

Transit Vehicle Repair - General Instructions

Funding from this program is limited to vehicles **funded** by Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT)

Prior written authorization is required before funding can be committed.

1. Vehicles funded by MoDOT under Sections 5309, 5310, and 5311 are eligible for assistance under this program.
2. All **warranty repairs** must be completed before an application for assistance is submitted.
3. Section A of the application form must be completed and submitted to MoDOT for approval.
4. Applicants are required to submit **two (2) estimates** with the application so that MoDOT can determine its maximum state share.
5. MoDOT will notify the applicant of the approval (eligibility), the amount and the reimbursement process.
6. **Wheelchair lifts, restraints, repairs and replacements** will be funded at a **100%** (not covered under warranty) upon approval. Repair costs must be a **minimum of \$200.00** to be considered eligible for this program. (This minimum does not apply to replacement of restraints).
7. **Purchase of new or rebuilt engines, transmissions and differentials** will be funded up to an **80%/20%** split upon approval. If the original engine has core value, it will be deducted from MoDOT's 80% state share.
 - a. The following criteria apply to rebuilt items
 - i. A rebuilt engine should provide 60,000 miles
 - ii. A rebuilt transmission should provide 50,000 miles
 - iii. A rebuilt differential should provide 75,000 miles.The vehicle will not be eligible for replacement until it has reached its criteria above.
8. **Any major repairs: Costing \$750.00 or more** will be funded up to an **80%/20%** split upon approval. Examples of major repairs include: valve jobs, blown head gaskets, electrical, engine, and or fuel pumps. **Items not included are tires and regular maintenance.**
9. **Air conditioning repairs** will be funded up to an **80%/20%** split upon approval. Repair costs must be a **minimum of \$200.00** to be considered eligible.
 - a. The following criteria will need to be met prior to repair authorization:
 - i. At the time of repair the vehicle must have two useful cooling seasons left.
 - ii. One or more of the following major components will need to be replaced, according to the estimate:
 1. Compressor
 2. Receiver dryer
 3. Expansion valve
 4. Evaporator
 5. Condenser coil
10. A vehicle maintenance log will be required upon request.
11. All work authorized must be completed within 30 days of the date of authorization.
12. For unexpected expenses encountered during repair(s), contact MoDOT's Program Manager.

