FIRST CONFERENCE REPORT

The Committee of Conference on the matters of difference between the two Houses concerning

House Bill No. 5889, entitled

A bill to make appropriations for the state transportation department and certain transportation purposes for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011; to provide for the imposition of fees; to provide for reports; to create certain funds and programs; to prescribe requirements for certain railroad and bus facilities; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain state departments and officials and local units of government; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

Recommends:

First: That the Senate recede from the Substitute of the Senate as passed by the Senate.

Second: That the House and Senate agree to the Substitute of the House as passed by the House, amended to read as follows:

(attached)

Third: That the House and Senate agree to the title of the bill to read as follows:

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SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5889

A bill to make appropriations for the state transportation department and certain transportation purposes for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011; to provide for the imposition of fees; to provide for reports; to create certain funds and programs; to prescribe requirements for certain railroad and bus facilities; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain state departments and officials and local units of government; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 PART 1 2 LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
- 3 Sec. 101. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the

1 amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the state 2 transportation department and certain state purposes designated in this act for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, from the 3 4 funds indicated in this part. The following is a summary of the 5 appropriations in this part: 6 STATE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION SUMMARY 7 Full-time equated unclassified positions..... 6.0 8 9 Full-time equated classified positions..... 3,016.3 10 GROSS APPROPRIATION.....\$ 3,235,969,400 Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental 11 12 transfers 878,300 ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION \$ 3,235,091,100 13 14 Federal revenues: 61,285,000 15 DOT, federal transit act..... 16 DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction 1,060,167,700 17 DOT-FRA, local rail service assistance..... 100,000 DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT..... 3,000,000 18 19 DOT, federal aviation administration..... 102,927,900 20 Total federal revenues..... 1,227,480,600 21 Special revenue funds: 22 Local revenues..... 56,496,000 Total local and private revenues..... 23 56,496,000 24 14,966,900 Blue Water Bridge fund..... 25 Comprehensive transportation fund..... 237,120,000 Economic development fund..... 26 42,145,100 IRS debt service rebate..... 27 7,523,400

1	Intercity bus equipment fund		2,000,000
2	Local bridge fund		30,061,300
3	Michigan transportation fund		943,331,000
4	Other state restricted revenues		2,975,400
5	Rail freight fund		2,000,000
6	State aeronautics fund		16,551,900
7	State trunkline fund		652,439,500
8	Total other state restricted revenues		1,951,114,500
9	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
10	Sec. 102. DEBT SERVICE		
11	State trunkline	\$	198,853,000
12	Economic development		9,173,400
13	Local bridge fund		3,261,500
14	Blue Water Bridge fund		2,216,400
15	Airport safety and protection plan		3,456,000
16	Comprehensive transportation	_	29,852,700
17	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	246,813,000
18	Appropriated from:		
19	Federal revenues:		
20	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		45,832,100
21	Special revenue funds:		
22	Blue Water Bridge fund		2,216,400
23	Comprehensive transportation fund		29,852,700
24	Economic development fund		9,173,400
25	Local bridge fund		3,261,500
26	IRS debt service rebate		7,523,400
27	State aeronautics fund		3,456,000

1	State trunkline fund	145,497,500
2	State general fund/general purpose \$	0
3	Sec. 103. COLLECTION, ENFORCEMENT, AND OTHER AGENCY	
4	SUPPORT SERVICES	
5	MTF grant to department of natural resources and	
6	environment\$	1,132,600
7	MTF grant to department of state for collection of	
8	revenue and fees	20,000,000
9	MTF grant to department of treasury	8,383,600
10	MTF grant to legislative auditor general	204,300
11	STF grant to department of attorney general	2,867,300
12	STF grant to civil service commission	5,697,000
13	STF grant to department of technology, management, and	
14	budget	1,218,600
15	STF grant to department of state police	10,203,200
16	STF grant to department of treasury	142,200
17	STF grant to legislative auditor general	474,600
18	SAF grant to department of attorney general	169,500
19	SAF grant to civil service commission	150,000
20	SAF grant to department of technology, management, and	
21	budget	32,800
22	SAF grant to department of treasury	76,100
23	SAF grant to legislative auditor general	19,600
24	CTF grant to department of attorney general	171,700
25	CTF grant to civil service commission	200,000
26	CTF grant to department of technology, management, and	
27	budget	37,400

1	CTF grant to department of treasury	6,500
2	CTF grant to legislative auditor general	25,200
3	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	51,212,200
4	Appropriated from:	
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Comprehensive transportation fund	440,800
7	Michigan transportation fund	29,720,500
8	State aeronautics fund	448,000
9	State trunkline fund	20,602,900
10	State general fund/general purpose	
11	Sec. 104. EXECUTIVE DIRECTION	
12	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
13	Full-time equated classified positions 31.3	
14	Unclassified salaries\$	602,800
15	Asset management council	1,626,400
16	Commission audit31.3 FTE positions	3,433,000
17	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	5,662,200
18	Appropriated from:	
19	Special revenue funds:	
20	Michigan transportation fund	1,626,400
21	State trunkline fund	4,035,800
22	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
23	Sec. 105. BUSINESS SUPPORT	
24	Full-time equated classified positions 58.0	
25	Business support services49.0 FTE positions \$	6,059,100
26	Economic development and enhancement programs9.0 FTE	
27	positions	1,194,100

1	Property management		7,754,600
2	Worker's compensation	_	1,784,600
3	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	16,792,400
4	Appropriated from:		
5	Special revenue funds:		
6	Comprehensive transportation fund		1,304,700
7	Economic development fund		468,900
8	Michigan transportation fund		201,700
9	State aeronautics fund		625,000
10	State trunkline fund		14,192,100
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
12	Sec. 106. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY		
13	Information technology services and projects	\$_	27,831,000
14	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	27,831,000
15	Appropriated from:		
16	Federal revenues:		
17	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		520,500
18	Special revenue funds:		
19	Blue Water Bridge fund		48,300
20	Comprehensive transportation fund		192,400
21	Economic development fund		37,200
22	Michigan transportation fund		254,200
23	State aeronautics fund		150,200
24	State trunkline fund		26,628,200
25	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
26	Sec. 107. FINANCE, CONTRACTS, AND SUPPORT SERVICES		
27	Full-time equated classified positions 250.5		

