



January 23, 2025

Jim Pillen, Governor

NEVI Formula Program RFP R231-24

ATTENTION

On January 20, 2025 a number of Executive Orders were signed and went into effect. [One in particular](#) affects the NEVI Program directly. It states the following in Section 7:

Sec. 7. Terminating the Green New Deal. (a) **All agencies shall immediately pause the disbursement of funds appropriated through the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 (Public Law 117-169) or the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (Public Law 117-58), including but not limited to funds for electric vehicle charging stations made available through the National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Formula Program and the Charging and Fueling Infrastructure Discretionary Grant Program, and shall review their processes, policies, and programs for issuing grants, loans, contracts, or any other financial disbursements of such appropriated funds for consistency with the law and the policy outlined in section 2 of this order. Within 90 days of the date of this order, all agency heads shall submit a report to the Director of the NEC and Director of OMB that details the findings of this review, including recommendations to enhance their alignment with the policy set forth in section 2. No funds identified in this subsection (a) shall be disbursed by a given agency until the Director of OMB and Assistant to the President for Economic Policy have determined that such disbursements are consistent with any review recommendations they have chosen to adopt.**

As a result of this Executive Order, NDOT is halting its NEVI effort **indefinitely until we receive guidance from the Federal Government about how to proceed**. To be clear, the NEVI program is not canceled at this time, but rather just been put on hold indefinitely until we receive further information.

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