A BILL FOR AN ACT

Concerning transportation funding, and in connection therewith, making an appropriation.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://leg.colorado.gov.)

Section 15 of the bill requires a ballot question to be submitted to the voters of the state at the November 2017 statewide election that seeks approval for the state to temporarily increase the rate of the state sales and use tax for 20 years beginning in 2018. If the voters approve the temporary sales and use tax rate increase, the new revenue generated is allocated solely for transportation infrastructure funding purposes, with
specific projects to be funded required to be included in the 2017 ballot information booklet provided to the voters of the state, as follows:

- $300 million annually to the state highway fund for use by the department of transportation (CDOT); and
- Of the remaining new revenue:
  - 70% to counties and municipalities in equal total amounts; and
  - 30% to a newly created multimodal transportation options fund (fund).

If the voters approve the temporary state sales and use tax rate increase:

- CDOT may issue up to a specified amount of transportation revenue anticipation notes (TRANs) for the purpose of funding transportation projects that are part of CDOT's strategic transportation investment program and are on CDOT's priority list for funding and the transportation commission must covenant that amounts it allocates on an annual basis to pay TRANs shall be paid: First, from $50 million from any legally available money under its control other than the new sales and use tax revenue; next, from the new sales and use tax revenue; and last, if necessary, from any other legally available money under its control any amount needed for payment of the TRANs until the TRANs are fully repaid;
- The revenue allocations to counties and municipalities are further allocated to each county and municipality in accordance with certain existing statutory formulas used to allocate highway users tax fund (HUTF) money to each county and municipality;
- The existing statutory requirement that at least 10% of the sales and use tax net revenue and other general fund revenue that may be transferred or appropriated to the HUTF and subsequently credited to the state highway fund must be expended for transit purposes of transit-related capital improvements is repealed;
- A transportation options account and a pedestrian and active transportation account are created in the fund and the transportation commission is required to designate the percentages of fund revenue to be credited to each account subject to the limitations that for any given fiscal year no more than 75% of the revenue may be credited to the transportation options account and at least 25% of the revenue must be credited to the pedestrian and active transportation account;
- A multimodal transportation options committee of
gubernatorial appointees representing transit agencies, transportation planning organizations, local governments, and CDOT is created as a type 1 agency within CDOT for the purpose of allocating the money in the transportation options account of the fund for transportation options projects throughout the state. Under the supervision and guidance of the committee, the transit and rail division of CDOT is required to solicit, receive, and evaluate proposed transportation options projects and propose funding for interregional transportation options projects. Any transportation options project receiving funding from the transportation options account of the fund must also be funded by at least an equal total amount of local government, regional transportation authority, or transit agency funding.

CDOT is required to allocate the money in the pedestrian and active transportation account of the fund for projects for transportation infrastructure that is designed for users of nonmotorized mobility-enhancing equipment;

Transfers of 2% of general fund revenue to the HUTF that are scheduled under current law to be made for state fiscal years 2017-18, 2018-19, and 2019-20 are eliminated;

The state road safety surcharges imposed on motor vehicles weighing 10,000 pounds or less are reduced for the same period during which the rates of the state sales and use taxes are increased. The resulting reduction in state fee revenue is taken entirely from the share of such fee revenue that is kept by the state so that county and municipal allocations of such revenue are not reduced.

CDOT must annually report to the joint budget committee, legislative audit committee, house transportation and energy committee, and senate transportation committee regarding its use of TRANs proceeds and must post the reports and certain user-friendly project-specific information on its website; and

The transportation revenue anticipation notes citizen oversight committee is created to provide oversight of the expenditure by the department of the proceeds of additional TRANs. The committee must annually report to the transportation legislation review committee regarding its activities and findings.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:
SECTION 1. Legislative declaration. (1) The general assembly hereby finds and declares that:

(a) It is critical to construct, improve, and maintain transportation infrastructure throughout the state in order to meet the demands created by both current and future statewide economic expansion and population growth;

(b) Sufficient, sustainable, steady, and dedicated funding streams are needed to fund the critical transportation infrastructure construction, improvement, and maintenance that will allow the statewide transportation system to meet both current and future demands;

(c) Current sources of dedicated transportation funding are not generating enough revenue to fund current and future transportation infrastructure needs throughout the state. The state last increased the rates of the taxes on gasoline and special fuel, the largest source of dedicated transportation funding, in the early 1990s, and these taxes do not increase with inflation. As a result, the declining purchasing power of the revenue generated by these taxes has prevented the state's transportation budget from keeping pace with the growing transportation infrastructure needs throughout the state.

(d) An additional source of voter-approved funding for transportation is needed to meet statewide transportation infrastructure funding needs.

(2) The general assembly further finds and declares that all new voter-approved transportation funding will be spent throughout the state to:

(a) Address poor road and bridge conditions like potholes and rough pavement that damage vehicles, require vehicle owners to pay for
expensive vehicle repairs, and increase costs for Colorado families;

(b) Reconstruct and rehabilitate state highways to better maintain them and prevent and avoid costly future repairs;

(c) Support local government efforts to fund local transportation projects that are critical for their communities;

(d) Improve highways to increase their capacity and accommodate population growth;

(e) Provide additional seasonal maintenance on state highways;

(f) Address increased traffic congestion through multimodal transportation options;

(g) Allow the state's growing population of seniors to age in place and provide greater mobility for persons with disabilities; and

(h) Invest in the economic future of the state by providing a modern multimodal statewide transportation system that will support and strengthen the economy of the state and attract more businesses and employers to the state.

SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-75-219, repeal as added by Senate Bill 17-262 (2)(c.3)(I) and (2)(c.7)(I); and add (2)(c.8) as follows:

24-75-219. Transfers - transportation - capital construction - definitions. (2) (c.3) On June 30, 2019, the state treasurer shall transfer:

(I) One hundred sixty million dollars from the general fund to the highway users tax fund; and

(c.7) On June 30, 2020, the state treasurer shall transfer:

(I) One hundred sixty million dollars from the general fund to the highway users tax fund; and
(c.8) On June 30 of each state fiscal year commencing on or after July 1, 2018, but before July 1, 2038, the State Treasurer shall transfer one hundred million dollars from the General Fund to the State Highway Fund created in Section 43-1-219.

SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-92-103.5, add (3.5) as follows:

24-92-103.5. Construction of public projects - competitive sealed best value bidding. (3.5) Notwithstanding subsection (3)(c) of this section or any other provision of this Article 92, if a contract for a transportation project has a total estimated completion cost of fifty million dollars or less and the Department of Transportation uses a competitive sealed best value bidding contract award process for the project, the Department, when determining which of the bidders is providing the best value, shall not penalize any design-build firm that satisfies the level of prequalification required for the project for a lack of experience in completing projects awarded on a best value basis.

SECTION 4. In Colorado Revised Statutes, amend 24-92-107 as follows:

24-92-107. Prequalification of contractors - limitation on shortlisting. Prospective contractors may be prequalified for particular types of construction, and the method of compiling a list of and soliciting from such potential contractors shall be pursuant to rules. In order to lower contracting costs and ensure fair access to contracting opportunities for local contractors and workers and disadvantaged and women-owned business enterprises, rules of
THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THAT GOVERN THE
CONSIDERATION OF SUBMITTALS FOR ANY LEGALLY AUTHORIZED MEANS
OF CONTRACT PROCUREMENT FOR A PROJECT MUST LIMIT THE USE OF
SHORTLISTING BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO CONSIDER, AT A
MINIMUM, THE LESSER OF ALL BIDS OR PROPOSALS SUBMITTED BY
PREQUALIFIED CONTRACTORS OR FIVE BIDS OR PROPOSALS SUBMITTED BY
PREQUALIFIED CONTRACTORS.

SECTION 5. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-26-105, amend
(1)(a)(I)(A) as follows:

39-26-105. Vendor liable for tax - repeal. (1) (a) (I) (A) Except
as provided in sub-subparagraph (B) of this subparagraph (I) and in
subparagraph (II) of this paragraph (a) SUBSECTIONS (1)(a)(I)(B) AND
(1)(a)(II) OF THIS SECTION, every retailer shall, irrespective of the
provisions of section 39-26-106, be liable and responsible for the
payment of an amount equivalent to two and ninety one-hundredths
percent of all sales made on or after January 1, 2001, BUT BEFORE
JANUARY 1, 2018, AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, AND AN AMOUNT
EQUAL TO THREE AND FOUR-TENTHS PERCENT OF ALL SALES MADE ON AND
AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, by the retailer of
commodities or services as specified in section 39-26-104.

