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Seventy-fifth General Assembly
STATE OF COLORADO**

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on Second Reading in the Second House*

LLS NO. 26-0922.01 Veronica Parish x2606

HOUSE BILL 26-1348

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Brown and Taggart, Sirota,

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Amabile and Bridges, Kirkmeyer

House Committees
Appropriations

Senate Committees
Appropriations

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE USE OF MONEY FROM THE BROADBAND**
102 **INFRASTRUCTURE CASH FUND.**

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/>.)

Joint Budget Committee. The bill adds the Trinidad correctional facility, the Arkansas Valley correctional facility, and the Arrowhead correctional facility to the list of correctional facilities eligible to receive money from the broadband infrastructure cash fund.

The bill extends the repeal date of the cash fund to July 1, 2028.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing law.
Dashes through the words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law.

SENATE
2nd Reading Unamended
April 15, 2026

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
April 11, 2026

HOUSE
2nd Reading Unamended
April 8, 2026

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 17-1-168, **amend**
3 (3)(e) and (5); and **add** (3)(g), (3)(h), and (3)(i) as follows:

4 **17-1-168. Broadband infrastructure cash fund - created -**
5 **repeal.**

6 (3) Subject to annual appropriation by the general assembly, the
7 department may expend money from the fund to install broadband
8 infrastructure at the following correctional facilities:

9 (e) San Carlos correctional facility; ~~and~~

10 (g) TRINIDAD CORRECTIONAL FACILITY;

11 (h) ARKANSAS VALLEY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; AND

12 (i) ARROWHEAD CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.

13 (5) This section is repealed, effective ~~July 1, 2027~~ JULY 1, 2028.

14 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly finds,
15 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
16 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety or for appropriations for
17 the support and maintenance of the departments of the state and state
18 institutions.