## WHAT'S NEW

**August 13, 2010** – The Office of Policy and Management prepares the publication entitled <u>Estimates of State Formula Aid to Municipalities</u>, in order to provide information with respect to certain ongoing state grant programs under which payments to municipalities are determined by statutory formulas.

The August 13, 2010 edition of this publication contains information concerning payments remitted in FY 2009-10 and amounts available for expenditure in FY 2010-11 for twenty-two municipal grants that six state agencies administer.

## PROGRAM DISCRIPTION

**August 13, 2010** – Pursuant to §4-71b of the Connecticut General Statutes (CGS), the Office of Policy and Management compiles estimates of state aid to municipalities following the conclusion of the legislative session(s) during which the state budget and related implementation legislation are enacted. The August 13, 2010 edition of the publication entitled <u>Estimates of State Formula Aid to Municipalities</u> contains information concerning payments remitted in FY 2009-10 and amounts available for expenditure in FY 2010-11 for twenty-two municipal grants that six state agencies administer.

Although not all-inclusive, this publication provides a general guide to overall approved funding levels for certain ongoing grant programs under which the State of Connecticut's payments to municipalities are determined by statutory formulas.

Prior year adjustments can have a significant impact on the actual revenue grantees receive, especially with respect to education programs. The Department of Education periodically updates data for grant programs it administers. These data are available at <a href="http://www.csde.state.ct.us/public/dgm/reports/selectspedpya.asp">http://www.csde.state.ct.us/public/dgm/reports/selectspedpya.asp</a>.

A five year payment history for grants that staff of the Office of Policy and Management administers, including some that this publication does not encompass, is available <a href="https://example.com/here/">here</a>.