SECTION 6. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-26-106, amend
(1) as follows:

39-26-106. Schedule of sales tax. (1) (a) (I) Except as otherwise
provided in subparagraph (II) of this paragraph (a) SUBSECTION (1)(a)(II)
OF THIS SECTION, there is imposed upon all sales of commodities and
services specified in section 39-26-104 a tax at the rate of three TWO AND
NINETY ONE-HUNDREDTHS percent of the amount of the sale, to be computed in accordance with schedules or systems approved by the executive director of the department of revenue. Said THE schedules or systems shall be designed so that no such tax is charged on any sale of seventeen cents or less.

(II) On and after January 1, 2001, but before January 1, 2018, in addition to the tax imposed under subsection (1)(a)(I) of this section, there is imposed upon all sales of commodities and services specified in section 39-26-104 a tax at the rate of two and ninety-one hundredths percent of the amount of the sale to be computed in accordance with schedules or systems approved by the executive director of the department of revenue. Said revenue; except that the tax is not imposed on sales of aviation fuels used in turbo-proPELLER or jet engine aircraft. The schedules or systems shall be designed so that no such tax is charged on any sale of seventeen cents or less.

(b) Notwithstanding the three percent rate provisions of paragraph (a) of this subsection (1), for the period May 1, 1983, through July 31, 1984, the rate of the tax imposed pursuant to this subsection (1) shall be three and one-half percent.

SECTION 7. In Colorado Revised Statutes, amend 39-26-112 as follows:

39-26-112. Excess tax - remittance. If any vendor, during any reporting period, collects as a tax an amount in excess of three percent of all taxable sales made prior to January 1, 2001, and two and ninety-one hundredths percent of all taxable sales made on or after January 1, 2001, such but before January 1, 2018, and on and after January
1, 2038, OR COLLECTS AS A TAX AN AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF THREE AND 
FOUR-TENTHS PERCENT OF ALL TAXABLE SALES MADE ON OR AFTER 
JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, THE vendor shall remit 
to the executive director of the department of revenue the full net amount 
of the tax imposed in this part 1 and also such THE excess. The retention 
by the retailer or vendor of any excess of tax collections over the said 
APPLICABLE percentage of the total taxable sales of such THE retailer or 
vendor or the intentional failure to remit punctually to the executive 
director the full amount required to be remitted by the provisions of this 
part 1 is declared to be unlawful and constitutes a misdemeanor.

SECTION 8. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-26-123, amend 
(3); and add (7) as follows:

39-26-123. Receipts - disposition - transfers of general fund 
surplus - sales tax holding fund - creation - definitions. (3) EXCEPT AS 
OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (7) OF THIS SECTION, for any state 
fiscal year commencing on or after July 1, 2013, the state treasurer shall 
credit eighty-five percent of all net revenue collected under the provisions 
of this article ARTICLE 26 to the old age pension fund created in section 
1 of article XXIV of the state constitution. The state treasurer shall credit 
to the general fund the remaining fifteen percent of the net revenue, less 
ten million dollars, which the state treasurer shall credit to the older 
Coloradans cash fund created in section 26-11-205.5 (5). C.R.S.

(7) (a) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT NET REVENUE 
collected under the provisions of this article 26 that is 
ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE ADDITIONAL SALES AND USE TAXES LEVIED 
pursuant to sections 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) and 39-26-202 (1)(b) AS 
FOLLOWS:
(I) The state treasurer shall credit eighty-five percent of the net revenue collected during each state fiscal year to the highway users tax fund for allocation to the state, counties, and municipalities as specified in sections 43-4-206 (4), 43-4-207 (1) and (2)(b), and 43-4-208 (1) and (6)(a); and

(II) The state treasurer shall credit fifteen percent of the net revenue collected during each state fiscal year to the multimodal transportation options fund, and specifically to the transportation options account and the pedestrian and active transportation account of the fund in the percentages designated by the transportation commission pursuant to section 43-4-1103 (2), for use as authorized by part 11 of article 4 of title 43.

(b) The general assembly hereby finds and declares that because the sales and use tax revenue generated by the sales and use taxes levied pursuant to sections 39-26-106 (1)(a)(I) and 39-26-202 (1)(a) is sufficient to fully fund the old age pension fund as required by article XXIV of the state constitution, the state may constitutionally credit all revenue generated by the additional sales and use taxes levied pursuant to sections 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) and 39-26-202 (1)(b) to the highway users tax fund and the multimodal transportation options fund in the manner specified in subsection (7)(a) of this section.

SECTION 9. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-26-202, amend (1)(a) and (1)(b); and repeal (2) as follows:

39-26-202. Authorization of tax. (1) (a) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (b) of this subsection (1) and in subsection (3)
SUBSECTIONS (1)(b) AND (3) OF THIS SECTION, THERE IS IMPOSED AND SHALL BE COLLECTED FROM EVERY PERSON IN THIS STATE A TAX OR EXCISE AT THE RATE OF THREE TWO AND NINETY ONE-HUNDREDTHS PERCENT OF STORAGE OR ACQUISITION CHARGES OR COSTS FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF STORING, USING, OR CONSUMING IN THIS STATE ANY ARTICLES OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED AT RETAIL.

(b) ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2001, JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, IN ADDITION TO THE TAX IMPOSED UNDER SUBSECTION (1)(a) OF THIS SECTION, THERE IS IMPOSED AND SHALL BE COLLECTED FROM EVERY PERSON IN THIS STATE A TAX OR EXCISE AT THE RATE OF TWO AND NINETY ONE-HUNDREDTHS PERCENT OF STORAGE OR ACQUISITION CHARGES OR COSTS FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF STORING, USING, OR CONSUMING IN THIS STATE ANY ARTICLES OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED AT RETAIL; EXCEPT THAT THE TAX OR EXCISE IS NOT IMPOSED ON STORAGE OR ACQUISITION CHARGES OR COSTS FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF STORING, USING, OR CONSUMING IN THIS STATE ANY AVIATION FUELS USED IN TURBO-PROPELLER OR JET ENGINE AIRCRAFT PURCHASED AT RETAIL.

(2) NOTWITHSTANDING THE THREE-PERCENT RATE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION, FOR THE PERIOD MAY 1, 1983, THROUGH JULY 31, 1984, THE RATE OF THE TAX IMPOSED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE THREE AND ONE-HALF PERCENT.

SECTION 10. IN COLORADO REVISED STATUTES, 39-28.8-501, AMEND (1) AS FOLLOWS:

39-28.8-501. MARIJUANA TAX CASH FUND - CREATION - DISTRIBUTION - LEGISLATIVE DECLARATION. (1) THE MARIJUANA TAX CASH FUND, REFERRED TO IN THIS PART 5 AS THE "FUND", IS CREATED IN THE STATE TREASURY. THE FUND CONSISTS OF ANY APPLICABLE RETAIL MARIJUANA SALES TAX TRANSFERRED PURSUANT TO SECTION 39-28.8-203 (1)(b) ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2014, AND ANY REVENUES
transferred to the fund from any sales tax imposed pursuant to section 39-26-106 (1)(a)(I) on the retail sale of products under articles 43.3 and 43.4 of title 12, C.R.S.

SECTION 11. In Colorado Revised Statutes, repeal as amended by House Bill 17-1107 42-3-112.

SECTION 12. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1104, amend (1)(b) and (2) as follows:

43-1-1104. Transportation advisory committee. (1)(b) No later than three months after May 20, 2009, the executive director, in consultation with the commission, shall appoint a special interim transit and rail advisory committee to specifically advise the commission and the executive director regarding the initial focus of the transit and rail division created in section 43-1-117.5 and to recommend a long-term advisory structure, including the advisory structure's purpose and role, in support of the transit and rail-related functions of the department. The special interim transit and rail advisory committee shall include such representatives of industries and other groups interested in transit and rail issues and such other individuals as the executive director, in consultation with the commission, deems appropriate; except that the committee shall include, at a minimum, one or more:

(I) Representatives of transit operators;

(II) Representatives of class I railroads;

(III) Representatives of short line railroads; and

(IV) Representatives of entities or interest groups involved in the promotion, planning, or development of passenger rail systems;

(V) REPRESENTATIVES OF METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS;
(VI) REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS;

(VII) ADVOCATES FOR AFFORDABLE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS;

(VIII) PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO ADVOCATE FOR PERSONS
WITH ALL TYPES OF DISABILITIES; AND

(IX) ADVOCATES FOR BICYCLISTS AND PEDESTRIANS.

