

## Michaud Statement on the Release of Stimulus Transportation Funding

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&ldquo;This funding will create jobs in Maine and improve our infrastructure for the long term,&rdquo; said Michaud. &ldquo;I look forward to future funding announcements for projects throughout our state. We all know there is a great need for the rehabilitation of our roads and bridges. Every \$1 billion invested in transportation infrastructure creates about 35,000 jobs and up to \$6 billion in additional gross domestic product. The funding announced today represents an investment in our future and provides the taxpayers with a tremendous bang for their buck.&rdquo;

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