1	Financial operations87.0 FTE positions\$	8,825,900
2	Contract services53.6 FTE positions	5,155,900
3	Department services41.9 FTE positions	5,207,600
4	Performance excellence13.0 FTE positions	1,501,000
5	Welcome center operations55.0 FTE positions	3,931,100
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	24,621,500
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
9	IDG for accounting service center user charges	878,300
10	Special revenue funds:	
11	Michigan transportation fund	1,792,700
12	State trunkline fund	21,950,500
13	State general fund/general purpose	
14	Sec. 108. TRANSPORTATION PLANNING	
15	Full-time equated classified positions 176.0	
16	Statewide planning services124.0 FTE positions \$	14,467,400
17	Data collection services52.0 FTE positions	6,414,200
18	Specialized planning services and local studies	16,504,800
19	Grants to regional planning councils	488,800
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	37,875,200
21	Appropriated from:	
22	Federal revenues:	
23	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction	22,000,000
24	Special revenue funds:	
25	Comprehensive transportation fund	960,300
26	Michigan transportation fund	6,304,500
27	State aeronautics fund	15,000

1	State trunkline fund		8,595,400
2	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
3	Sec. 109. DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES		
4	Full-time equated classified positions 1,492.8		
5	Engineering services800.1 FTE positions	\$	66,021,300
6	Program services680.7 FTE positions		40,074,000
7	Intelligent transportation systems operations12.0		
8	FTE positions		10,562,700
9	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	116,658,000
10	Appropriated from:		
11	Federal revenues:		
12	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		23,529,800
13	Special revenue funds:		
14	Michigan transportation fund		6,355,300
15	State trunkline fund		86,772,900
16	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
17	Sec. 110. HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE		
18	Full-time equated classified positions 836.7		
19	State trunkline operations836.7 FTE positions	\$_	274,663,900
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	274,663,900
21	Appropriated from:		
22	Special revenue funds:		
23	State trunkline fund		274,663,900
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
25	Sec. 111. ROAD AND BRIDGE PROGRAMS		
26	State trunkline federal aid and road and bridge		
27	construction	\$	796,226,200

1	Local federal aid and road and bridge construction		248,751,000
2	Grants to local programs		33,000,000
3	Rail grade crossing		3,000,000
4	Local bridge program		26,799,800
5	County road commissions		551,352,700
6	Cities and villages	_	307,403,800
7	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	1,966,533,500
8	Appropriated from:		
9	Federal revenues:		
10	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction		961,770,500
11	Special revenue funds:		
12	Local funds		30,000,000
13	Blue Water Bridge fund		7,107,300
14	Local bridge fund		26,799,800
15	Michigan transportation fund		894,756,500
16	State trunkline fund		46,099,400
17	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
18	Sec. 112. BLUE WATER BRIDGE		
19	Full-time equated classified positions 41.0		
20	Blue Water Bridge operations41.0 FTE positions	\$_	5,594,900
21	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	5,594,900
22	Appropriated from:		
23	Special revenue funds:		
24	Blue Water Bridge fund		5,594,900
25	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
26	Sec. 113. TRANSPORTATION ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT		
27	Forest roads	\$	5,040,000

1	Rural county urban system	2,500,000
2	Target industries/economic redevelopment	7,212,700
3	Urban county congestion	8,356,400
4	Rural county primary	8,356,400
5	Nonprofit street railway	 1,000,000
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 32,465,500
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Economic development fund	32,465,500
10	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
11	Sec. 114. AERONAUTICS AND FREIGHT SERVICES	
12	Full-time equated classified positions 84.0	
13	Airport improvement services30.0 FTE positions	\$ 3,102,000
14	Aviation services26.0 FTE positions	4,418,600
15	Freight and safety services28.0 FTE positions	3,709,200
16	Air service program	 464,600
17	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 11,694,400
18	Appropriated from:	
19	Special revenue funds:	
20	Comprehensive transportation fund	1,604,800
21	Michigan transportation fund	2,104,400
22	State aeronautics fund	7,985,200
23	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
24	Sec. 115. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	
25	Full-time equated classified positions 46.0	
26	Passenger transportation services46.0 FTE positions	\$ 5,827,600
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 5,827,600

1	Appropriated from:		
2	Federal revenues:		
3	DOT, federal transit act		862,100
4	Special revenue funds:		
5	Comprehensive transportation fund		4,750,700
6	Michigan transportation fund		214,800
7	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
8	Sec. 116. BUS TRANSIT DIVISION: STATUTORY OPERATING		
9	Local bus operating	\$	166,624,000
10	Nonurban operating/capital		22,787,900
11	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	189,411,900
12	Appropriated from:		
13	Federal revenues:		
14	DOT, federal transit act		21,987,900
15	Special revenue funds:		
16	Comprehensive transportation fund		166,624,000
17	Local funds		800,000
18	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
19	Sec. 117. INTERCITY PASSENGER AND FREIGHT		
20	Freight property management	\$	1,000,000
21	Detroit/Wayne County port authority		468,200
22	Intercity services		7,250,000
23	Rail passenger service		11,667,000
24	Freight preservation and development		3,364,200
25	Marine passenger service		400,000
26	Terminal development	_	150,000
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	24,299,400