(2) The committee shall provide advice to both the department and
the commission on the needs of the transportation systems in Colorado,
including but not limited to budgets, transportation improvement
programs, the statewide transportation improvement program,
transportation plans, and state transportation policies, and shall review
and provide comment to both the department and the commission on all
regional transportation plans submitted for the transportation planning
regions, AND SHALL OVERSEE THE ALLOCATION OF MONEY IN THE
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF THE MULTIMODAL
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND CREATED IN SECTION 43-4-1103 (1) AS
SPECIFIED IN PART 11 OF ARTICLE 4 OF THIS TITLE 43. The activities of the
committee shall not be construed to DO NOT constrain or replace the
county hearing process.

SECTION 13. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-117.5, amend
(3)(a) introductory portion, (3)(a)(VI), and (3)(a)(VII); and add
(3)(a)(VIII) as follows:

43-1-117.5. Transit and rail division - created - powers and
duties. (3) (a) The transit and rail division shall be responsible for the
planning, development, operation, and integration of transit and rail,
including, where appropriate, advanced guideway systems, into the
statewide transportation system AND shall, in coordination with other
transit and rail providers, plan, promote, and implement investments in
transit and rail services statewide. and shall have the following specific powers and duties:

(VI) To support the department in representing the state with respect to the development of intercity rail facilities, including but not limited to submission of applications to the United States department of transportation for approval and funding of high-speed rail projects, commissioning of any necessary studies, and coordination with other states to facilitate such applications; and

(VII) To coordinate and cooperate with regional transportation authorities created pursuant to part 6 of article 4 of this title TITLE 43 and other regional or corridor-specific entities concerned with the planning, development, operation, and integration of transit, passenger rail, or advanced guideway systems in the statewide transportation system; AND

(VIII) As directed by and under the supervision of the TRANSIT AND RAIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 43-1-1104 (1), TO ASSIST THE COMMITTEE IN DETERMINING THE ALLOCATION OF MONEY IN THE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF THE MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND CREATED IN SECTION 43-4-1103 (2) BY SOLICITING, RECEIVING, AND EVALUATING APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECT FUNDING FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND TRANSIT AGENCIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE AND PROPOSING FUNDING FOR INTERREGIONAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS.

SECTION 14. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-123, add (2.5) as follows:

43-1-123. Project closure and project reporting requirements. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF STATE LAW AND IN ADDITION TO THE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED PURSUANT TO
SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION, FOR ANY TRANSPORTATION PROJECT FOR
WHICH THE DEPARTMENT AWARDS A CONTRACT BASED ON BEST VALUE
SELECTION ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2018, THE DEPARTMENT, IN ORDER TO
PROVIDE INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC AND IMPROVE THE TRANSPARENCY
OF ITS PROPOSAL SOLICITATION AND CONTRACT AWARD PROCESS FOR
TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, SHALL:

(a) REPORT ON ITS PUBLIC WEBSITE WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF THE
CONTRACT AWARD AND MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE FOR AT LEAST ONE
YEAR THEREAFTER AN EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF ALL PROPOSALS
SUBMITTED IN RESPONSE TO ITS SOLICITATION OF PROPOSALS FOR THE
PROJECT;

(b) MAKE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW AND REPRODUCTION AT THE
DEPARTMENT’S HEADQUARTERS FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST ONE YEAR
FOLLOWING THE DATE OF THE CONTRACT AWARD THE DEPARTMENT’S
SCORING OF ALL PROPOSALS SUBMITTED IN RESPONSE TO ITS SOLICITATION
OF PROPOSALS FOR THE PROJECT; AND

(c) MAKE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW ONLY AT THE DEPARTMENT’S
HEADQUARTERS FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST ONE YEAR FOLLOWING THE
DATE OF THE CONTRACT AWARD THE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS AND
PROPOSALS FOR EACH PERSON THAT SUBMITTED A PROPOSAL IN RESPONSE
TO THE DEPARTMENT’S SOLICITATION OF PROPOSALS FOR THE PROJECT;
EXCEPT THAT THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOT MAKE ANY SPECIFIC
CORPORATE FINANCIAL INFORMATION SUBMITTED AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW.

SECTION 15. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 43-1-125 as
follows:

43-1-125. Study of high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) and
high-occupancy toll (HOT) lanes - report required. (1) NO LATER

(a) CONVERSION OF HIGH-OCCUPANCY VEHICLE AND HIGH-OCCUPANCY TOLL LANES FOR WHICH FREE USE BY A MOTOR VEHICLE REQUIRES OCCUPANCY BY THREE OR MORE INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING THE DRIVER, TO FREE USE BY VEHICLES OCCUPIED BY TWO OR MORE INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING THE DRIVER, OR BY ONLY ONE INDIVIDUAL; AND

(b) MORE FLEXIBLE USE OF HIGH-OCCUPANCY VEHICLE AND HIGH-OCCUPANCY TOLL LANES FOR WHICH FREE USE BY A MOTOR VEHICLE GENERALLY REQUIRES OCCUPANCY BY THREE OR MORE INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING THE DRIVER, TO ALLOW FREE USE BY VEHICLES OCCUPIED BY TWO OR MORE INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING THE DRIVER, OR BY ONLY ONE INDIVIDUAL, AT CERTAIN TIMES, ON THE BASIS OF CERTAIN TRAFFIC CONDITIONS, OR ON OTHER APPROPRIATE GROUNDS.

SECTION 16. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1406, add (6) as follows:

THAT HAVE SUBMITTED STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS ARE THE MOST HIGHLY QUALIFIED AND MAY RESPOND TO A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE TRANSPORTATION PROJECT OR WHEN DETERMINING WHICH DESIGN-BUILD FIRM THAT HAS MADE A RESPONSIVE PROPOSAL IS PROVIDING THE BEST VALUE, SHALL NOT PENALIZE ANY DESIGN-BUILD FIRM THAT SATISFIES THE LEVEL OF PREQUALIFICATION REQUIRED FOR THE PROJECT FOR A LACK OF EXPERIENCE IN COMPLETING PROJECTS AWARDED ON A DESIGN-BUILD BASIS.

SECTION 17. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-205, amend (6.3) as follows:

43-4-205. Allocation of fund. (6.3) (a) Revenues BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2018, AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2038, REVENUE from the surcharges, fees, and fines credited to the highway users tax fund pursuant to section 43-4-804 (1) shall be allocated and expended in accordance with the formula specified in paragraph (b) of subsection (6) SUBSECTION (6)(b) of this section.

(b) ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, REVENUE FROM THE SURCHARGES, FEES, AND FINES CREDITED TO THE HIGHWAY USERS TAX FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-804 (1)(a)(I)(D), (1)(a)(I)(E), (1)(b), (1)(c), (1)(d), AND (1)(e) SHALL BE ALLOCATED AND EXPENDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FORMULA SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (6)(b) OF THIS SECTION AND REVENUE FROM THE ROAD SAFETY SURCHARGE CREDITED TO THE HIGHWAY USERS TAX FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-804 (1)(a)(I)(A), (1)(a)(I)(B), AND (1)(a)(I)(C) SHALL BE ALLOCATED AND EXPENDED AS FOLLOWS:

(I) FIFTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE REVENUE SHALL BE PAID TO THE COUNTY TREASURERS OF THE RESPECTIVE COUNTIES, SUBJECT TO ANNUAL
APPROPRIATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND SHALL BE ALLOCATED AND EXPENDED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 43-4-207; AND

(II) Forty-five percent of the revenue shall be paid to the cities and incorporated towns, subject to annual appropriation by the general assembly, and shall be allocated and expended as provided in section 43-4-208 (2)(b) and (6)(a).

