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DEADLINES

TRIBAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

FALL 2026 TIF Fall Cycle:

- Fall 2026 TIF application portal opened August 3, 2026.
- Application deadline was September 4, 2026, at 5 p.m.
- Applications are currently under review and consideration with the TIF Review Committee.



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Upcoming 2027 TIF CYCLE:

- TIF Portal opens Friday, February 5, 2027.
  - American Indian Day
- Open for 30 days, though it is possible for the deadline to be extended beyond 30 days.
- Additional information will be shared with Nations, Pueblos, and Tribes as it becomes available.

TIF Portal tentatively closes

Saturday, March 6, 2027, at 5PM

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CAPITAL OUTLAY – NEW PROJECTS

- IAD administers some of the project funds for capital outlay projects that are awarded to NPTs
  - Various State agencies administer funding:
    - Aging & Long-Term Services,
    - Department of Transportation,
    - Department of Cultural Affairs,
    - Department of Finance and Administration,
    - Etc.

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CAPITAL OUTLAY – NEW PROJECTS

Legislative Council Services (LCS) Capital Outlay Project Request Website

www.nmlegis.gov/CapitalOutlayWeb

Opens on November 2, 2026, for the 2027 session and

Closes at 3:00PM December 11, 2026

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CAPITAL OUTLAY – REAUTHORIZATIONS

Reauthorization Request Form is not available at this time

Deadline for legislators to submit reauthorization request forms:
Likely to be mid-February 2027
(prior to the bill introduction deadline).

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CAPITAL OUTLAY – REAUTHORIZATIONS

House Bill 247 – New Reauthorization Requirements

Applies to appropriations made on or after January 1, 2027.

- The 10% Encumbrance Threshold
  - Projects must have at least 10% of funds encumbered by January 1, 2027.
  - Projects below 10% will be frozen by the DFA and are ineligible for reauthorization.

- One-Time Extension Limit
  - Projects are strictly limited to one single reauthorization.
  - The maximum timeline extension allowed is two years.

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CAPITAL OUTLAY

Legislative Council Services Capital Outlay Process Timeline

• November 2, 2026	LCS Capital Outlay Request Portal opens.
• December 11, 2026 – 3:00 p.m.	Capital Outlay Request submission deadline.
• January 19, 2027	New Mexico Legislative Session begins.
• February 18, 2027	Legislative bill introduction deadline.
• March 20, 2027 – 12:00 p.m.	Legislative Session ends.
• Reauthorization Request Deadline	To be announced.

For updates, visit: www.nmlegis.gov

CAPITAL OUTLAY – PARS System

For Your Awareness:

- The State of New Mexico is transitioning capital outlay project administration to the Project Accountability and Reporting System (PARS).
- 2026 K projects and 26TIF projects are being administered through PARS now.
- IAD is working to transition active capital outlay projects into PARS by the end of 2026.
- Once the transition is complete, PARS will be the primary system for processing Notices of Obligation (NOOs), Requests for Payment (RFPs), and other project-related activities.

What This Means for Navajo Nation Chapters

- CAPS – Quarterly reporting
- PARS – NOOs and RFPs

- Identify who submits the quarterly reports, NOOs, and RFPs. Ensure IAD has the information so the individual has correct access in the system.

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