1	Appropriated from:		
2	Federal revenues:		
3	DOT, federal transit act		4,500,000
4	DOT-FRA, local rail service assistance		100,000
5	DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT		3,000,000
6	Special revenue funds:		
7	Local funds		50,000
8	Comprehensive transportation fund		12,649,400
9	Intercity bus equipment fund		2,000,000
10	Rail freight fund		2,000,000
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
12	Sec. 118. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT		
13	Specialized services	\$	7,443,800
14	Municipal credit program		2,000,000
15	Bus capital		41,300,000
16	Van pooling		195,000
17	Service initiatives		1,400,000
18	Transit oriented development		100
19	Transportation to work	_	9,536,400
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	61,875,300
21	Appropriated from:		
22	Federal revenues:		
23	DOT, federal transit act		33,935,000
24	Special revenue funds:		
25	Local funds		9,200,000
26	Economic development fund		100
27	Comprehensive transportation fund		18,740,200

1	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
2	Sec. 119. CAPITAL OUTLAY	
3	(1) BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES	
4	Port Huron replacement welcome center, inspection	
5	station, Blue Water Bridge administration and	
6	maintenance satellite facilities	\$ 9,889,600
7	Special maintenance, remodeling, and additions	3,001,500
8	GROSS APPROPRIATION	12,891,100
9	Appropriated from:	
10	Federal revenues:	
11	DOT-FHWA, highway research, planning, and construction	6,514,800
12	Special revenue funds:	
13	Other state restricted revenues	2,975,400
14	State trunkline fund	3,400,900
15	State general fund/general purpose	0
16	(2) AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS	
17	Airport safety, protection and improvement program	\$ 123,246,400
18	GROSS APPROPRIATION	123,246,400
19	Appropriated from:	
20	Federal revenues:	
21	DOT, federal aviation administration	102,927,900
22	Special revenue funds:	
23	Local funds	16,446,000
24	State aeronautics fund	3,872,500
25	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0

Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state

1 PART 2

2 PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

3 GENERAL SECTIONS

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5 constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources 6 under part 1 for fiscal year 2010-2011 is \$1,951,114,500.00 and 7 state spending from state resources to be paid to local units of government for fiscal year 2010-2011 is \$1,144,035,100.00. The 8 9 itemized statement below identifies appropriations from which 10 spending to units of local government will occur: 11 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 12 Grants to regional planning councils.....\$ 488,800 13 Grants to local programs..... 33,000,000 14 Rail grade crossing..... 3,000,000 15 26,799,800 Local bridge program..... 16 Grants to county road commissions..... 551,352,700 17 307,403,800 Grants to cities and villages..... 18 Economic development fund..... 31,465,500 19 464,400 Air service program..... 20 Local bus operating..... 166,624,000 21 8,000,000 Bus capital..... 22 Detroit/Wayne County port authority..... 468,200 23 400,000 Marine passenger service.....

Terminal development.....

Specialized services.....

Municipal credit program.....

Service initiatives.....

150,000

3,958,800

2,000,000

50,000

1 Transportation to work..... 4,536,400 2 Airport safety, protection, and improvement 3 program..... 3,872,500 4 Total payments to local units of government \$ 1,144,035,100 5 Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 6 to 18.1594. 7 Sec. 203. As used in this act: 8 9 (a) "AASHTO" means the American association of state highway 10 and transportation officials. (b) "ASTM" means the American society for testing and 11 12 materials. (c) "CTF" means comprehensive transportation fund. 13 (d) "Department" means the department of transportation. 14 15 (e) "DOT" means the United States department of 16 transportation. (f) "DOT-FHWA" means DOT, federal highway administration. 17 18 (g) "DOT-FRA" means DOT, federal railroad administration. 19 (h) "DOT-FRA, rail passenger/HSGT" means DOT, federal railroad 20 administration, high-speed ground transportation. 21 (i) "EDF" means economic development fund. 22 (j) "FTE" means full-time equated. (k) "IRS" means the internal revenue service. 23 24 (1) "MTF" means Michigan transportation fund. (m) "RIF" means recreation improvement fund. 25

(n) "SAF" means state aeronautics fund.

(o) "STF" means state trunkline fund.

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- 1 Sec. 204. The civil service commission shall bill the
- 2 departments and agencies at the end of the first fiscal quarter for
- 3 the 1% charge authorized by section 5 of article XI of the state
- 4 constitution of 1963. Payments shall be made for the total amount
- 5 of the billing by the end of the second fiscal quarter.
- 6 Sec. 205. (1) A hiring freeze is imposed on the state
- 7 classified civil service. State departments and agencies are
- 8 prohibited from hiring any new full-time state classified civil
- 9 service employees and prohibited from filling any vacant state
- 10 classified civil service positions. This hiring freeze does not
- 11 apply to internal transfers of classified employees from 1 position
- 12 to another within a department.
- 13 (2) The state budget director may grant exceptions to this
- 14 hiring freeze when the state budget director believes that the
- 15 hiring freeze will result in rendering a state department or agency
- 16 unable to deliver basic services, causes loss of revenue to the
- 17 state, would result in the inability of the state to receive
- 18 federal funds, or would necessitate additional expenditures that
- 19 exceed any savings from maintaining a vacancy. The state budget
- 20 director shall report quarterly to the chairpersons of the senate
- 21 and house of representatives standing committees on appropriations
- 22 the number of exceptions to the hiring freeze approved during the
- 23 previous quarter and the reasons to justify the exception.
- 24 Sec. 206. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$200,000,000.00 for
- 26 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 27 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item

- 1 in this act pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget
- 2 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 3 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 4 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$40,000,000.00 for state
- 5 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 6 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 7 in this act pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget
- 8 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 9 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for local
- 11 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 12 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 13 pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- **14** PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 15 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for private
- 17 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 18 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 19 pursuant to section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984
- **20** PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 21 Sec. 207. When beginning any effort to privatize, the
- 22 department shall submit a complete project plan to the house of
- 23 representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 24 transportation, the state budget office, and the house and senate
- 25 fiscal agencies. The plan shall include the rationale for
- 26 privatization, including a cost-benefit analysis if appropriate.
- 27 The evaluation shall be completed and submitted to the appropriate

