

The National Transit Database





What is the National Transit Database?

- Created in 1974 to serve as data repository for all US transit systems
- Collects data on financial, operating and asset conditions using consistent methodology for all agencies
- Statistics used by FTA to allocate Federal formula funding and provide a source for peer comparison.



Why do we do it?

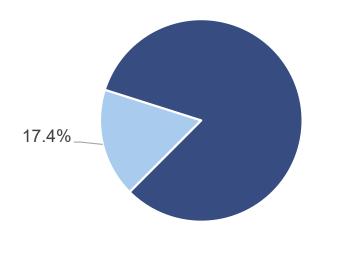
Sound Transit receives

\$55 million annually

in Federal funds based on NTD data

- From 2017 2041, FTA formula funds are projected to total \$2.1 billion
- This is 24% of the total \$8.8B in grant funding in the financial plan

Sound Transit Operating Expenses

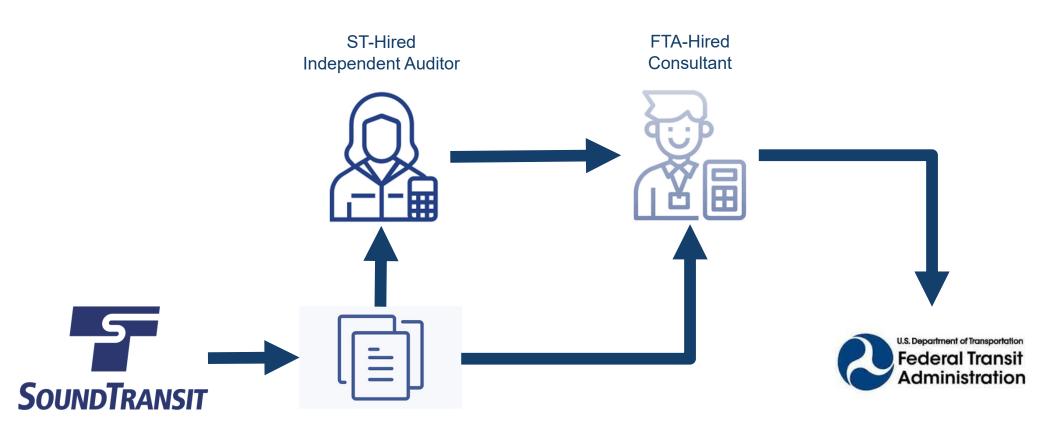


NTD Generated Funding

■ All Other Sources



How does the FTA ensure data is accurate?





What data are we submitting?

Federal Funding Allocation Module

Basic Information Module

Service Area Characteristics

Contractual Relationships

Asset Module

Station & Maintenance Facilities

Transit Asset Management Facilities

Transit Mileage

Revenue Vehicle Inventory

Service Vehicle Inventory

Performance Targets

Financial Module

Source of Funds

Use of Capital Funds

Operating Expenses

Expense Summary

Financial Statement

Resources Module

Employees

Maintenance Performance

Services Module

Vehicles

Service Supplied

Service Consumed

Footprint