SECTION 18. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-206, amend (1) introductory portion, (2)(a), (2)(b), and (3); and add (4) and (5) as follows:

43-4-206. State allocation. (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (2) subsections (2), (3), and (4) of this section, after paying the costs of the Colorado state patrol and such any other costs of the department, exclusive of highway construction, highway improvements, or highway maintenance, as that are appropriated by the general assembly, sixty-five percent of the balance of money in the highway users tax fund shall be paid to the state highway fund in accordance with section 43-4-205 and shall be expended for the following purposes:

(2) (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) of this section, the revenues revenue accrued to and transferred to the highway users tax fund pursuant to section 39-26-123 (4)(a) or 24-75-219, C.R.S., or appropriated to the highway users tax fund pursuant to House Bill 02-1389, enacted at the second regular session of the sixty-third general assembly, and credited to the state highway fund pursuant to section 43-4-205 (6.5) shall be expended by the department of transportation for the implementation of the strategic transportation project investment program. in the following manner:
(I) No more than ninety percent of such revenues shall be expended for highway purposes or highway-related capital improvements, including, but not limited to, high occupancy vehicle lanes, park-and-ride facilities, and transportation management systems, and at least ten percent of such revenues shall be expended for transit purposes or for transit-related capital improvements.

(II) (Deleted by amendment, L. 2000, p. 1741, § 1, effective June 1, 2000.)

(b) Beginning in 1998, the department of transportation shall report annually to the transportation committee of the senate and the transportation and energy committee of the house of representatives concerning the revenues expended by the department pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subsection (2) and, beginning in 2018, subsection (4) of this section. The department shall present the report at the joint meeting required under section 43-1-113 (9)(a) and the report shall describe for each fiscal year, if applicable:

(I) The projects on which the revenues credited to the state highway fund pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subsection (2) are to be expended, including the estimated cost of each project, the aggregate amount of revenue actually spent on each project, and the amount of revenue allocated for each project in such fiscal year. The department of transportation shall submit a prioritized list of such projects as part of the report.

(II) The status of such projects that the department has undertaken in any previous fiscal year;

(III) The projected amount of revenue that the department expects
to receive under this subsection (2) AND SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION during such THE fiscal year;

(IV) The amount of revenue that the department has already received under this subsection (2) AND SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION during such THE fiscal year; and

(V) How the revenues EXPENDED under this subsection (2) during such THE fiscal year relate RELATES to the total funding of the FEDERAL AID TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, INCLUDING MULTIMODAL CAPITAL PROJECTS, THAT ARE INCLUDED IN THE strategic transportation project investment program.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) of this section, the revenues THE REVENUE credited to the highway users tax fund pursuant to section 43-4-205 (6.3) shall be expended by the department of transportation only for road safety projects, as defined in section 43-4-803 (21); except that the department shall, in furtherance of its duty to supervise state highways and as a consequence in compliance with section 43-4-810, expend ten million dollars per year of the revenues for the planning, designing, engineering, acquisition, installation, construction, repair, reconstruction, maintenance, operation, or administration of transit-related projects, including, but not limited to, designated bicycle or pedestrian lanes of highway and infrastructure needed to integrate different transportation modes within a multimodal transportation system, that enhance the safety of state highways for transit users.

(4) SUBJECT TO THE LIMITATION SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (5) OF THIS SECTION, FORTY-ONE AND TWO-TENTHS PERCENT OF THE NET REVENUE THAT IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE ADDITIONAL SALES AND USE
TAXES LEVIED PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) AND
39-26-202 (1)(b) AND THAT THE STATE TREASURER CREDITS TO THE
HIGHWAY USERS TAX FUND AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 39-26-123 (7)(a)
SHALL BE PAID TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND AND EXPENDED BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AS FAR AS:

(a) As much of the revenue as is needed to make full
payments of amounts allocated by the transportation
commission on an annual basis pursuant to section 43-1-113 shall
be expended to make payments on revenue anticipation notes
issued pursuant to section 43-4-705 (13)(b); and

(b) Any remaining revenue may be expended only for
qualified federal aid transportation projects, including
multimodal capital projects, that are designated for Tier 1
funding as ten-year development program projects on the
department’s 2017 development program project list, until all of
the projects have been funded in whole or in part with such
revenue and all of the projects are fully funded, for Tier 2
funding for such projects thereafter, and for maintenance,
including rapid response maintenance, of state highways.

(5) The department of transportation shall not expend
net revenue that is credited to the state highway fund pursuant
to subsection (4) of this section to support toll highways. The
department shall not expend such net revenue to support toll
lane construction or maintenance unless:

(a) (I) A federal record of decision has been issued as of
the effective date of this subsection (5)(a)(I); and
(II) The record of decision included planning stages in which the department solicited and received meaningful public participation and input; or

(b) Toll revenue is not collected for the singular or primary purpose of revenue generation;

(c) Toll revenue collection is utilized as a mechanism to increase travel time reliability and mitigate congestion;

(d) The project contains one or more multimodal or alternative modes of travel for nontoll paying persons, including bus rapid transit, interregional bus service, local bus service, or high-occupancy passenger vehicles;

(e) Toll revenue remains on the corridor in which it was raised and is expended by the department only for maintenance, operations, or construction of mobility improvements; and

(f) The toll lane is constructed adjacent to one or more untolled lanes, and the addition of the toll lane will result in demonstrably lower congestion in the untolled lanes.

SECTION 19. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-207, amend (1), (2) introductory portion, and (2)(b) introductory portion as follows:

43-4-207. County allocation. (1) After paying the costs of the Colorado state patrol and such any other costs of the department, exclusive of highway construction, highway improvements, or highway maintenance, as that are appropriated by the general assembly, twenty-six percent of the balance of the highway users tax fund the revenue required by section 43-4-205 to be paid from the highway users tax fund to the county treasurers of the respective counties and fifty percent of the net revenue that is
ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE ADDITIONAL SALES AND USE TAXES LEVIED PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) AND 39-26-202 (1)(b), THAT THE STATE TREASURER CREDITS TO THE HIGHWAY USERS TAX FUND AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 39-26-123 (7)(a), AND THAT REMAINS AFTER THE PAYMENT OF SUCH REVENUE TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND REQUIRED BY SECTION 43-4-206 (4) IS MADE shall be paid to the county treasurers of the respective counties, subject to annual appropriation by the general assembly, and shall be allocated and expended as provided in this section. The moneys thus received shall be allocated to the counties as provided by law and shall be expended by the counties only on the construction, engineering, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, equipment, improvement, and administration of the county highway systems and any other public highways, including any state highways, together with acquisition of rights-of-way and access rights for the same, for the planning, designing, engineering, acquisition, installation, construction, repair, reconstruction, maintenance, operation, or administration of transit-related projects, including, but not limited to, designated bicycle or pedestrian lanes of highway and infrastructure needed to integrate different transportation modes within a multimodal transportation system, AS MATCHING MONEY FOR PROJECTS RECEIVING FUNDING FROM THE MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND PURSUANT TO EITHER SECTIONS 43-4-1103 (3)(a) AND 43-4-1104 (1)(c) OR SECTION 43-4-1103 (3)(b), and for no other purpose; except that a county may expend no more than fifteen percent of the total amount expended under this subsection (1) for transit-related operational purposes and except that moneys MONEY received pursuant to section 43-4-205 (6.3) shall be expended by the counties only for road safety projects, as defined.
in section 43-4-803 (21). The amount to be expended for administrative purposes shall not exceed five percent of each county's share of the funds available.

