

Transit in the United States

Total Federal Assistance (Capital and Operating) Applied to Transit and Unlinked Passenger Trips

Concepts

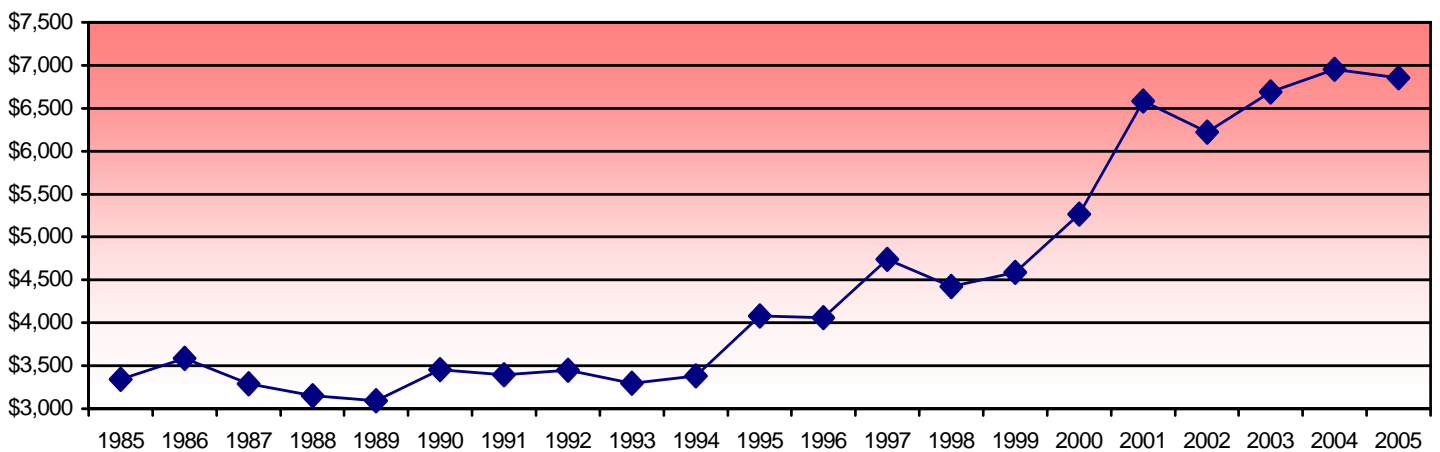
Federal funds applied to transit are Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Urbanized Area Formula Program funds (financial assistance used to offset operating costs and pay for capital projects) and other Federal funds.

Unlinked passenger trips are the number of patrons boarding public transportation vehicles.

Comments

Ridership increased by 10 percent from 1985 to 2005. During the same period, Federal assistance applied to transit increased by nearly 105 percent.

Federal Funds Applied to Transit (Millions) 1985 - 2005



Unlinked Passenger Trips (Millions) 1985 - 2005

