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# **Appendix J**

## **Statewide Programs**

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### STATEWIDE PROGRAMS – GROUPED CSJ's

In cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration, TxDOT developed statewide programs identified by statewide CSJs to maximize the provisions for grouping projects that are not determined to be regionally significant in one line item, as allowed for in Title 23 USC Section 135 Statewide Planning. A table of the eligible funding categories and corresponding statewide CSJs can be found in **Table J-1**.

The use of statewide CSJs for these categories provides a more efficient method of programming and letting projects in these categories of work (such as bridge replacement, safety, or landscaping) and decreases the necessity for TIP/STIP revisions.

These projects are exempt from conformity/regional emissions analysis and typically require limited environmental documentation (categorical exclusion). It is important to note that non-attainment areas will not have any added capacity projects, phases of added capacity projects, or CMAQ projects funded under statewide CSJs.

**TABLE J-1  
2021-2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM  
STATEWIDE CSJs**

<b>CSJ</b>	<b>STATEWIDE PROGRAM</b>	<b>DEFINITION</b>
5000-00-916	Bicycle and Pedestrian	Construction or rehabilitation of bicycle and pedestrian lanes, paths and facilities.
5000-00-953	Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation	Projects to replace and/or rehabilitate functionally obsolete or structurally deficient bridges.
5800-00-915	Intelligent Transportation Systems Deployment	Highway traffic operation improvement projects including the installation of ramp metering control devices, variable message signs, traffic monitoring equipment and projects in the Federal ITS/IVHS programs.
5000-00-956	Landscaping	Project consisting of typical right-of-way landscape development, establishment and aesthetic improvements to include any associated erosion control and environmental mitigation activities.
5000-00-950	PE – Preliminary Engineering	Preliminary Engineering for any project except added capacity projects in a nonattainment area. Includes activities which do not involve or lead directly to construction, such as planning and research activities; grants for training; engineering to define the elements of a proposed action or alternatives so that social, economic, and environmental effects can be assessed.
5000-00-952 5000-00-957 5000-00-958	Preventive Maintenance and Rehabilitation	Projects to include pavement repair to preserve existing pavement so that it may achieve its designed loading. Includes seal coats, overlays, resurfacing, restoration and rehabilitation done with existing ROW. Also includes modernization of a highway by reconstruction, adding shoulders or adding auxiliary lanes (e.g., parking, weaving, turning, climbing, non-added capacity) or drainage improvements associated with rehabilitation.
5000-00-954	Railroad Grade Separations	Projects to construct or replace existing highway-railroad grade crossings and to rehabilitate and/or replace deficient railroad underpasses, resulting in no added capacity.
5000-00-951	Right of Way Acquisition	Right of Way acquisition for any project except added capacity projects in a nonattainment area. Includes relocation assistance, hardship acquisition and protective buying.
5800-00-950	Safety	Projects to include the construction or replacement/rehabilitation of guard rails, median barriers, crash cushions, pavement markings, skid treatments, medians, lighting improvements, highway signs, curb ramps, railroad/highway crossing warning devices, fencing, intersection improvements (e.g., turn lanes), signalization projects and interchange modifications. Also includes projects funded via the Federal Hazard Elimination Program, Federal Railroad Signal Safety Program, or Access Managements projects, except those that result in added capacity.
5000-00-917	Safety Rest Areas and Truck Weigh Stations	Construction and improvement of rest areas, and truck weigh stations.
5000-00-918	Transit Improvements	Projects include the construction and improvement of small passenger shelters and information kiosks. Also includes the construction and improvement of rail storage/maintenance facilities bus transfer facilities where minor amounts of additional land are required and there is not a substantial increase in the number of users. Also includes transit operating assistance, acquisition of third-party transit services, and transit marketing, and mobility management coordination. Additionally, includes the purchase of new buses and rail cars to replace existing vehicles or for minor expansions of the fleet [See Note 3].

**Note 1:** Projects funded with Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program (TASA), and Congestion Mitigation Air Quality funding require a Federal eligibility determination and are not approved to be grouped.

**Note 2:** Projects funded as part of the Recreational Trails Program (RTP) consistent with the revised grouped project category definitions may be grouped. RTP projects that are not consistent with the revised grouped project category definitions must be individually noted in the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).

**Note 3:** In PM10 and PM2.5 nonattainment or maintenance areas, such projects may be grouped only if they are in compliance with control measures in the applicable implementation plan.









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