(2) For the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1989, and each fiscal year thereafter, for the purpose of allocating money in the highway users tax fund to the various counties throughout the state, the following method is hereby adopted:

(b) All money credited to the fund in excess of eighty-six million seven hundred thousand dollars shall be and all money credited to the fund as required by section 39-26-123 (7)(a) that is required by subsection (1) of this section to be paid to the county treasurers of the respective counties is allocated to the counties in the following manner:

SECTION 20. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-208, amend (1), (2) introductory portion, (2)(a), and (6)(a) as follows:

43-4-208. Municipal allocation. (1) After paying the costs of the Colorado state patrol and any other costs of the department, exclusive of highway construction, highway improvements, or highway maintenance, as that are appropriated by the general assembly, and making allocation as provided by sections 43-4-206 and 43-4-207, the remaining nine percent of the highway users tax fund, the revenue required by section 43-4-205 to be paid from the highway users tax fund to cities and incorporated towns and fifty percent of the net revenue that is attributable to the additional sales and use taxes levied pursuant to sections 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) and 39-26-202 (1)(b), that the state treasurer credits to the highway users tax fund as required by section 39-26-123 (7)(a), and that
REMAINS AFTER THE PAYMENT OF SUCH REVENUE TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND REQUIRED BY SECTION 43-4-206 (4) IS MADE shall be paid to the cities and incorporated towns within the limits of the respective counties, subject to annual appropriation by the general assembly, and shall be allocated and expended as provided in this section. Each city treasurer shall account for the moneys thus received as provided in this part 2. Moneys so allocated shall be expended by the cities and incorporated towns for the construction, engineering, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, equipment, improvement, and administration of the system of streets of such city or incorporated town or of any public highways located within such city or incorporated town, including any state highways, together with the acquisition of rights-of-way and access rights for the same, and for the planning, designing, engineering, acquisition, installation, construction, repair, reconstruction, maintenance, operation, or administration of transit-related projects, including, but not limited to, designated bicycle or pedestrian lanes of highway and infrastructure needed to integrate different transportation modes within a multimodal transportation system, AS MATCHING MONEY FOR PROJECTS RECEIVING FUNDING FROM THE MULTIModal TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND PURSUANT TO EITHER SECTIONS 43-4-1103 (3)(a) AND 43-4-1104 (1)(c) OR SECTION 43-4-1103 (3)(b), and for no other purpose; except that a city or an incorporated town may expend no more than fifteen percent of the total amount expended under this subsection (1) for transit-related operational purposes and except that money paid to the cities and incorporated towns pursuant to section 43-4-205 (6.3) shall be expended by the cities and incorporated towns only for road safety projects, as defined in section 43-4-803 (21). The amount to be expended for
administrative purposes shall not exceed five percent of each city's share of the funds available.

(2) For the purpose of allocating money in the highway users tax fund to the various cities and incorporated towns throughout the state, the following method is adopted:

(a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (6) of this section, eighty percent shall be allocated to the cities and incorporated towns in proportion to the adjusted urban motor vehicle registration in each city and incorporated town. The term "urban motor vehicle registration" includes all passenger, truck, truck-tractor, and motorcycle registrations. The number of registrations used in computing the percentage shall be those certified to the state treasurer by the department of revenue as constituting the urban motor vehicle registration for the last preceding year. The adjusted registration shall be computed by applying a factor to the actual number of such registrations to reflect the increased standards and costs of construction resulting from the concentration of vehicles in cities and incorporated places. For this purpose the following table of actual registration numbers and factors shall be employed:

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(6) (a) In addition to the provisions of subsection (2)(a) of this section, on or after July 1, 1979, eighty percent of all additional funds money becoming available to cities and incorporated towns from the highway user's tax fund pursuant to sections 24-75-215 C.R.S. and 43-4-205 (6)(b)(III) and (6)(c) and, on and after January 1, 2018, eighty percent of the money credited to the highway user's tax fund as required by section 39-26-123 (7)(a) that is required by subsection (1) of this section to be paid to the cities and incorporated towns within the limits of the respective counties shall be allocated to the cities and incorporated towns in proportion to the adjusted urban motor vehicle registration in each city and incorporated town. The term "urban motor vehicle registration", as used in this section, includes all passenger, truck, truck-tractor, and motorcycle registrations. The number of registrations used in computing the percentage shall be those certified to the state treasurer by the department of revenue as constituting the urban motor vehicle registration for the last preceding year. The adjusted registration shall be computed by applying a factor to the actual number of such registrations to reflect the increased standards and costs of construction resulting from the concentration of vehicles in cities and incorporated places. For this purpose the following table of actual registration numbers and factors shall be employed:

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SECTION 21. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-705, amend (13) as follows:

43-4-705. Revenue anticipation notes - repeal.

(13) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this part 7 to the contrary, the executive director shall have the authority to issue revenue anticipation notes pursuant to this part 7 only if voters statewide approve the ballot question submitted at the November, 1999, statewide election pursuant to section 43-4-703 (1) and only then to the extent allowed under
the maximum amounts of debt and repayment cost so approved.

(b) (I)  AFTER THE REPAYMENT IN FULL OF ALL REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES ISSUED AS AUTHORIZED BY SUBSECTION (13)(a) OF THIS SECTION, AND UPON VOTER APPROVAL OF THE BALLOT ISSUE SUBMITTED AT THE NOVEMBER 2017 STATEWIDE ELECTION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (13)(b)(III) OF THIS SECTION AND THE REPAYMENT FUNDING COMMITMENT REQUIREMENT SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (13)(b)(II) OF THIS SECTION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL ISSUE ADDITIONAL REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES IN A MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF THREE AND ONE-HALF BILLION DOLLARS AND WITH A MAXIMUM REPAYMENT COST OF FIVE BILLION FIVE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS. THE MAXIMUM REPAYMENT TERM FOR ANY NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (13)(b) IS TWENTY YEARS, AND THE CERTIFICATE, TRUST INDENTURE, OR OTHER INSTRUMENT AUTHORIZING THEIR ISSUANCE SHALL PROVIDE THAT THE STATE MAY PAY THE NOTES IN FULL OR IN PART BEFORE THE END OF THE SPECIFIED PAYMENT TERM NO LATER THAN TEN YEARS AFTER THEIR ISSUANCE WITHOUT PENALTY.

(II) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 43-1-113 (19) AND SUBSECTION (12)(a) OF THIS SECTION, BEFORE ISSUING ANY REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES AS AUTHORIZED BY SUBSECTION (13)(b)(I) OF THIS SECTION, THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION SHALL ADOPT A RESOLUTION IN WHICH IT COVENANTS THAT AMOUNTS IT ALLOCATES ON AN ANNUAL BASIS PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-1-113 TO PAY THE REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES WILL BE PAID AS FOLLOWS: FIRST, FROM THE MONEY TRANSFERRED FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND ON JUNE 30 OF THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-75-219 (2)(c.8) UNTIL ALL OF THE MONEY TRANSFERRED IS PAID; NEXT, FROM ANY LEGALLY
AVAILABLE MONEY UNDER ITS CONTROL OTHER THAN SALES AND USE TAX NET REVENUE CREDITED TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-206 (4) UNTIL FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS IS PAID; NEXT, FROM SALES AND USE TAX NET REVENUE CREDITED TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-206 (4); AND, IF SUCH REVENUE IS INSUFFICIENT, LAST, FROM ANY OTHER LEGALLY AVAILABLE MONEY UNDER ITS CONTROL ANY AMOUNT NEEDED FOR PAYMENT OF THE NOTES UNTIL THE NOTES ARE FULLY REPAID.

(III) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL SUBMIT TO THE REGISTERED ELECTORS OF THE STATE FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION AT THE STATEWIDE ELECTION HELD IN NOVEMBER 2017 THE FOLLOWING BALLOT ISSUE: "SHALL STATE TAXES BE INCREASED BY FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SIX MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ANNUALLY AND TEMPORARILY TO PAY FOR STATE AND LOCAL TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, INCLUDING FUNDING LOCAL CITY AND COUNTY PRIORITIES, MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY ROADS, STATE HIGHWAYS, INTERSTATE HIGHWAYS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO I-25 AND I-70, AFFORDABLE AND ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FOR SENIORS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES, BUS AND RAIL SERVICE, RAPID RESPONSE MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS, AND TO ENHANCE MOBILITY AND SAFETY FOR ALL COLORADANS, BY A STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATE INCREASE OF 0.50% WITH THE EXCEPTION OF FOOD, MEDICINE, UTILITIES, AND GAS, WHICH WILL BE EXEMPT, FOR THE TWENTY-YEAR PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2018, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2037; SHALL STATE DEBT BE INCREASED UP TO $3,500,000,000, WITH A MAXIMUM REPAYMENT COST OF $5,500,000,000 BY THE ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL TRANSPORTATION REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES SOLELY TO FUND SPECIFIED HIGH-PRIORITY
TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS IN ALL AREAS OF THE STATE; AND SHALL ALL
REVENUE FROM THE TAX RATE INCREASE IN THE STATED AMOUNT IN THE
FIRST FULL FISCAL YEAR AND IN WHATEVER AMOUNTS ARE COLLECTED IN
FUTURE FISCAL YEARS BY IMPOSITION OF THE 0.50% SALES TAX RATE
INCREASE AND EARNINGS ON SUCH REVENUES AND ON PROCEEDS OF THE
NOTES BE RETAINED AND SPENT AS A VOTER-APPROVED REVENUE
CHANGE?"

