

MoDOT Minute – June 15, 2010

Hi. This is Sally Oxenhandler with your MoDOT Minute.

MoDOT's Safe Routes to School advisory committee has awarded \$582,000 in grants to 34 communities across the state. The Safe Routes to School program works to enable and encourage students to walk, wheel and bicycle to school. The program also implements projects and activities to improve safety and reduce traffic, fuel consumption, and air pollution in the vicinity of schools. More information, including the list of grant recipients, can be found at www.modot.org/safety.

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