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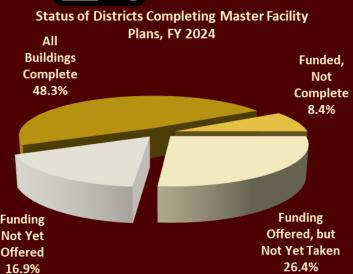
# **School Facilities Assistance**



The Ohio Facilities Construction Commission (OFCC) provides funding, management oversight, and technical assistance to public districts and schools for the construction and renovation of K-12 classroom facilities. OFCC is the successor agency to the Ohio School Facilities Commission, which was created in 1997 by S.B. 102 of the 122nd General Assembly.



### **Progress in Rebuilding Schools**



Districts in which all necessary facility updates are completed

Districts that have been provided funding and work on facilities has begun

Districts offered funding but unable to acquire or still seeking required local share

Districts not yet offered funding



## **Major School Facilities Programs**

State K-12 Facilities Spending by Program, FY 1998—FY 2024

\$12.0b



\$844.0n



\$272.4m



\$743.4m

#### **CFAP**

**Classroom Facilities Assistance Program** 

Addresses the entire facilities of traditional districts

State funding based on average valuation per pupil,
with a small adjustment based on income

Lower wealth districts receive a greater share of state assistance and are also served sooner

#### **ENP**

**Exceptional Needs Program** 

Addresses the health and safety needs of a specific building rather than the entire facilities needs of a district

#### VFAP

Vocational Facilities
Assistance Program

Similar to CFAP but serves JVSDs

#### Other

Includes programs for School Security Grants, the Big 8 districts, Emergency Repair, Career-Tech Construction Grants, Community/ STEM schools, Schools for the Deaf and Blind, among others

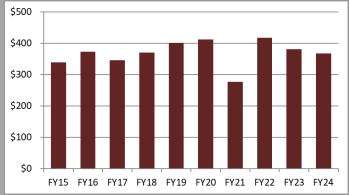


### **Major Funding Sources**

State K-12 Facilities Spending by Major Source, FY 1998—FY 2024

Bonds	Tobacco	Cash	Lottery
\$6.5b	\$4.8b	\$1.8b	\$434.5m
Most projects are financed through borrowing. The debt service has primarily been paid by the GRF.	Tobacco MSA funds and proceeds from securitization of MSA payments in FY 2008.	Financed by transfers from the GRF	Mostly from one-time VLT licensing fees

**GRF Debt Service on School Facilities Bonds (\$ in millions)** 



\*State debt refinancing lowered GRF debt service costs on school facilities bonds in FY21