

School Facilities Assistance



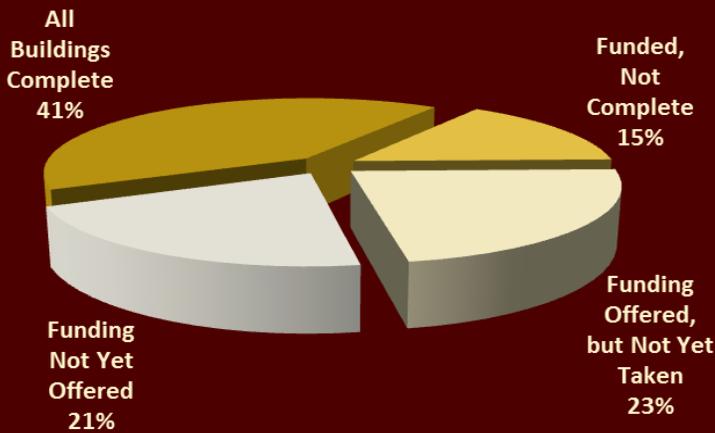
The Ohio School Facilities Commission (SFC) provides funding, management oversight, and technical assistance to public districts and schools for the construction and renovation of K-12 classroom facilities.

SFC was created in 1997 by S.B. 102 of the 122nd General Assembly and became an independent agency within the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission under H.B. 487 of the 129th General Assembly.



Progress in Rebuilding Schools

Status of Districts Completing Master Facility Plans, FY 2016

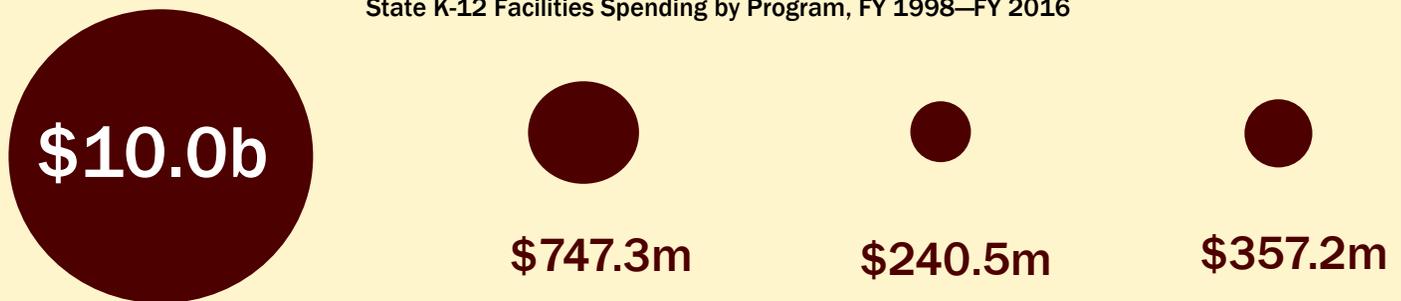


271	Districts in which all necessary facility updates are completed
100	Districts that have been provided funding and work on facilities has begun
150	Districts offered funding but unable to acquire or still seeking required local share
138	Districts not yet offered funding



Major School Facilities Programs

State K-12 Facilities Spending by Program, FY 1998–FY 2016



CFAP

Classroom Facilities Assistance Program
Addresses the entire facilities of traditional districts
State funding based on average valuation per pupil, with a small adjustment based on income
Lower wealth districts receive a greater share of state assistance and are also served sooner

ENP

Exceptional Needs Program
Addresses the health and safety needs of a specific building rather than the entire facilities needs of a district

VFAP

Vocational Facilities Assistance Program
Similar to CFAP but serves JVSs

Other

Includes programs for the Big 8 districts, Emergency Repair, Schools for the Deaf and Blind, School Security Grants, among others

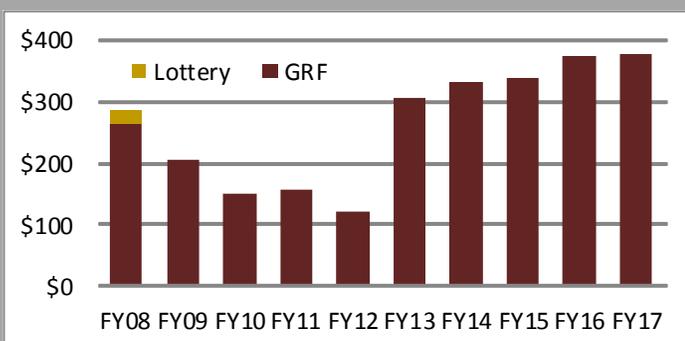


Major Funding Sources

State K-12 Facilities Spending by Source, FY 1998–FY 2016

Bonds	Tobacco	Cash	Lottery
\$4.8b	\$4.8b	\$1.3b	\$330.1m
Most projects are financed through borrowing. The debt service has primarily been paid by the GRF.	Tobacco MSA funds and proceeds from securitization of MSA payments in FY 2008.	Financed by transfers from the GRF	Mostly from one-time VLT licensing fees

Debt Service on School Facilities Bonds (\$ in millions)



*Debt service payments were lowered from FY09 to FY12 due mainly to the FY 2008 tobacco securitization that provided cash for school facilities programs.