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## Safe Routes Nebraska – Available Infrastructure Funding

The Nebraska Department of Roads Safe Routes Nebraska Program is announcing the availability of funds for projects that encourage and better enable children in Nebraska to walk and bike safely to school.

Eligible governmental agencies or political subdivisions within the State of Nebraska may apply through by completing an Intent to Apply Draft Application form located at [www.saferoutes.nebraska.gov](http://www.saferoutes.nebraska.gov). The deadline for the draft application is December 20, 2013. Intent to Apply Draft Applications can be mailed to Angela Barry, Safe Routes Nebraska State Coordinator at 700 Q Street, Lincoln, NE 68508; or emailed to [abarry@sinclairhille.com](mailto:abarry@sinclairhille.com).

Safe Routes funding is 100 percent funded by the federal government and requires no matching funds by local entities. The funds, benefiting elementary and middle school students, are for infrastructure projects including, sidewalk and street crossing improvements, traffic diversion and bicycle facilities.

For more information regarding the Safe Routes Nebraska Program, visit [www.saferoutes.nebraska.gov](http://www.saferoutes.nebraska.gov), and click on the Funding link.

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