- 1 senate and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees
- 2 and the senate and house fiscal agencies. As used in this section,
- 3 "privatize" or "privatization" means the transfer of state highway
- 4 maintenance or activities currently performed by department forces,
- 5 or by boards of county road commissioners, county boards of
- 6 commissioners, or local units of government under contract with the
- 7 department, to private contractors.
- 8 Sec. 208. Unless otherwise specified, the department shall use
- 9 the Internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this act.
- 10 This requirement may include transmission of reports via electronic
- 11 mail to the recipients identified for each reporting requirement or
- 12 it may include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet
- 13 site.
- 14 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for
- 15 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if
- 16 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or
- 17 services, or both, are available. Preference shall be given to
- 18 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 19 businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable
- 20 quality. In addition, preference shall be given to goods or
- 21 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 22 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are
- 23 competitively priced and of comparable quality.
- 24 Sec. 210. The director of each department receiving
- 25 appropriations in part 1 shall take all reasonable steps to ensure
- 26 businesses in deprived and depressed communities compete for and
- 27 perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The

- 1 director shall encourage firms with which the department contracts
- 2 to subcontract with certified businesses in deprived and depressed
- 3 communities for services, supplies, or both.
- 4 Sec. 211. The departments and state agencies receiving
- 5 appropriations under this act shall receive and retain copies of
- 6 all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. These departments
- 7 and state agencies shall follow federal and state guidelines for
- 8 short-term and long-term retention of these reports and records.
- 9 Sec. 259. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
- 10 information technology, the department shall pay user fees to the
- 11 department of technology, management, and budget for technology-
- 12 related services and projects. The user fees shall be subject to
- 13 provisions of an interagency agreement between the department and
- 14 the department of technology, management, and budget.
- 15 Sec. 260. (1) Due to the current budgetary problems in this
- 16 state, out-of-state travel shall be limited to situations in which
- 17 1 or more of the following conditions apply:
- 18 (a) The travel is required by legal mandate or court order or
- 19 for law enforcement purposes.
- 20 (b) The travel is necessary to protect the health or safety of
- 21 Michigan citizens or visitors or to assist other states in similar
- 22 circumstances.
- 23 (c) The travel is necessary to produce budgetary savings or to
- 24 increase state revenues, including protecting existing federal
- 25 funds or securing additional federal funds.
- 26 (d) The travel is necessary to comply with federal
- 27 requirements.

- 1 (e) The travel is necessary to secure specialized training for
- 2 staff that is not available within this state.
- 3 (f) The travel is financed entirely by federal or nonstate
- 4 funds.
- 5 (2) If out-of-state travel is necessary but does not meet 1 or
- 6 more of the conditions in subsection (1), the state budget director
- 7 may grant an exception to allow the travel. Any exceptions granted
- 8 by the state budget director shall be reported on a monthly basis
- 9 to the house and senate appropriations committees.
- 10 (3) Not later than January 1 of each year, each department
- 11 shall prepare a travel report listing all travel by classified and
- 12 unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately
- 13 preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with
- 14 funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be
- 15 submitted to the chairs and members of the house and senate
- 16 appropriations committees, the fiscal agencies, and the state
- 17 budget director. The report shall include the following
- 18 information:
- 19 (a) The name of each person receiving reimbursement for travel
- 20 outside this state or whose travel costs were paid by this state.
- 21 (b) The destination of each travel occurrence.
- (c) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- 23 (d) A brief statement of the reason for each travel
- 24 occurrence.
- 25 (e) The transportation and related costs of each travel
- 26 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
- 27 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state

- 1 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
- 2 and the proportion funded with other revenues.
- 3 (f) A total of all out-of-state travel funded for the
- 4 immediately preceding fiscal year.
- 5 Sec. 261. A department or state agency shall not take
- 6 disciplinary action against an employee for communicating with a
- 7 member of the legislature or their staff.
- 8 Sec. 262. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a
- 9 principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire
- 10 a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of
- 11 the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal
- 12 services for bonding activities and for those activities that the
- 13 attorney general authorizes.
- 14 Sec. 263. (1) The department shall report no later than April
- 15 1, 2011 on each specific policy change made to implement a public
- 16 act affecting the department that took effect during the prior
- 17 calendar year to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees
- 18 on the budget for the department, the joint committee on
- 19 administrative rules, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 20 (2) Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by the
- 21 department to adopt a rule that will apply to a small business and
- 22 that will have a disproportionate economic impact on small
- 23 businesses because of the size of those businesses if the
- 24 department fails to reduce the disproportionate economic impact of
- 25 the rule on small businesses as provided under section 40 of the
- administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.240.
- 27 (3) As used in this section:

- 1 (a) "Rule" means that term as defined under section 7 of the
- 2 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.207.
- 3 (b) "Small business" means that term as defined under section
- 4 7a of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL
- **5** 24.207a.
- 6 Sec. 266. (1) On a quarterly basis, the department shall
- 7 report on the number of FTEs in pay status by civil service
- 8 classification to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees
- 9 on transportation and the house and senate fiscal agencies.
- 10 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department
- 11 shall use an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00 to develop, post, and
- 12 maintain, on a publicly accessible Internet site, all expenditures
- 13 made by the agency within a fiscal year. The posting must include
- 14 the purpose for which each expenditure is made. The department
- 15 shall not be required to hire additional employees to comply with
- 16 this section.

