

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

June 13, 2017

Introduced by Sen. ROBACH -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

AN ACT in relation to making public television and radio stations eligible for funding under the state and municipal facilities program; and to amend chapter 54 of the laws of 2017, enacting the Capital Projects Budget, in relation to the inclusion of public television and radio stations

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. For the state fiscal year 2017-18 and thereafter, public  
2 television and radio stations shall be eligible for any monies appropri-  
3 ated to the state and municipal facilities program for the payment of  
4 capital costs.

5 § 2. Section 1 of chapter 54 of the laws of 2017, enacting the "Capi-  
6 tal Projects Budget", is amended by adding to such section the items  
7 underscored in this section:

8 MISCELLANEOUS - ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

9 STATE AND MUNICIPAL FACILITIES PROGRAM

10 CAPITAL PROJECTS 2017-18

	APPROPRIATIONS	REAPPROPRIATIONS
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12	Capital Projects Funds - Other .....	1,253,250,000
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14	All Funds .....	1,253,250,000
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EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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1	STATE AND MUNICIPAL FACILITIES PROGRAM (CCP) .....	385,000,000
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- 3 Capital Projects Funds - Other
- 4 Capital Projects Fund
- 5 State and Municipal Facilities Purpose

6 For payment of the capital costs of  
7 construction, improvement, rehabilitation  
8 or reconstruction of facilities owned by  
9 eligible entities; the acquisition of  
10 capital facilities and assets by eligible  
11 entities, including fixed capital assets;  
12 the acquisition by eligible entities of  
13 equipment and other capital assets,  
14 including vehicles, in support of health,  
15 safety, technology, or innovation; the  
16 acquisition by an eligible entity of capi-  
17 tal assets with a useful life of not less  
18 than ten years purchased for the sole  
19 purpose of preserving and protecting  
20 infrastructure that is owned, controlled  
21 or appurtenant to an eligible entity,  
22 including but not limited to heavy duty  
23 road maintenance and construction vehi-  
24 cles, pavers, snow plows, street sweepers  
25 and heavy duty fire, emergency response  
26 and law enforcement vehicles; economic  
27 development projects sponsored by the  
28 state or municipal corporations, as  
29 defined in section 2 of the general munic-  
30 ipal law, that will create or retain jobs  
31 in New York state as certified by the  
32 commissioner of the department of economic  
33 development; or environmental projects  
34 sponsored by the state or municipal corpo-  
35 rations as defined in section 2 of the  
36 general municipal law. Eligible entities  
37 shall consist of the state; municipal  
38 corporations as defined in section 2 of  
39 the general municipal law; water and sewer  
40 districts; the Metropolitan Transportation  
41 Authority; a college or university estab-  
42 lished pursuant to section 352 of the  
43 education law, section 6203 of the educa-  
44 tion law or section 6302 of the education  
45 law; an independent not-for-profit insti-  
46 tution of higher education as defined in  
47 subdivision 2 of section 6401 of the  
48 education law; public school districts;  
49 public housing authorities; public  
50 libraries and library systems chartered by  
51 the regents of the state of New York or  
52 established by an act of the legislature;  
53 public television and radio stations char-  
54 tered by the regents of the state of New

1 **York;** public park conservancies or not for  
2 profit corporations organized for the  
3 purpose of investing in parks owned by the  
4 state or municipal corporations, as  
5 defined in section 2 of the general munic-  
6 ipal law; not for profit fire districts,  
7 fire commissions, fire companies, fire  
8 departments, volunteer rescue and ambu-  
9 lance squads; and special act school  
10 districts, schools for the blind and deaf  
11 and other students with disabilities  
12 subject to article 85 of the education  
13 law, and private schools for students with  
14 disabilities authorized pursuant to chap-  
15 ter 853 of the laws of 1976.

16 Costs may include, but shall not be limited  
17 to engineering services, construction,  
18 project management, right-of-way acquisi-  
19 tion, and work appurtenant and ancillary  
20 thereto. No funds from this appropriation  
21 may be used as a required match or be  
22 considered a local share to other state  
23 programs or to leverage state aid or  
24 grants including but not limited to the  
25 apportionment of aid under the education  
26 law. Notwithstanding any provision of law  
27 to the contrary, funds appropriated herein  
28 may, subject to the approval of the direc-  
29 tor of the budget, be (i) interchanged,  
30 (ii) transferred from this appropriation  
31 to any other appropriation of any state  
32 department, agency or public benefit  
33 corporation, or (iii) suballocated to any  
34 other state department, agency or public  
35 benefit corporation, to achieve this  
36 purpose (SM0117SM) ..... 385,000,000  
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38 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately; and shall  
39 be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and  
40 after April 1, 2017.