

Public Transportation Grows the Economy and Creates Opportunities

- Public transportation **grows the economy and connects people to jobs, education, healthcare, businesses, and other opportunities.**
- It is a **\$79 billion industry** that directly **employs more than 430,000 people and supports millions of private-sector jobs.**
- Every **\$1 billion invested** in public transportation **creates or sustains** nearly **50,000 jobs** across the entire economy.
- Each **\$1 invested** in public transportation **generates \$5 in long-term economic returns.**
- **9 of 10 transit trips directly benefit the economy** by bringing people to where they spend and earn money.
- **Buy America laws** ensure that public transportation funds are used to **create American jobs, construct our public transportation systems, and manufacture railcars and buses in the U.S.**

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Honor the Promise of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law by Fully Funding Public Transportation

- **Provide \$21.9 billion for Public Transit and \$20.6 billion for Passenger Rail in FY 2025** to bring public transportation systems to a state of good repair and meet the mobility demands of communities; and
- **Accelerate Project Delivery** by enacting commonsense regulatory reform, such as streamlining real property acquisition for public transit projects.



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