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DEPARTMENTAL SECTIONS

- 18 Sec. 301. (1) The department may establish a fee schedule and
- 19 collect fees sufficient to cover the costs to issue the permits
- 20 that the department is authorized by law to issue upon request,
- 21 unless otherwise stipulated by law. All permit fees are
- 22 nonrefundable application fees and shall be credited to the
- 23 appropriate fund to recover the direct and indirect costs of
- 24 receiving, reviewing, and processing the requests.
- 25 (2) A bridge authority shall hold 3 public hearings on an
- 26 increase in any toll charged by the authority at least 30 days

- 1 before the toll change will become effective. Two of the hearings
- 2 shall be held within 5 miles of the bridge over which the bridge
- 3 authority has jurisdiction. One hearing shall be held in Lansing.
- 4 Public hearings held under this section shall be conducted in
- 5 accordance with the open meetings act, 1976 PA 267, MCL 15.261 to
- 6 15.275, and shall be conducted so as to provide a reasonable
- 7 opportunity for public comment, including both spoken and written
- 8 comments.
- 9 Sec. 303. On request, the department shall provide to a
- 10 legislator, in writing, a report on the amount of money to be
- 11 received by each city and village and the county road commission of
- 12 each county, that is included in whole or in part within the
- 13 legislator's legislative district.
- 14 Sec. 304. If, as a requirement of bidding on a highway
- 15 project, the department requires a contractor to submit financial
- 16 or proprietary documentation as to how the bid was calculated, that
- 17 bid documentation shall be kept confidential and shall not be
- 18 disclosed other than to a department representative without the
- 19 contractor's written consent. The department may disclose the bid
- 20 documentation if necessary to address or defend a claim by a
- 21 contractor.
- Sec. 305. The department shall permit space on public
- 23 passenger transportation properties to be occupied by public or
- 24 private tenants on a competitive market rate basis. The department
- 25 shall require that revenue from the tenants be placed in an account
- 26 to be used to pay the costs to maintain and improve the property.
- Sec. 306. (1) The amounts appropriated in section 103 to

- 1 support tax and fee collection, law enforcement, and other program
- 2 services provided to the department and to transportation funds by
- 3 other state departments shall be expended from transportation funds
- 4 pursuant to annual contracts between the department and those other
- 5 state departments. The contracts shall be executed prior to the
- 6 expenditure or obligation of those funds. The contracts shall
- 7 provide, but are not limited to, the following data applicable to
- 8 each state department:
- 9 (a) Estimated costs to be recovered from transportation funds.
- 10 (b) Description of services provided to the department and/or
- 11 transportation funds and financed with transportation funds.
- 12 (c) Detailed cost allocation methods appropriate to the type
- 13 of services being provided and the activities financed with
- 14 transportation funds.
- 15 (2) Not later than 2 months after publication of the state of
- 16 Michigan comprehensive annual financial report, each state
- 17 department receiving funding pursuant to an interdepartment
- 18 contract with the department shall submit a written report to the
- 19 department, the state budget director, and the house and senate
- 20 fiscal agencies stating by spending authorization account the
- 21 amount of estimated funds contracted with the department, the
- 22 amount of funds expended, the amount of funds returned to the
- 23 transportation funds, and any unreimbursed transportation-related
- 24 costs incurred but not billed to transportation funds. A copy of
- 25 the report shall be submitted to the auditor general, and the
- 26 report shall be subject to audit by the auditor general as provided
- in subsection (3).

1 (3) In addition to the requirements of subsection (2), the 2 state treasurer shall develop a cost allocation plan to identify 3 the actual costs of work based on time and effort performed by the 4 department of treasury for state-restricted transportation funds. 5 The cost allocation plan shall specifically identify the costs of 6 collecting constitutionally restricted motor fuel taxes. The cost allocation plan shall be submitted to the senate and house of 7 representatives standing committees on appropriations subcommittees 8 9 on general government, the senate and house fiscal agencies, the 10 auditor general, and the state budget director by November 1. The 11 cost allocation plan shall be subject to audit by the auditor 12 general. 13 (4) Biennially, in each even-numbered fiscal year, the auditor 14 general shall conduct an audit of charges to transportation funds 15 by state departments for the 2 preceding fiscal years. The audit 16 shall include both charges governed by interdepartmental contracts 17 as well as miscellaneous charges from other state departments not 18 governed by contracts. The auditor general shall prepare a detailed 19 report, with recommendations and conclusions, including a summary 20 of charges and related services to transportation funds by 21 department, the appropriateness of those charges, the cost 22 allocation methodologies used in determining the level of funding, 23 and any unreimbursed transportation-related costs, if any. The 24 report shall be provided to the senate and house of representatives committees on appropriations, the senate and house fiscal agencies, 25 26 and the state budget director 9 months after publication of the 27 state of Michigan comprehensive annual financial report.

- 1 Sec. 307. Before March 1 of each year, the department will
- 2 provide to the legislature, the state budget office, and the house
- 3 and senate fiscal agencies its rolling 5-year plan listing by
- 4 county or by county road commission all highway construction
- 5 projects for the fiscal year and all expected projects for the
- 6 ensuing fiscal years.
- 7 Sec. 308. The department and local road agencies that receive
- 8 appropriations under this act shall pursue compliance with contract
- 9 specifications for construction and maintenance of state highways
- 10 and local roads and streets. Work shall not be accepted and paid
- 11 for until it complies with contract requirements. Contractors with
- 12 unsatisfactory performance ratings shall be restricted from future
- 13 bidding through the prequalification process established by the
- 14 department or a local road agency. The department, county road
- 15 commissions, and cities and villages shall report to the house of
- 16 representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 17 transportation, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state
- 18 budget director on their respective activities under this section.
- 19 Sec. 309. The department shall continue its efforts to reduce
- 20 administrative costs and provide the maximum funding possible for
- 21 construction projects.
- Sec. 310. The department shall provide in a timely manner
- 23 copies of the agenda and approved minutes of monthly transportation
- 24 commission meetings to the members of the house and senate
- 25 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the house and
- 26 senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget director.
- 27 Sec. 312. At the close of the fiscal year, any unencumbered