(IV) WITHIN FORTY-FIVE DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
SUBSECTION (13)(b)(IV), THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE TO THE
DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL THE MOST RECENT
AVAILABLE LIST OF QUALIFIED FEDERAL AID TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS,
INCLUDING MULTIMODAL CAPITAL PROJECTS, THAT ARE DESIGNATED FOR
TIER 1 FUNDING AS TEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM PROJECTS ON THE
DEPARTMENT'S 2017 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM PROJECT LIST AND THAT
THE DEPARTMENT WILL FUND WITH PROCEEDS OF ANY ADDITIONAL
REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES ISSUED AS AUTHORIZED BY THIS
SUBSECTION (13)(b). IN ORDER TO FULLY INFORM THE VOTERS OF THE
STATE CONCERNING THE PROJECTS TO BE FUNDED WITH PROCEEDS OF ANY
SUCH ADDITIONAL REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES BEFORE THE VOTERS
VOTE ON THE BALLOT QUESTION SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (13)(b)(III) OF
THIS SECTION, THE DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH SHALL PUBLISH THE LIST,
INCLUDING ANY SUBSEQUENT UPDATES TO THE LIST MADE BEFORE FINAL
APPROVAL BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE 2017 BALLOT
INFORMATION BOOKLET PREPARED PURSUANT TO SECTION 1-40-124.5,
WHICH UPDATES THE DEPARTMENT SHALL EXPEDITIOUSLY PROVIDE TO THE
DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH, IN THE BALLOT INFORMATION BOOKLET.

(V) (A) IF A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTORS VOTING ON THE BALLOT
ISSUE IN SUBSECTION (13)(b)(III) OF THIS SECTION VOTE "NO/AGAINST", then this subsection (13)(b) is repealed, effective January 1, 2018.

(B) If a majority of the electors voting on the ballot issue in subsection (13)(b)(III) of this section vote "YES/FOR", then this subsection (13)(b)(V) is repealed, effective January 1, 2018.

SECTION 22. In Colorado Revised Statutes, amend 43-4-713 as follows:

43-4-713. Annual reports - provision of information of website. (1) No later than January 15, 2001 January 15, 2019, and no later than January 15 of each year thereafter, the executive director shall submit a report to the members of the joint budget committee of the general assembly, the members of the legislative audit committee of the general assembly, the chair of the transportation and energy committee of the house of representatives, and the chair of the transportation committee of the senate that includes, at a minimum, the following information:

(a) The total amount of additional revenue anticipation notes issued by the executive director in accordance with this part as authorized by section 43-4-705 (13)(b);

(b) The qualified federal aid transportation projects, including multimodal capital projects, that are on the department's priority list for transportation funding and for which the proceeds from such the additional revenue anticipation notes have been expended, the amount of note proceeds expended on each project, the status of each project, the actual cost of each completed project and a comparison of the actual cost with the estimated cost published in the 2017 ballot information booklet as required by section 43-4-705 (13)(b)(IV), and the estimated date of completion for
such ANY projects not yet completed;

(c) The total amount of federal transportation funds paid to the
department since such THE ADDITIONAL revenue anticipation notes have
been WERE issued; and

(d) The total amount of proceeds from the issuance of THE
ADDITIONAL revenue anticipation notes, state matching funds, and federal
transportation funds allocated by the commission in each state fiscal year
for the payment of such THE ADDITIONAL revenue anticipation notes and
the costs associated with the issuance and administration of such notes.

(2) IN ADDITION TO POSTING AND MAINTAINING THE ANNUAL
REPORTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION ON ITS WEBSITE,
THE DEPARTMENT SHALL POST AND MAINTAIN ON ITS WEBSITE IN AN
EASILY ACCESSIBLE AND USER-FRIENDLY FORMAT, AND REGULARLY
UPDATE, THE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE INCLUDED IN ITS ANNUAL
REPORTS PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (1)(b) OF THIS SECTION.

(3) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 24-1-136 (11)(a), THE REPORTING
REQUIREMENT SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION CONTINUES
UNTIL THE YEAR FOLLOWING THE YEAR IN WHICH THE LAST PAYMENT ON
ADDITIONAL REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES ISSUED AS AUTHORIZED BY
SECTION 43-4-705 (13)(b) IS MADE.

SECTION 23. In Colorado Revised Statutes, amend 43-4-714 as
follows:

43-4-714. Priority of strategic transportation project
investment program. (1) If the executive director issues any revenue
anticipation notes in accordance with the provisions of this part 7, the
proceeds from the sale of such notes that are not otherwise pledged for
the payment of such notes shall be used for the qualified federal aid
transportation projects included in the strategic transportation project investment program of the department of transportation.

(2) IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENT SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION, PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF ANY ADDITIONAL REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES THAT THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ISSUES PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-705 (13)(b) THAT ARE NOT OTHERWISE PLEDGED FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE NOTES AND REVENUE GENERATED BY ANY ADDITIONAL STATE SALES AND USE TAX THAT IS ALLOCATED TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-206 (4) IN EXCESS OF AMOUNTS NEEDED FOR PAYMENT OF THE NOTES MAY BE USED ONLY FOR QUALIFIED FEDERAL AID TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, INCLUDING MULTIMODAL CAPITAL PROJECTS, THAT ARE DESIGNATED FOR TIER 1 FUNDING AS TEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM PROJECTS ON THE DEPARTMENT’S 2017 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM PROJECT LIST, UNTIL ALL OF THE PROJECTS HAVE BEEN FUNDED IN WHOLE OR IN PART WITH SUCH PROCEEDS AND REVENUE AND ALL OF THE PROJECTS ARE FULLY FUNDED, FOR TIER 2 FUNDING FOR SUCH PROJECTS THEREAFTER, AND FOR MAINTENANCE, INCLUDING RAPID RESPONSE MAINTENANCE, OF STATE HIGHWAYS.

SECTION 24. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 43-4-714.5 as follows:

43-4-714.5. Transportation revenue anticipation notes citizen oversight committee - creation - appointment of members - charge - report. (1) (a) The transportation revenue anticipation notes citizen oversight committee is hereby created to provide oversight of the expenditure by the department of the proceeds of additional revenue anticipation notes issued as authorized by
SECTION 43-4-705 (13)(b). THE COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S DESIGNEE AND FOURTEEN APPOINTED MEMBERS. THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES SHALL GIVE CONSIDERATION TO THE GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY OF THE COMMITTEE WHEN MAKING APPOINTMENTS AND SHALL SPECIFICALLY ENSURE THAT THE WESTERN SLOPE AND EASTERN PLAINS ARE REPRESENTED ON THE COMMITTEE. COMMITTEE MEMBERS MUST BE APPOINTED AS FOLLOWS:

(I) THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT SIX MEMBERS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM HAS PROFESSIONAL FINANCE EXPERIENCE, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM IS A LICENSED CIVIL ENGINEER, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM IS AN ADVOCATE FOR AFFORDABLE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM IS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TRUCKING INDUSTRY, AND AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM IS A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT. NO MORE THAN FOUR OF THE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR SHALL BE AFFILIATED WITH THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY;

(II) THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL APPOINT TWO MEMBERS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM MUST BE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY WHO ADVOCATES FOR PERSONS WITH ALL TYPES OF DISABILITIES;

(III) THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE SHALL APPOINT TWO MEMBERS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM MUST BE A CONTRACTOR WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING ON TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS;

(IV) THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL APPOINT TWO MEMBERS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM MUST BE A LICENSED ATTORNEY; AND

(V) THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE SHALL APPOINT TWO MEMBERS, AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM MUST REPRESENT OR ADVOCATE FOR
TRANSIT PROVIDERS.

(b) Committee members serve for four-year terms and may be removed for cause by the appointing authority; except that the initial terms of three of the members appointed by the governor, and one of the members appointed by each of the other appointing authorities, as designated by the governor or other appointing authority, are two years. Committee members receive no compensation or reimbursement for their service on the committee.

