



THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



Victoria F. Sheehan
Commissioner

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William Cass, P.E.
Assistant Commissioner

Ryan Carter, Chairman of Selectmen
Town of Allenstown
16 School Street
Allenstown, NH 03275

**Re: Allenstown Highway Block Grant Aid – in Accordance with RSA 235:23
Payment for Maintenance, Construction and Reconstruction of Class IV and V Highways**

Dear Mr. Carter:

The following is notification of State Highway Block Grant Aid available to your town in State Fiscal Year 2020 (July 1, 2019 thru June 30, 2020) based on estimated State Fiscal Year 2019 revenues through June 30, 2019. The Block Grant Aid payments include highway revenue from Senate Bill (SB) 367 that was effective July 1, 2014. The total will change based on final audited State Fiscal Year 2019 revenues. The resulting adjustment will be reflected in the April payment. Funding is anticipated to be available in the future operating budget.

State Highway Block Grant Aid anticipated to be available to the Town of Allenstown during Fiscal Year 2020 (July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020) is as follows:

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| July 2019 Actual Payment: | \$28,010.03 |
| October 2019 Actual Payment: | \$28,010.03 |
| January 2020 Actual Payment: | \$18,673.35 |
| April 2020 Estimated Payment: | \$18,673.34 |

TOTAL FOR FY 2020: \$93,366.75

In generalized terms and in accordance with statutory provisions for distribution of Apportionment "A" and SB 367 funds, a disbursement is made of approximately \$1,500 for each mile of Class IV and Class V highway inventoried by each municipality and approximately \$13 for each person residing in a municipality based on the state planning estimate of population. Apportionment "B" in the amount of \$400,000.00 is distributed this year to 18 small towns under a somewhat more complicated formula as specified in RSA 235:23, which recognizes the economics of maintaining their Class V highway mileage when considered in relationship to their equalized valuation tax base.

Please contact us at 271-3344 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

C. R. Willeke

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Municipal Highways Engineer
Bureau of Planning and Community Assistance

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