- 1 and unexpended balance in the state trunkline fund shall remain in
- 2 the state trunkline fund and shall carry forward and is
- 3 appropriated for federal aid road and bridge programs for projects
- 4 contained in the annual state transportation program.
- 5 Sec. 313. (1) From funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 6 department may increase a state infrastructure bank program and
- 7 grant or loan funds in accordance with regulations of the state
- 8 infrastructure bank program of the United States department of
- 9 transportation. The state infrastructure bank is to be administered
- 10 by the department for the purpose of providing a revolving, self-
- 11 sustaining resource for financing transportation infrastructure
- 12 projects.
- 13 (2) In addition to funds provided in subsection (1), money
- 14 received by the state as federal grants, repayment of state
- 15 infrastructure bank loans, or other reimbursement or revenue
- 16 received by the state as a result of projects funded by the program
- 17 and interest earned on that money shall be deposited in the
- 18 revolving state infrastructure bank fund and shall be available for
- 19 transportation infrastructure projects. At the close of the fiscal
- 20 year, any unencumbered funds remaining in the state infrastructure
- 21 bank fund shall remain in the fund and be carried forward into the
- 22 succeeding fiscal year.
- 23 Sec. 314. The department shall provide a report prepared by
- 24 the department's internal auditor on the activities of the internal
- 25 auditor for the previous fiscal year. The report shall be due on
- 26 February 1 of each year and shall be submitted to the senate and
- 27 house of representatives appropriations committees, the senate and

- 1 house fiscal agencies, the director of the state budget office, and
- 2 the auditor general. This report shall include a list of all of the
- 3 following:
- 4 (a) All work activities conducted by the internal auditor,
- 5 including a listing of all audits, reviews, and investigations.
- 6 (b) The time charged to each work activity, including time
- 7 charged to each audit, review, or investigation.
- 8 (c) A listing of which audits, reviews, and investigations
- 9 have been completed and which audits, reviews, and investigations
- 10 have had reports of the results issued.
- 11 Sec. 319. The department shall post signs at each rest area to
- 12 identify the agency or contractor responsible for maintenance of
- 13 the rest area. The signs shall include a department telephone
- 14 number and shall indicate that unsafe or unclean conditions at the
- 15 rest area may be reported to that telephone number.
- 16 Sec. 321. In evaluating and awarding enhancement grants, the
- 17 department shall give preference to applicants which have adopted
- 18 complete streets policies. In addition, the department shall give
- 19 preference to enhancement grant applications which further complete
- 20 streets policy objectives. The department shall report to the house
- 21 and senate appropriations subcommittees on transportation, and the
- 22 house and senate fiscal agencies, on or before March 1, 2011, on
- 23 the specific actions taken to comply with the intent of this
- 24 section.
- Sec. 322. Upon request of a university, the department shall
- 26 work with representatives of state public universities to assist in
- 27 the development and implementation of complete streets policies on

- 1 university road and street systems.
- 2 Sec. 334. The department shall continue its program to
- 3 increase the use of women- and minority-owned businesses in state
- 4 and local road construction projects. This program shall comprise,
- 5 at a minimum, outreach and education efforts to inform women- and
- 6 minority-owned firms of department competitive bidding processes
- 7 and requirements, and an assessment of the availability of surety
- 8 for women- and minority-owned businesses. The department shall
- 9 report by September 30 of each year to the house and senate
- 10 appropriations subcommittees on transportation and the house and
- 11 senate fiscal agencies of its progress in complying with this
- 12 section.
- Sec. 353. The department shall review its contractor payment
- 14 process and ensure that all prime contractors are paid promptly.
- 15 The department shall ensure that prime contractors are in
- 16 compliance with special provision 109.10 regarding the prompt
- 17 payment of subcontractors.
- 18 Sec. 357. When presented with complete local federal aid
- 19 project submittals, the department shall complete all necessary
- 20 reviews and inspections required to let local federal aid projects
- 21 within 120 days of receipt. The department shall implement a system
- 22 for monitoring the local federal aid project review process.
- 23 Sec. 374. The department shall produce and distribute all
- 24 employee newsletters electronically.
- Sec. 375. The department is prohibited from reimbursing
- 26 contractors or consultants for costs associated with groundbreaking
- 27 ceremonies, receptions, open houses, or press conferences related

- 1 to transportation projects funded, in whole or in part, by revenue
- 2 appropriated in part 1.
- 3 Sec. 376. No later than March 1, 2011, the department shall
- 4 report to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 5 transportation on the status of the 17 projects that were initially
- 6 deferred in the department's 5-year plan in 2003 and subsequently
- 7 restored. It is the intent of the legislature that this be the
- 8 final report on the status of these 17 projects.
- 9 Sec. 383. (1) The department shall prepare a quarterly report
- 10 on all travel by executive branch employees, and others including
- 11 local public officials, university employees, and other public
- 12 employees on department-owned aircraft. The report shall include,
- 13 by department, the name of the traveler, the travel origination
- 14 location, the travel destination location, type of aircraft, and
- 15 the total estimated costs associated with the air travel.
- 16 (2) The report shall be submitted to the senate and house
- 17 appropriations subcommittees on transportation and the house and
- 18 senate fiscal agencies.
- 19 (3) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department is
- 20 prohibited from transporting legislators or legislative staff on
- 21 state-owned aircraft without prior approval from the senate
- 22 majority leader or the speaker of the house of representatives and
- 23 only when the aircraft is already scheduled by state employees on
- 24 related official state business.
- 25 (4) The department shall maintain a system for recovering the
- 26 cost of operating department-owned aircraft through charges to
- 27 aircraft users.

