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Let's Restart the Hidden Economic Engine.

Why we must rewire, recast and reclaim the multi-trillion dollar market that funds bold public works.

Public finance was designed to serve community visionaries — the builders who sought better lives for themselves, their communities and future generations. Financing more than two centuries of impactful public projects — schools, parks, libraries and the roads connecting them — the humble municipal bond is the original impact investment, and it helped build our nation.

The multi-trillion dollar market touches our lives in countless ways every day: directly via the roads and bridges we use; the sewers and water pipes upon which we build our cities; the connections within and between our communities and the global economy. And in subtle, though no less direct, ways through the fabric and strength of our public institutions: the quality and quantity of public school education; the ways we generate and consume energy; the ways we create and capture value from the resources of the Commons.

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