



SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF
GAME, FISH AND PARKS

523 EAST CAPITOL AVENUE | PIERRE, SD 57501

DOT Collector Road Annual Report
Department of Transportation
Attn: Secretary Jundt
March 31st, 2026

Secretary Jundt,

Please see annual report information per our updated agreement and memorandum of understanding signed in October of 2021:

During State Fiscal Year 2026 the Department of Game Fish & Parks (GFP) successfully partnered with local townships and counties to improve approximately 53 miles of collector roads. The department was also able to complete approximately 13 miles of improvements on collector road eligible interior park roads as well as engineering design for a bridge replacement. A full list of projects funded through the commission's assistance is included in Attachment A. As we look towards FY 2027, GFP intends to invest across our state.

The list of anticipated projects for FY 2027 as noted in Attachment A is planned to assist in 14 road improvement projects with over 48 miles of improvements. We've also included a list of potential FY 2027 projects in Attachment A in case of project delays or lower than anticipated costs. Overall, the department's FY27 budget contains an additional 7.1 million dollars in anticipated funding for road improvement projects throughout the state park system. This publicly available plan contains approximately 38 million dollars of road funding planned in the next 5 years. The department currently has 17 NBI structures, 3 rated in poor condition, 12 in fair condition, and 2 in good condition. We continue to update estimates as design and project scoping progresses. We again appreciate the continued partnership as we work to improve transportation and access to our state.

Respectfully,

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ATTACHMENT A

FY26 DOT Collector Road Funding Projects	Expenses	County, Township, Park
Bush's Landing Lakeside Use Area Mag Chloride	\$18,925.06	Sully County
Custer State Park Playhouse Road AST & Repairs	\$161,744.96	Custer State Park
Custer County Mag Chloride	\$58,000.00	Custer County
North Point Recreation Area 381st Ave Design	\$4,195.00	White Swan Township
Palisades 256th Street AST & Repairs	\$14,825.53	Palisades Township
Roy Lake Collector Road FDR and Hard Surface	\$874,479.01	Marshall County
Roy Lake Collector Road Culvert Replacement and Patching	\$47,210.00	Marshall County
Shadehill Recreation Area Interior Collector Road AST & Repair	\$116,317.79	Shadehill Recreation Area
Shep's Canyon Mag Chloride	\$24,938.90	Fall River County
Roughlock Falls Gravel Lift & Mag Chloride	\$93,472.37	Lawrence County
Swan Creek Recreation Area Collector Road Asphalt Repairs	\$68,561.73	Walworth County
Lewis & Clark Recreation Area Interior Collector Road Striping	\$3,252.48	Lewis & Clark Recreation Area
North Point Recreation Area 297th Street Overlay Design & Construction	\$422,454.70	North Point Recreation Area
Angostura Recreation Area Collector Road Crack Seal	\$15,609.60	Fall River County
Palisades State Park Collector Road Striping	\$2,001.88	Palisades Township
Pete Lein Shooting Complex Collector Road Improvements		Meade County
Custer State Park Interior Collector Road Gravel Lift		Custer State Park
Indian Creek Recreation Area Collector Road chip and crack seal		Walworth County
Spring Creek Recreation Area Interior Collector Road Testing/Design		Spring Creek Recreation Area
Buryanek Recreation Area Mag Chloride and Gravel Improvements		Gregory County
Custer State Park Bridge Replacement Design, Bridge 17-292-105		Custer State Park
Lake Thompson Recreation Area FDR and Rebuild Design		Baker & Desmet Townships
Sica Hollow State Park collector road bridge replacement		Roberts County
Total	\$1,925,989.01	

Reimbursement requests submitted through February 19th, 2026- \$1,925,989.01.
 Remaining \$874,010.99 will be requested for reimbursement prior to June 1st, 2026

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FY27 DOT Collector Road Projected Funding	Estimate	County, Township, Park
Buryanek Recreation Area Collector Road Gravel and Mag Chloride	\$15,000.00	Gregor County
Bush's Landing Lakeside Use Area Collector Road Mag Chloride	\$45,000.00	Sully County
Custer State Park Interior Collector Road Gravel Lift	\$50,000.00	Custer State Park
Custer State Park Collector Road Mag Chloride	\$70,000.00	Custer County
Fort Sisseton State Park Co Hwy 5 Rebuild	\$500,000.00	Marshall County
Lake Thompson Recreation Area Collector Road FDR and Hard Surface	\$1,487,000.00	DeSmet & Baker Townships
Lewis & Clark Recreation Area Interior Collector Gavins Point Road AST & Repair	\$48,000.00	Lewis & Clark Recreation Area
North Point Recreation Area Interior Collector Road AST & Repair	\$120,000.00	North Point Recreation Area
Pease Creek Recreation Area Interior Collector Road Rebuild	\$220,000.00	Pease Creek Recreation Area
Shadehill Recreation Area Collector Road AST & Repair	\$50,000.00	Perkins County
Shep's Canyon Recreation Area Collector Road Mag Chloride	\$26,000.00	Fall River County
Spearfish Canyon Natura Area Collector Road Mag Chloride	\$10,000.00	Lawrence County
Spring Creek Recreation Area Interior Collector Road AST & Repair	\$104,000.00	Spring Creek Recreation Area
Springfield Recreation Area Interior Collector Road AST & Repair	\$55,000.00	Springfield Recreation Area
Total	\$2,800,000.00	

FY27 Alternate Projects	Expenses	County, Township, Park
Walkers Point Recreation Area Collector Road AST & Repair	\$20,000.00	Lakeview Township
Indian Creek Recreation Area Collector Road AST & Repair	\$25,000.00	Walworth County
Randall Creek Recreation Area Interior Collector Road AST & Repair	\$50,000.00	Randall Creek Recreation Area
Pete Lein Shooting Complex Collector Road Improvements	\$200,000.00	Meade County
Kanago Lakeside Use Area Collector Road Improvements	\$50,000.00	Day County
Custer State Park Bridge 17-292-105 Replacement	\$750,000.00	Custer State Park
Spring Creek Recreation Area Interior Collector Road Rebuild	\$650,000.00	Spring Creek Recreation Area
West Pollock Recreation Area Collector Road Improvements	\$375,000.00	Campbell County
North Point Recreation Area Collector Road 381st Ave Hard Surface	\$180,000.00	White Swan Township
Lake Thompson Recreation Area Collector Road Gravel Lift	\$60,000.00	DeSmet Township
Sica Hollow State Park Collector Road Bridge Replacement	\$75,000.00	Roberts County