(2) The committee shall meet at least four times per year, and the charge of the committee is to specifically examine the expenditure by the department of any proceeds of transportation revenue anticipation notes issued as authorized by Section 43-4-705(13)(b) and any additional state sales and use tax revenue that is allocated to the state highway fund pursuant to Section 43-4-206(4) and verify that such note proceeds and tax revenue are expended:

(a) in compliance with the requirements of Section 43-4-714(2);

(b) for the purpose of funding projects listed in the 2017 ballot information booklet prepared by the director of research of the legislative council as required by Section 43-4-705(13)(b)(IV); and

(c) appropriately, transparently, effectively, and efficiently.
(3) (a) The committee shall annually report to the
transportation legislation review committee created in section
43-2-145 regarding its activities and findings.

(b) Notwithstanding section 24-1-136(11)(a), the reporting
requirement specified in subsection (3)(a) of this section
continues until the year following the year in which the last
payment on additional revenue anticipation notes issued as
authorized by section 43-4-705 (13)(b) is made.

SECTION 25. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-804, amend
(1)(a)(I) introductory portion, (1)(a)(I)(A), (1)(a)(I)(B), and (1)(a)(I)(C);
and repeal (1)(e) as follows:

43-4-804. Highway safety projects - surcharges and fees -
crediting of money to highway users tax fund - definition. (1) On and
after July 1, 2009, the following surcharges, fees, and fines shall be
collected and credited to the highway users tax fund created in section
43-4-201 (1)(a) and allocated to the state highway fund, counties, and
municipalities as specified in section 43-4-205 (6.3):

(a) (I) A road safety surcharge, which, except as otherwise
provided in subparagraphs (III) and (VI) of this paragraph (a)
subsections (1)(a)(III) and (1)(a)(VI) of this section, shall be imposed
for any registration period that commences on or after July 1, 2009, upon
the registration of any vehicle for which a registration fee must be paid
pursuant to the provisions of part 3 of article 3 of title 42. C.R.S. Except
as otherwise provided in subparagraphs (IV) and (V) of this paragraph (a)
subsections (1)(a)(IV) and (1)(a)(V) of this section, the amount of the
surcharge shall be:

(A) Before January 1, 2018, and on and after January 1,
2038, sixteen dollars AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT BEFORE
JANUARY 1, 2038, SIX DOLLARS for any vehicle that is a motorcycle,
motorscooter, or motorbicycle, as respectively defined in section
42-1-102 (55) and (59), C.R.S.; or that weighs two thousand pounds or
less;

(B) BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2018, AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1,
2038, twenty-three dollars AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT
BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, NINE DOLLARS for any vehicle that weighs
more than two thousand pounds but not more than five thousand pounds;

(C) BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2018, AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1,
2038, twenty-eight dollars AND ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018, BUT
BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2038, ELEVEN DOLLARS for any vehicle that weighs
more than five thousand pounds but not more than ten thousand pounds;

(e) Late registration fees required to be credited to the highway
users tax fund pursuant to section 42-3-112 (2), C.R.S.

SECTION 26. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add part 11 to
article 4 of title 43 as follows:

PART 11

MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUNDING

43-4-1101. Legislative declaration. (1) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HEREBY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT:

(a) BY APPROVING THE BALLOT ISSUE SUBMITTED AT THE
NOVEMBER 2017 STATEWIDE ELECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-705
(13)(b), THE VOTERS OF THE STATE AUTHORIZED THE STATE TO COLLECT,
RETAIN, AND SPEND, A SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF NEW DEDICATED
FUNDING, MOST OF WHICH WILL BE USED TO ACCELERATE THE COMPLETION
OF HIGHWAY PROJECTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE;
(b) It is necessary, appropriate, and in the best interest of the state to use a portion of the newly authorized dedicated transportation funding to fund multimodal transportation projects and operations throughout the state as authorized by this Part 11 because, in addition to the general benefits that it provides to all Coloradans, a complete and integrated multimodal transportation system:

(I) Benefits seniors by making aging in place more feasible for them;

(II) Benefits residents of rural areas by providing them with flexible public transportation services;

(III) Provides enhanced mobility for persons with disabilities; and

(IV) Provides safe routes to schools for children.

43-4-1102. Definitions. As used in this Part 11, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Aging in place" means having the ability to live in one's own home and community safely, independently, and comfortably, regardless of age, income, or ability level.

(2) "Commission" means the transportation commission created in Section 43-1-106(1).

(3) "Committee" means the transit and rail advisory committee appointed pursuant to Section 43-1-1104(1)(b).

(4) "Department" means the department of transportation.

(5) "Division" means the transit and rail division created in Section 43-4-117.5(1).
(6) "FUND" MEANS THE MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND CREATED IN SECTION 43-4-1103 (1).

(7) "MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS" MEANS BOTH PUBLIC TRANSIT INFRASTRUCTURE AND OPERATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE THAT IS DESIGNED FOR USERS OF NONMOTORIZED MOBILITY-ENHANCING EQUIPMENT.

(8) "TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS" MEANS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, OPERATIONS, AND SERVICES, OTHER THAN PORTIONS OF HIGHWAYS, ROADS, OR STREETS DESIGNED PRIMARILY FOR PERSONAL AND SINGLE OCCUPANT MOTOR VEHICLE USE, THAT ARE PROVIDED BY OR CONTRACTED FOR BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE STATE, OR ONE OR MORE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES, OR TRANSIT AGENCIES AND INCLUDES:

(a) BUS AND RAIL FACILITIES, INCLUDING BUS LANES, EQUIPMENT, AND SERVICES, INCLUDING:

(I) LOCAL, REGIONAL, AND INTERCITY BUS AND RAIL FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, AND SERVICES THAT ARE PROVIDED BY OR CONTRACTED FOR BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE STATE, OR ONE OR MORE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES, OR TRANSIT AGENCIES;

(II) FIRST AND FINAL MILE CONNECTIONS TO BUS AND RAIL FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, AND SERVICES; AND

(III) RELATED ROADWAY OR INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED TO EFFECTIVELY AND SAFELY INTEGRATE BUS AND RAIL FACILITIES WITH ROADWAYS, SIDEWALKS, OR MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS;

(b) TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FOR SENIORS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES;
(c) TRANSPORTATION DEMAND MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS;
(d) INFRASTRUCTURE DESIGNED FOR PEDESTRIANS AND USERS OF
NONMOTORIZED MOBILITY-ENHANCING EQUIPMENT; AND
(e) DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW
TRANSPORTATION TECHNOLOGY.

43-4-1103. Multimodal transportation options fund - creation
- revenue source for fund - use of fund - definition. (1) The
MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS FUND IS HEREBY CREATED IN THE
state treasury. The fund consists of sales and use tax net
revenue that is attributable to the additional sales and use
taxes levied pursuant to sections 39-26-106 (1)(a)(II) and
39-26-202 (1)(b) and that is credited to the fund pursuant to
section 39-26-123 (7)(b) and any other money that the general
assembly may appropriate or transfer to the fund. The state
treasurer shall credit all interest and income derived from the
deposit and investment of money in the fund to the fund and
shall allocate the interest and income between the accounts of
the fund in the percentages designated by the commission
pursuant to subsection (2) of this section.

(2) THE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT AND THE
PEDESTRIAN AND ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT ARE CREATED IN
the fund. The commission shall designate, and may at any time by
subsequent resolution modify, the percentages of the money
credited to the fund to be credited to each account subject to
the limitation that during any given fiscal year no more than
seventy-five percent of the money may be credited to the
transportation options account and at least twenty-five
PERCENT OF THE REVENUE MUST BE CREDITED TO THE PEDESTRIAN AND
ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT.

(3) SUBJECT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION BY THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY, MONEY MUST BE EXPENDED FROM THE FUND AS FOLLOWS:

(a) THE COMMITTEE SHALL EXPEND MONEY FROM THE
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF THE FUND TO FUND
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS THAT IT HAS APPROVED FOR FUNDING
PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-4-1104(1)(c).