- 1 Sec. 384. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 2 department may expend from October 1, 2010 through December 31,
- 3 2010 an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 of state transportation
- 4 revenue under any contract originally entered into before September
- 5 1, 2010 for the Detroit River International Crossing.
- 6 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department may
- 7 expend from January 1, 2011 through May 31, 2011 \$500,000.00 of
- 8 state transportation revenue under any contract originally entered
- 9 into before September 1, 2010 for the Detroit River International
- 10 Crossing.
- 11 (3) The department shall not commit the state to any new
- 12 contract related to the Detroit River International Crossing, after
- 13 September 1, 2010, unless the legislature has enacted specific
- 14 enabling legislation to allow for the construction of the Detroit
- 15 River International Crossing.
- 16 (4) Notwithstanding anything that may be to the contrary in
- 17 subsection (1), on or before March 31, 2011, the department shall
- 18 report to the state budget director, the house and senate
- 19 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, and the house and
- 20 senate fiscal agencies on department activities related to the
- 21 Detroit River International Crossing.
- 22 (5) If the legislature enacts specific enabling legislation
- 23 for the construction of the Detroit River International Crossing,
- 24 subsections (1), (2), and (3) do not apply once the enabling
- 25 legislation goes into effect.
- Sec. 385. The department shall not use toll credits generated
- 27 by a private tolled bridge crossing to finance, design, plan,

- 1 construct, operate, or maintain any international bridge crossing
- 2 within 5 miles of that privately tolled bridge.
- 3 Sec. 393. The department shall promote best practices for
- 4 public transportation services in this state, including, but not
- 5 limited to, the following:
- 6 (a) Transit vehicle rehabilitation to reduce life-cycle cost
- 7 of public transportation through mid-life rehabilitation of transit
- 8 buses.
- 9 (b) Coordination with the Michigan economic development
- 10 corporation to promote transition of bus fleets hybrid transit
- 11 vehicles with a view to promotion of fuel economy.
- 12 (c) Cooperation between entities using transit, including
- 13 school districts, cities, townships, and counties with a view to
- 14 promoting cost savings through joint purchasing of fuel and other
- 15 procurements.
- 16 (d) Coordination of transportation dollars among state
- 17 departments which provide transit-related services, including the
- 18 department of human services and the department of community
- 19 health. Priority should be given to use of public transportation
- 20 services where available.
- 21 (e) Promotion of intelligent transportation services for buses
- 22 that incorporate computer and navigation technology to make
- 23 transit systems more efficient, including stoplight coordinating,
- 24 vehicle tracking, data tracking, and computerized scheduling.
- Sec. 394. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 26 department shall conduct a study, in consultation with the county
- 27 road association of Michigan and the Michigan municipal league, of

- 1 the current statutory formulae for the distribution of state and
- 2 federal revenue for surface transportation programs. The study
- 3 shall include an analysis of alternative distribution strategies
- 4 and a discussion of the extent to which current and alternative
- 5 distribution formulae contribute to statewide transportation goals.
- 6 The study shall include all of the following:
- 7 (a) A discussion of alternative distribution strategies for
- 8 state and local road and street programs, including distribution
- 9 methods based on vehicle miles traveled as compared to lane miles.
- 10 (b) A comparison of vehicle miles traveled to lane miles for
- 11 the sampled geographical areas as well as comparisons to other
- 12 states and an evaluation of best practices.
- 13 (c) A discussion of alternative methods of distributing state
- 14 operating assistance for local bus transit programs, including an
- 15 analysis of incentives for those agencies which demonstrate
- 16 efficient use of resources and increasing ridership levels.
- 17 (d) An analysis of the fiscal impact of alternative strategies
- 18 to individual transit and road agencies.
- 19 (2) The department shall deliver a report on the findings of
- 20 the study by March 1, 2011 to the house and senate appropriations
- 21 subcommittees on transportation, the house and senate
- 22 transportation committees, the house and senate fiscal agencies,
- 23 and the state budget director.
- 24 Sec. 395. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 25 department assume jurisdiction of county road C-56 between US-31 at
- 26 Charlevoix and M-75 at Boyne City in Charlevoix County.
- 27 Sec. 398. The appropriation included in part 1 to a nonprofit

- 1 street railway is pursuant to section 10e(22) of 1951 PA 51, MCL
- 2 247.660e. A nonprofit street railway receiving appropriations from
- 3 part 1 shall submit a quarterly report to the department,
- 4 including, but not limited to, the construction spending, operating
- 5 cost, revenue, and ridership, for the preceding fiscal quarter no
- 6 later than 60 days after the end of the quarter.
- 7 Sec. 399. The appropriation in section 118 for transit-
- 8 oriented development is intended to provide matching funds for
- 9 transit-oriented development projects, including, but not limited
- 10 to, high-speed rail, commuter and light rail, or fixed-guideway
- 11 projects.

12 FEDERAL

- 13 Sec. 401. Within 30 days of receiving the applicable fiscal
- 14 year authorization from the federal government to commit
- 15 transportation funds, the department shall notify local agency
- 16 representatives, the senate and house of representatives
- 17 appropriations transportation subcommittees, the senate and house
- 18 fiscal agencies, and the state budget director regarding the amount
- 19 of federal aid for categorical allocations to state and local
- 20 agency programs not specifically allocated in either federal or
- 21 state law.
- 22 Sec. 402. A portion of the federal DOT-FHWA highway research,
- 23 planning, and construction funds made available to the state shall
- 24 be allocated to transportation programs administered by local
- 25 jurisdictions in accordance with section 100 of 1951 PA 51, MCL
- 26 247.660o. A local road agency, with respect to a project approved

- 1 for federal aid funding in a state transportation improvement
- 2 program, may enter into a voluntary buyout agreement with the
- 3 department or with another local road agency to exchange the
- 4 federal aid with state restricted transportation funds as agreed to
- 5 by the respective parties. The state restricted transportation
- 6 funds received in exchange for federal aid funds shall be used for
- 7 the same purpose as the federal aid funds were originally intended.

