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We invested \$6 billion into the transportation system in our recent state budget - which brings the total to \$24 billion over eight years. (Working and Winning for Wisconsin, [2017-19 Veto Message](#), State Budget Office)

That is \$3 billion more than what former Governor Jim Doyle spent on transportation over the same period of time. (Working and Winning for Wisconsin, [2017-19 Veto Message](#), State Budget Office)

In our budget, the increases for local governments to fix roads, repair bridges and fill potholes are the largest in 20 years. (Working and Winning for Wisconsin, [2017-19 Veto Message](#), State Budget Office)

We also put large amounts into state highway rehab. (Working and Winning for Wisconsin, [2017-19 Veto Message](#), State Budget Office)

And thanks to the diligent work of Secretary Dave Ross and his team who found savings, we are able to move up projects like Interstate 39/90 and Wisconsin 441, while still keeping major projects like Verona Road on time. (Wisconsin Department of Transportation)

Overall, the savings found will move up 26 projects like Highway 18 from Dodgeville to Mount Horeb, Highway 45 in Shawano County, Highway 16 from La Crosse to Sparta, and Highway 172 in Brown County. (Wisconsin Department of Transportation)