The Indiana Toll Road region is among the nation’s best examples of effective public-private partnerships. However, PPP’s extend beyond the range of physical infrastructure to services. While not appropriate for all government services, public-private partnerships offer several important benefits to both government and taxpayer.

Public-private partnerships range from government authorities such as boards and commissions, to service contracts, to operations and maintenance contracts, to a full range of build, own and operate agreements.

PPP’s require significant legal oversight by local governments. Services in Indiana that are the most likely to see benefit include regional sanitary and water services and other special district services (e.g. airports). The goal of a PPP is to provide better public services at a lower cost.