



REQUEST TO EMERGENCY COMMISSION
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
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Date 2/20/2012	Department Number 801	Department Name Department of Transportation
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PART A: BACKGROUND

1. Was any portion of this request presented to the last legislative session? (If yes, please explain legislative action in narrative) ☐ Yes ☒ No
2. Is any portion of this request a new program? (If yes, please explain in narrative) ☐ Yes ☒ No
3. Will the legislature be asked to continue this program in the next biennium? ☐ Yes ☒ No

PART B: FTE

4. Will this program require an increase in authorized FTE? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, how many?

PART C: INCREASE IN APPROPRIATION LINE ITEM

7. Will this program require state general fund money for a match in this biennium? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, estimate the amount of general fund money needed and explain its source in the narrative
8. Will this program require state general fund money in the next biennium? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, estimate the amount of general fund money needed in the next biennium.
9. Source of Funds for increased spending authority (check applicable box)
☒ Federal ☐ State Contingency Funds ☐ Other
10. Is this a pass-through from another agency? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, from which agency?
11. If this program is federally funded, will the legislature be asked to continue it if federal funds are no longer available? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, estimate the amount of general fund money needed in the next biennium.
12. Specify below the line item to be increased and the amount of the increase.

Line Item	Amount
60 - Grants	\$906,614

PART D: INTRA-AGENCY LINE ITEM TRANSFER

FROM - Line Item	TO - Line Item	Amount
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PART E: NARRATIVE (attach separate sheets if necessary)

ND has been awarded two grants totaling \$906,614 from the Federal Rail Administration for railroad disaster recovery for the Northern Plains Railroad (\$601,375) and the Red River Valley and Western Railroad (\$305,239). These grant are to be passed through to the railroads as reimbursement for disaster repair costs incurred 2009.

NDDOT requests additional grant appropriation line budget authority in the amount of \$906,614 to accept and expend these funds. This request is 100% federally funded.