



**OFFICE OF  
STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION**

P. O. BOX 1850  
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI 39215-1850

H. Carey Webb, P.E.  
State Aid Engineer  
Telephone (601) 359-7150  
www.msstateaidroads.us

412 E. Woodrow Wilson Avenue  
Jackson, Mississippi 39216  
Fax (601) 359-7141  
mail@osarc.ms.gov

April 18, 2018

All Board of Supervisors  
All County Engineers

RE: Local System Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program Funding

House Bill 1649, Section 7 of the 2018 Regular Legislative Session authorized the issuance of State General Obligation Bonds in the amount of \$50,000,000.00 to provide funds for the Local System Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program (LSBP). This \$ 50,000,000.00 will allow the conversion of LSBP advanced credits provided to each County to available cash. The Status of Funds distributed at the end of April 2018 will reflect a conversion of \$25,000,000.00 of advanced credits to cash. The remaining \$25,000,000.00 will be converted at a later date.

LSBP funds can be used for replacement or rehabilitation of eligible bridges. Rehabilitation projects can include installation of new piling and re-use of bridge components. Because of the growing need to repair bridges with timber pile components, LSBP funds can be used for timber pile repair projects on eligible structures until the end of the current board term.

Please plan and let LSBP projects to contract with the anticipation of receiving the entire \$50,000,000.00 in funding before the end of the board term on December 31, 2019.

Sincerely,

H. Carey Webb, P.E.  
State Aid Engineer

HCW/bs

CC: All District Engineers  
Mr. Lanny Glover, P.E., Assistant State Aid Engineer  
Mr. Jack Jackson, P.E., Assistant State Aid Engineer  
Mrs. Brandi Stuart, Director of Administrative Services  
Mrs. Nita Caylor, Director of Finance and Accounting

CONFIDENTIAL

The following information is being provided to you for your information only. It is not intended to be used for any other purpose. The information is confidential and its disclosure is restricted to those individuals who have a need to know it.

This document contains information that is confidential and its disclosure is restricted to those individuals who have a need to know it. It is not intended to be used for any other purpose.

CONFIDENTIAL