

State of Hawaii
Department of Transportation
Highways Division

STIP Abbreviations and Terminology

Project Phasing

PLN	Planning Studies or Program Policy Development/Implementation
PE1	Preliminary Engineering – Part 1: Environmental clearance phase, Includes enough design work to complete this phase
PE2	Preliminary Engineering – Part 2: “Final Design” – Development/completion of Plans, Specifications and Estimates (PS&E)
PREROW	Preliminary Right-of-way activities (no acquisition)
ROW	Right-of-Way acquisition
PE2/CON	Design-Build (one contract to design and construct the project)
ADVCON	Advance Construction (financing technique that allows borrowing of future years’ federal funds, but reduces the future years’ funding levels.)
CON	Construction
CON/INSP	Construction and Inspection
PN/DS/CO	Planning, Design and/or Construction
EQP	Equipment acquisition
REL	Relocation expenses
OPR	Operation expenses
INSP	Inspection expenses

FHWA Funding Categories

Bridge-Off System	Bridge-Off System funds (For work on Bridges off the State Highway System - These funds are to be replaced by STPBG – Off System Bridge funds.
CMAQ	Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (for projects that can potentially help with the betterment of air quality)
EARMARK	High Priority, Transportation Improvement earmarked money that can only be used for specifically defined uses.

FERRY BOAT DISC	Ferry Boat Discretionary. For specific projects only
FTA X-FER	Funds transferred from the FTA program to the FHWA program
FLHD	Federal Lands Highway Discretionary - For specific projects only
H-3 DISC	Interstate Discretionary specifically for use on the H-3 Freeway
HSIP	Highway Safety Improvement Program
IM	Interstate Maintenance – these funds are to be replaced by NHPP funding
National Rec Trails	National Recreational Trails
NHPP	National Highway Performance Program
Other Funds	Funds that do not fit in any of the defined categories
Public Lands	Public Lands Discretionary funds - For specific federal agency projects only
STP Enhancement	Surface Transportation Program: Enhancement funds (for projects such as bike lanes, landscaping, etc. Projects must be prioritized through the Enhancement Process before being eligible for these funds). - These funds are to be replaced by TAP and TA funding
STPGB	Surface Transportation Program Block Grant – replaced the old STP Flexible funds.
TAP/TA	Transportation Alternative Program/Transportation Alternatives (STPGB)