Rail System (Funds requested will be used to expand service on Hiawatha from the current 2-car trains to 3-car trains).
\$66,868,000