



Northern Border Regional Commission

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Town of Richmond, Vermont
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Josh Arneson,

I appreciate the time and effort it took applying for the most recent round of the State Economic and Infrastructure Development grant program with the Northern Border Regional Commission (NBRC) and hope that you continue to pursue your efforts. In this very competitive grant round your application unfortunately, was not selected for funding.

NBRC received 152 applications in this round, requesting more than \$43,000,000 in funding. NBRC has chosen 45 applications, funding only 28% of all applications. A total of just under \$14M was awarded for federal fiscal year 2019 in this program.

If you have questions about the scoring process for this round of funding, we invite you to contact the State program manager within the State where your project is to be carried out. (contact information below). If you have questions regarding the grant program and how to apply in the future contact NBRC program staff or Rich Grogan, NBRC Executive Director at 603-369-3001 (admin@nbrc.gov).

I wish you much success in your work going forward,

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