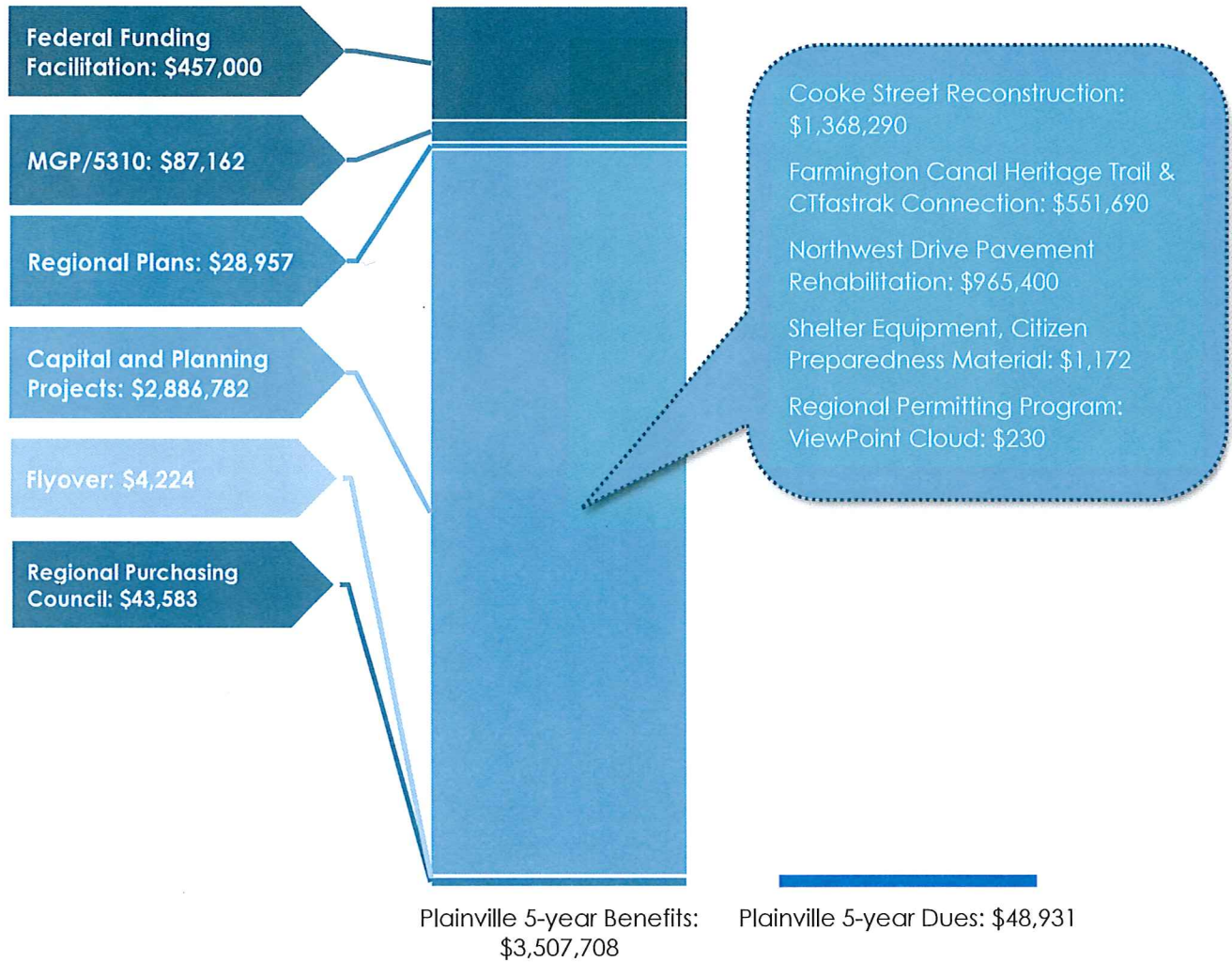


Five-Year Membership Benefits FY 2014-2018



Descriptions

Flyover: CRCOG managed a statewide aerial photography flight. This represents your portion of that benefit.

Regional Plans: CRCOG undertakes a number of regional planning projects. These include: Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan; Regional Complete Streets Plan; MetroHartford Future (CEDs); Regional Sustainable Code Development.

Transit Programs: CRCOG assists the Department of Transportation with municipal coordination and project selection for the FTA 5310 program and the Municipal Grant Program.

Federal Funding Facilitation: As the region's designated Metropolitan Planning Organization, CRCOG plays an important role in facilitating federal funding for projects in the region.

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CRCOG 2017-2018 Department Highlights

Homeland Security and Public Safety

Advanced the Get Ready Capitol Region Citizen Preparedness Initiative.



Bolstered regional teams- SWAT, Dive, Bomb, Incident Management, Command Post, Incident Communication.

Performed a large scale West Farms Mall SAVERS exercise and an infectious disease exercise series.

Managed and administered federal homeland security grant funds on behalf of the 41 communities who make up the Capitol Region Emergency Planning Council.



Involved in the statewide Puerto Rico and Islands Evacuee Relief effort. Participated in work groups and assisted communities in our region as necessary.

Began administering a DPH grant in the amount of \$1.2 million on behalf of all the hospitals and local public health agencies in Region 3. Includes Hospital Emergency Preparedness (HEP) and Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) funding. Created a Health Care Coalition to manage the process.

Municipal Services

Expanded Job Order Contracting to 45 communities and saved CRCOG members \$1 million in CRPC bids.



Began administering the Crumbling Foundations Testing Reimbursement Program and continued support of the Ad-Hoc Working Committee on Crumbling Foundations.

Improved and advanced the HR Portal, including the addition of benefits information to the salary survey.

Installed and continued configuration of the Electronic Document Management Pilot.

Managed Human Services Coordinating Council and Regional Election Monitor; continued support of the Central Connecticut Solid Waste Authority.



Increased IT Cooperative participation with 61 towns participating in various programs. Savings to municipalities for the various programs range from 5% to 68%.

Policy Development and Planning

Improved redevelopment potential of contaminated properties through environmental site assessments and remediation planning under the Metro Hartford Brownfields Program. DECD and EPA grants provided \$160,856 in assistance this year to complete assessments and planning at twenty sites in eight municipalities.

FY 2018 Brownfields Investment Total: \$910,856
23 Sites, 11 Communities



Established Metro Hartford Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund and Subgrant Program, and awarded \$750,000 in new loans and subgrants to fund clean-up of site contamination in three towns.

Promoted and supported transit oriented development (TOD) through a state grant to encourage municipalities, neighborhoods, and anchor institutions to better connect people, places and jobs. Highlighted TOD successes in the region.

Conducted three major regional planning initiatives to make our region more economically competitive, vibrant, and resilient: Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy, Complete Streets Policy and Action Plan, and Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan.



Transportation

Obligated approximately \$21.9 million in federal STP Urban funds for transportation projects in FFY 2017 and approved \$10.9 million in new bridge projects under LOTCIP.

Issued a LOTCIP project solicitation for \$25.5 million for roadway reconstruction, pavement rehabilitation, stand-alone sidewalk, and bicycle-pedestrian projects.

Completed FFY 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program.

Received positive Federal Certification for the Hartford Transportation Management Area

LOTICIP Expenditures



Programmed \$6.4 million in FY 2017 funding and continued to ramp up municipal projects for delivery under LOTCIP in FY2018.