

Representative Mark Owens - HD 60

Representative Ken Helm - HD 27

## Original concept - base bill

- Initiated research and outreach in 2021 in response to historic investments
- Interested in supporting a cohesive, coordinated statewide strategy and approach to federal funding readiness for built and natural infrastructure investments
- Support for Governor's office
  - Desire to be nimble and responsive
  - Focusing on near-term deadlines and agency readiness

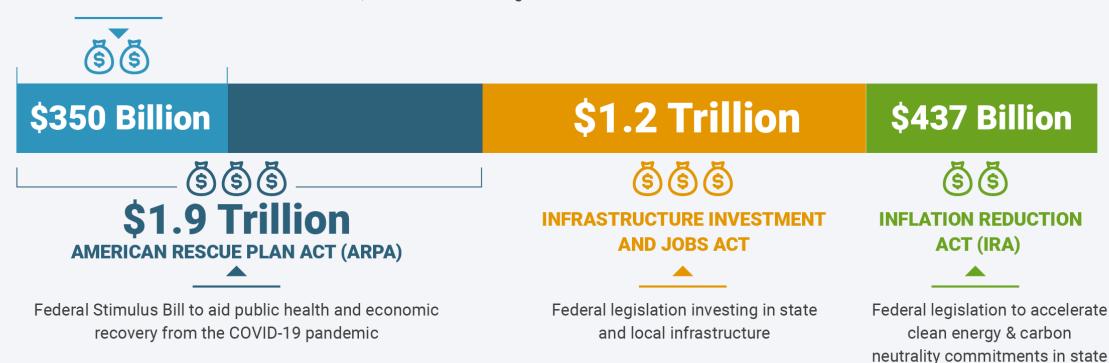
## Federal Infrastructure Funding for State & Local Governments

Signed in 2021 - 2022

CORONA VIRUS STATE AND LOCAL Additional emergency ARPA funding for state, FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS

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local, territorial and tribal governments



and local governments

## What we're hearing from communities

Communities don't feel ready

Increasing sense of urgency

Once in a generation opportunity

Needs and opportunities are immense across all sectors with a need to "bundle"

Limited capacity especially in the highest need communities

## Forthcoming amendment

- Small, near-term capacity boost
- Key intermediary organizations serve as navigators
- Oregon Solutions brings people together to create a funding readiness hub



HB 3349: A small step in the right direction

