

***Brewer Connects: Improving Local and Regional Mobility Project***  
**Maine Department of Transportation**

U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT)  
FY 2026 Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Grant Program  
Funding Opportunity Number: DTOS59-26-RA-BUILD

# FUNDING COMMITMENTS

## **FUNDING COMMITMENT DOCUMENTATION**

The Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) and the City of Brewer are committed to fully funding their match portions of Project costs, including any additional costs that may exceed the estimated Project cost. MaineDOT is very experienced working with the U.S. Department of Transportation to fund, construct, manage, and complete Federally funded infrastructure projects.

The following funding commitment letters are included in this section:

1. Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT)
2. City of Brewer (City)



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Janet T. Mills  
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February 11, 2026

The Honorable Sean Duffy, Secretary  
United States Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Assurance of Matching Funds

Dear Secretary Duffy:

This letter serves as evidence of assurance by the State of Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) that matching funds for the FY 2026 Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Grant Program application *Brewer Connects: Improving Local and Regional Mobility Project* submitted by MaineDOT are committed and will be provided.

MaineDOT is seeking \$9,283,973 in FY 2026 BUILD funds, matched by \$1,160,496 in State funds, and \$1,160,496 from the Town of Brewer. If awarded, this project will be included in MaineDOT's Work Plan, and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). It is consistent with MaineDOT's long-range plan.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dale F. Doughty", written in a cursive style.

Dale F. Doughty  
Commissioner



Eric G Glidden  
City Manager

February 12, 2026

The Honorable Sean P. Duffy, Secretary  
United States Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave., SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Assurance of Matching Funds

Dear Secretary Duffy:

This letter serves as evidence of assurance by the City of Brewer, Maine (City), that matching funds for the FY 2026 Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Grant Program application *Brewer Connects: Improving Local and Regional Mobility Project*, submitted by MaineDOT, are committed and will be provided.

MaineDOT is seeking \$9,283,972.58 in FY 2026 BUILD funds, matched by \$1,160,496.57 in City funds and \$1,160,496.57 in MaineDOT funds.

Respectfully,

Eric Glidden  
City Manager  
City of Brewer