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FINAL FISCAL NOTE

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Prime Sponsors:	Sen. Scott; Moreno Rep. McLachlan	Bill Status:	Signed into Law
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Bill Topic: DESIGN BID BUILD HIGHWAY PROJECT CONTRACT AWARDS

Summary of Fiscal Impact:

<input type="checkbox"/> State Revenue	<input type="checkbox"/> TABOR Refund
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Expenditure	<input type="checkbox"/> Local Government
<input type="checkbox"/> State Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Public Entity

This bill extends the authority of the Colorado Department of Transportation to award design-bid-build contracts in specified circumstances and requires potential projects to be prominently posted or linked on the home page of the department's website.

Appropriation Summary: No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status: This fiscal note reflects the final bill.

Summary of Legislation

The bill allows the executive director of the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) to delegate someone to award a design-bid-build contract in his or her place in a specified circumstance. It also eliminates the repeal of a law that authorizes the executive director to award a design-bid-build contract to a low bidder in specified circumstances. Finally, the bill requires CDOT to post or link to the list of projects it is seeking to contract for on its home page.

State Expenditures

The bill is not expected to change how the department awards design-bid-build contracts. It will minimally increase workload to change where potential projects are posted on the website.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor and took effect on May 29, 2018.

State and Local Government Contacts

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