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To: County Administrators/City and Town Managers

RE: De-Allocation of Revenue Sharing Funds Update

The Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) approved the first state-wide de-allocation of Revenue Sharing funding at their January Board meeting. A list of projects that were affected by this de-allocation is posted at <http://www.virginiadot.org/business/local-assistance.asp>. We have also posted a one page summary of the important aspects of the de-allocation process for your information.

If your locality has any project(s) that had funds de-allocated, and you had previously provided your local match to VDOT, you will receive a refund for your unused balance. Over the next month, the Local Assistance Division will be working with the VDOT District Office to begin the task of processing these refunds. We anticipate all refunds being completed this spring.

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind you that this de-allocation process will be repeated annually to ensure that state funds are being utilized in a timely manner. We anticipate our next review will be initiated in the spring of this year. We encourage you to continue to monitor any revenue sharing funded projects to ensure they are progressing and funding is being spent within the established timeline. If you have completed projects with surplus funds, now is the time to identify another viable project to receive a transfer of this funding surplus. As a reminder, per the adopted CTB De-allocation Process, once a project has been identified for de-allocation, transfers can only be made to projects that are in deficit or have already been advertised and additional funding is needed for award.

We appreciate everyone's efforts and quick responses for this first de-allocation and anticipate the next review will involve fewer projects. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact your local VDOT contact or me at (804) 786-0334 or by email at jennifer.debruhl@vdot.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,

Jennifer B. DeBruhl
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