

Federal Lands Highway Program



FEDERAL LANDS HIGHWAY PROGRAM

The Federal Lands Highway (FLH) Program was established to allow for all federally owned public roads to be treated under uniform policies similar to the policies that apply to federal-aid highways. Funding is provided for several categories of Federal Lands highways including Park Roads and Parkways, Indian Reservation Roads (IRR), Public Lands Highways (discretionary and Forest Highways), and Refuge Roads, which provide access to or within the National Wildlife Refuge System. FLH funds may be used for transit facilities within public lands, national parks, and Indian reservations and may also be used as the state/local match for most types of federal-aid highway funded projects.

Federal Lands Highway Projects

Currently, there are no FLH projects under construction or in development in Kansas. If future projects arise during federal fiscal year 2012, they will be amended to KDOT's STIP FFY 2012-2015 at that time.

Indian Reservation Road Projects

Four Indian reservations are contained or partially contained within the State of Kansas.

The four Indian Nations receive federal funding for roads and bridges from the FLH Program. The funds are administered through the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA). Projects in this program are provided by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA).

The four Indian Nations in Kansas are:

Prairie Band of Potawatomi Indians,
located in Jackson County

Kickapoo Nation of Kansas,
located in Brown County

Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri,
located in Brown County, Kansas and
Richardson County, Nebraska

Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska,
located in Brown County, Kansas and
Doniphan County, Kansas and
Richardson County, Nebraska