



# Budgeted funding for planning activities for *The I-81 Challenge*

AGENCY	FUNDS	
 <b>NYSDOT</b>	Statewide Planning & Research (SPR): SAFETEA-LU: <b>TOTAL:</b>	\$ 1,500,000 \$ 5,000,000 <b>\$ 6,500,000</b>
 <b>SMTC</b>	SPR: Metropolitan Planning: <b>TOTAL:</b>	\$ 450,000 \$ 608,130 <b>\$ 1,058,130</b>

Securing capital funding requires identifying a preferred project or projects which will not occur until after the planning study is complete in 2013.

To put in perspective, it is estimated to cost \$500 million to replace the bridge deck on the elevated portion of I-81 in Syracuse.