(b) (I) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL EXPEND MONEY FROM THE
PEDESTRIAN AND ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT OF THE FUND FOR
PROJECTS FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE THAT IS DESIGNED FOR
NONMOTORIZED USE, INCLUDING PATHS, SIDEWALKS, AND ROADWAYS
INTENDED FOR USE WITH NONMOTORIZED EQUIPMENT. SUCH PROJECTS
INCLUDE NONMOTORIZED LANES AND PATHWAYS, SIDEWALKS, AND
ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS, INCLUDING SHOULDERS, CROSSWALKS, AND
INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS, THAT ENHANCE SAFETY FOR USERS OF
NONMOTORIZED MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS. EXCEPT AS
OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (3)(b)(II) OF THIS SECTION, THE
DEPARTMENT SHALL ALLOCATE THE MONEY IN THE PEDESTRIAN AND
ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT IN THE SAME MANNER IN WHICH
FEDERAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM SET-ASIDE MONEY IS
ALLOCATED WITHIN THE STATE PURSUANT TO 23 U.S.C. SEC. 133 (h).

(II) TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT, REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION
AUTHORITY, OR TRANSIT AGENCY FUNDING FOR A PROJECT RECEIVING
FUNDING FROM THE PEDESTRIAN AND ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS
ACCOUNT OF THE FUND MUST BE AT LEAST EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT OF
FUNDING PROVIDED FROM THE ACCOUNT; EXCEPT THAT THE FOLLOWING
ENTITIES MAY PROVIDE MATCHING MONEY FOR A PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT
EQUAL TO TWENTY PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT OF FUNDING FOR THE
PROJECT PROVIDED FROM THE ACCOUNT:

(A) CITIES OR COUNTIES THAT COLLECT LESS THAN FIFTEEN
MILLION DOLLARS PER YEAR IN TOTAL ANNUAL SALES TAX REVENUES; AND

(B) REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES OR TRANSIT
AGENCIES THAT HAVE TOTAL ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGETS OF LESS THAN
ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS PER YEAR.

(c) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (3), "NONMOTORIZED USE"
INCLUDES USE OF A MOTORIZED WHEELCHAIR, SCOOTER, OR
FUNCTIONALLY SIMILAR ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY BY A PERSON WITH A
DISABILITY WHO USES THE MOTORIZED WHEELCHAIR, SCOOTER, OR
FUNCTIONALLY SIMILAR ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR THE PURPOSE OF
MOBILITY ASSISTANCE.

(4) (a) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ANNUALLY REPORT TO THE
TRANSPORTATION LEGISLATION REVIEW COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY CREATED IN SECTION 43-2-145 (1) REGARDING ITS
EXPENDITURES FROM THE PEDESTRIAN AND ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION
ACCOUNT OF THE FUND INCLUDING, AT A MINIMUM:

(I) AN AGGREGATE ACCOUNTING OF ALL MONEY EXPENDED FROM
THE ACCOUNT OF THE FUND DURING THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR; AND

(II) A LISTING OF ALL PROJECTS RECEIVING FUNDING FROM THE
ACCOUNT DURING THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR THAT INCLUDES FOR EACH
PROJECT:

(A) IDENTIFICATION OF THE ENTITY RECEIVING FUNDING FOR THE
PROJECT;

(B) THE AMOUNT OF ACCOUNT FUNDING PROVIDED FOR THE
PROJECT; AND

(C) THE AMOUNT OF LOCAL MATCHING MONEY PROVIDED FOR THE
PROJECT.

(b) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 24-1-136(11)(a), THE REPORTING
REQUIREMENT SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (4)(a) OF THIS SECTION
CONTINUES INDEFINITELY.

43-4-1104. Allocation of fund by transit and rail advisory
committee - annual reporting requirement. (1) THE COMMITTEE SHALL
EQUITABLY, EFFICIENTLY, AND EFFECTIVELY ALLOCATE THE MONEY IN THE
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF THE FUND TO FUND
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE. TO
FURTHER THAT PURPOSE, THE COMMITTEE, IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER
POWERS AND DUTIES SPECIFIED IN THIS PART 11, HAS THE FOLLOWING
POWERS AND DUTIES:

(a) TO DEVELOP A FORMULA FOR ALLOCATING THE MONEY AMONG
THE REGIONS OF THE STATE. THE FORMULA MUST TAKE INTO ACCOUNT
POPULATION, TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS NEEDS, TRANSPORTATION
OPTIONS PERFORMANCE, AND THE AVAILABILITY OF LOCAL MATCHING
MONEY.

(b) TO SUPERVISE AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO THE DIVISION IN ITS
SOLICITATION, RECEIPT, AND EVALUATION OF SPECIFIC TRANSPORTATION
OPTIONS PROJECT PROPOSALS FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES, AND TRANSIT AGENCIES AND ITS
DEVELOPMENT OF INTERREGIONAL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS
PURSUANT TO SECTION 43-1-117.5 (3)(a)(VIII);

(c) TO DETERMINE WHICH TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS
RECEIVE FUNDING AND THE AMOUNT OF THE FUNDING PROVIDED FOR EACH
PROJECT RECEIVING FUNDING. TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT, REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY, OR TRANSIT AGENCY FUNDING FOR A
PROJECT RECEIVING FUNDING FROM THE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS
ACCOUNT OF THE FUND MUST BE AT LEAST EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT OF
FUNDING PROVIDED FROM THE ACCOUNT; EXCEPT THAT THE FOLLOWING
ENTITIES MAY PROVIDE MATCHING MONEY FOR A PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT
EQUAL TO TWENTY PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT RECEIVED FOR THE PROJECT
FROM THE ACCOUNT:

(A) CITIES OR COUNTIES THAT COLLECT LESS THAN FIFTEEN
MILLION DOLLARS PER YEAR IN TOTAL ANNUAL SALES TAX REVENUES; AND

(B) REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES OR TRANSIT
AGENCIES THAT HAVE TOTAL ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGETS OF LESS THAN
ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS PER YEAR.

(d) TO PROPOSE PROGRAMS, INCLUDING FREE TRANSPORTATION
OPTIONS PASS AND REDUCED FARE PROGRAMS, TO PROVIDE AT LEAST A
BASIC LEVEL OF TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS SERVICE TO LOW-INCOME
COLORADANS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

(2) The committee shall annually report to the
TRANSPORTATION LEGISLATION REVIEW COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY CREATED IN SECTION 43-2-145 (1) REGARDING ITS ACTIVITIES
INCLUDING, AT A MINIMUM:

(I) AN AGGREGATE ACCOUNTING OF ALL MONEY EXPENDED FROM
THE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF THE FUND DURING THE PRIOR
FISCAL YEAR; AND

(II) A LISTING OF ALL TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS PROJECTS
RECEIVING FUNDING FROM THE TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS ACCOUNT OF
THE FUND DURING THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR THAT INCLUDES FOR EACH
PROJECT:

(A) Identification of the entity receiving funding for the
project;

(B) The amount of transportation options account
funding provided for the project; and

(C) The amount of local matching money provided for the
project.

(b) Notwithstanding section 24-1-136(11)(a), the reporting
requirement specified in subsection (2)(a) of this section
continues indefinitely.

The provisions of the "Keep Jobs In Colorado Act of 2013", article 17 of
title 8, apply to this part 11.

SECTION 27. Appropriation. (1) For the 2017-18 state fiscal
year, $179,550 is appropriated to the department of revenue. This
appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the
department may use this appropriation as follows:

(a) $47,788 for use by the taxpayer services division for personal
services, which amount is based on an assumption that the division will
require an additional 1.1 FTE;

(b) $5,748 for use by the taxpayer services division for operating
expenses;

(c) $111,414 for use by the executive director's office for postage;

and

(d) $14,600 for tax administration IT system (GenTax) support;

(2) For the 2017-18 state fiscal year, $6,592 is appropriated to the
department of revenue. This appropriation is from the Colorado state titling and registration account in the highway users tax fund created in section 42-1-211 (2), C.R.S. To implement this act, the department may use this appropriation for DMV IT system (DRIVES) support.

(3) For the 2017-18 state fiscal year, $6,592 is appropriated to the office of the governor for use by the office of information technology. This appropriation is from reappropriated funds received from the department of revenue under subsection (2) of this section. To implement this act, the office may use this appropriation to provide information technology services for the department of revenue.

SECTION 28. Effective date. (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (2) of this section, this act takes effect only if, at the November 2017 statewide election, a majority of voters approve the ballot issue submitted pursuant to section 43-4-705 (13)(b), Colorado Revised Statutes, as enacted in section 21 of this act, and, in such case, this act takes effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

(2) Sections 21, 28, and 29 of this act takes effect upon passage.

SECTION 29. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.