

# *We Want Your* **RECOVERY STORIES**

The American Reinvestment & Recovery Act (Recovery Act) was signed into law in February 2009, and Michigan is beginning to see the results. Around the state, construction sites bearing the Recovery logo testify to investments -and jobs- in communities large and small.

Many of our partners are already seeing the positive impacts Recovery-related projects have in their lives and their communities. There will be many milestones to capture, and success stories to record. Please take a moment to share your stories.

Here are some ideas to stimulate your thinking:

- Do you know someone who has gone back to work or come back to Michigan for work?
- Do you know a business that was able to stay in business because of the Recovery Act?
- What has the Recovery Act meant to your business or community?
- What signs of economic recovery have you noticed?
- Do you have photos of a ground-breaking ceremony for a community's Recovery Act project (or first project)?
- Have you taken photos of a contractor signing a contract that will be paid for with Recovery Act dollars?
- Did you record a transit agency's first ARRA bus rolling off the assembly line (or being delivered)?

**You may share your stories at [www.michigan.gov/buildingmifuture](http://www.michigan.gov/buildingmifuture), which also includes links to Facebook and Twitter.**

If you are interested in sharing a story but can't find quite the right words, we'd be happy to connect you with someone who can help.



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