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During the month of August 1973 the Department of Transportation's Urban Mass Transportation Administration (UMTA) announced 28 grants totalling \$654,195. Following is a digest of these grants, their dollar amount, UMTA Project number and date of release. For further information contact the UMTA Office of Public Affairs at (202) 426-4043 or the grantee.

The grants were made to:

*South Bend Public Transportation Corporation, Indiana --- \$238,953 --- for additional 1/6 funding as a result of SBPTC's having met full planning requirements required in original capital grant made in November 1970. (IN-03-0004 8/20/73)

*Northern Virginia Transportation Commission --- \$250,867 --- for continued project operations of the Shirley Highway demonstration project. This amendment brings the total Federal funding to \$5,868,419 and extends the completion date for the project to 12/31/74. (IT-06-0024-4, 8/29/73)

*University of Illinois --- \$13,246 --- for a study to evaluate energy consumption, air pollutants and operating costs per passenger mile for commuter diesel trains. (IL-11-0006, 8/23/73)

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*Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
--- \$141,129 --- for the Fifth Professional Program in Urban
Transportation, a four week lecture, seminar and workshop
course in urban transportation planning, management and
Technology. The 25 grants were made on an individual basis
to fellowship recipients throughout the country. (Sect. 10
Managerial Grants, 8/23/73)

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