MICHIGAN TRANSPORTATION FUND

- 9 Sec. 501. The money received under the motor carrier act, 1933
- 10 PA 254, MCL 475.1 to 479.43, and not appropriated to the department
- 11 of energy, labor, and economic growth or the department of state
- 12 police is deposited in the Michigan transportation fund.
- 13 Sec. 502. The department of treasury shall perform audits and
- 14 make investigations of the disposition of all state funds received
- 15 by county road commissions or county boards of commissioners, as
- 16 applicable, and cities and villages for transportation purposes to
- 17 determine compliance with the terms and conditions of 1951 PA 51,
- 18 MCL 247.651 to 247.675. County road commissions or county boards of
- 19 commissioners, as applicable, and cities and villages shall make
- 20 available to the department of treasury the pertinent records for
- 21 the audit.

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- 22 Sec. 503. (1) The funds appropriated in part 1 for the
- 23 economic development and local bridge programs shall not lapse at
- 24 the end of the fiscal year but shall carry forward each fiscal year
- 25 for the purposes for which appropriated in accordance with 1987 PA
- 26 231, MCL 247.901 to 247.913, and section 10(5) of 1951 PA 51, MCL

- **1** 247.660.
- 2 (2) Interest earned in the department of transportation
- 3 economic development fund and local bridge fund shall remain in the
- 4 respective funds and shall be allocated to the respective programs
- 5 based on actual interest earned at the end of each fiscal year.
- **6** (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 7 department of transportation economic development fund and local
- 8 bridge fund may receive federal, local, or private funds or
- 9 restricted source funds such as interest earnings. These funds are
- 10 appropriated for projects that are consistent with the purposes of
- 11 the respective funds.
- 12 (4) None of the funds statutorily dedicated to the
- 13 transportation economic development fund and local bridge fund
- 14 shall be diverted to other projects.
- 15 Sec. 504. Funds from the Michigan transportation fund (MTF)
- 16 shall be distributed to the comprehensive transportation fund
- 17 (CTF), the economic development fund (EDF), the recreation
- 18 improvement fund (RIF), and the state trunkline fund (STF), in
- 19 accordance with this act and part 711 of the natural resources and
- 20 environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.71101 to
- 21 324.71108, and may only be used as specified in this act, 1951 PA
- 22 51, MCL 247.651 to 247.675, and part 711 of the natural resources
- 23 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.71101 to
- **24** 324.71108.

25 STATE TRUNKLINE FUND

26 Sec. 601. The department shall work with the road construction

- 1 industry and engineering consulting community to develop
- 2 performance and road construction warranties for construction
- 3 contracts. The development of warranties shall include warranties
- 4 on materials, workmanship, performance criteria, and design/build
- 5 projects. The department will report by September 30 of each
- 6 calendar year to the house of representatives and senate
- 7 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the state budget
- 8 director, and the house and senate fiscal agencies on the status of
- 9 efforts to develop performance and road construction warranties.
- 10 Sec. 602. If the department uses manufactured pipe for road
- 11 construction drainage, the department shall require that pipe used
- 12 under certain load-bearing conditions beneath the roadway meets the
- 13 standards established by the American society for testing and
- 14 materials (ASTM) or American association of state highway and
- 15 transportation officials (AASHTO). The department may also use the
- 16 mandrel test for manufactured pipe 60 days after installation and
- 17 provide a summary of the results of these inspections to the house
- 18 of representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 19 transportation and house and senate fiscal agencies.
- Sec. 603. The department shall use traffic congestion as 1 of
- 21 the criteria in determining the priorities for designating which
- 22 roads shall be remediated in its 5-year road plan, which must be
- 23 submitted on or before March 1 of each year. Criteria for
- 24 evaluating traffic congestion shall include, but not be limited to,
- 25 coordination with local, county, and regional planning, improvement
- 26 in traffic operations, improvement in physical roadway conditions,
- 27 accident reduction, and coordination with area public

- 1 transportation planning.
- 2 Sec. 604. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 3 department shall place signs designed in compliance with the
- 4 Michigan manual on uniform traffic control devices for streets and
- 5 highways at each highway construction work zone subject to the
- 6 jurisdiction of the department. The signs shall notify the
- 7 operators of vehicles in a work zone of the increased fines and
- 8 penalties provided for the protection and safety of construction
- 9 workers and the public under section 601b of the Michigan vehicle
- 10 code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.601b.
- Sec. 607. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 12 Michigan department of transportation work to add a southbound
- 13 entrance ramp at the interchange of I-75 at Corunna Road in the
- 14 charter township of Flint.
- 15 Sec. 608. From the amounts appropriated in part 1 for forest
- 16 roads from the transportation economic development fund, \$40,000.00
- 17 shall be used for the purpose of establishing 2 additional truck
- 18 inspection stations. The department shall work directly with
- 19 representatives of the timber industry to educate truck drivers on
- 20 the use of the stations. The department shall report on the status
- 21 of this program.
- Sec. 610. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 23 department have as a priority the removal of dead deer and other
- 24 large animal remains from the traveled portion and shoulder of
- 25 state highways. The department, and counties that perform state
- 26 highway maintenance under contract, shall remove animal remains,
- 27 wherever practicable, away from the traveled portion and shoulder

- 1 of state highways.
- 2 Sec. 612. The department shall establish guidelines governing
- 3 incentives and disincentives provided under contracts for state
- 4 trunkline projects. The guidelines shall include specific financial
- 5 information concerning incentives and disincentives. On or before
- 6 January 1 of each year, the department shall prepare a report for
- 7 the immediately preceding fiscal year regarding contract incentives
- 8 and disincentives. This report shall include a list, by project, of
- 9 the contractors that received contract incentives and/or
- 10 disincentives, the amount of the incentives and/or disincentives,
- 11 and the number of days that each project was completed either ahead
- 12 or past the contracted completion date. This report shall be
- 13 provided to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 14 transportation, the senate and house standing committees on
- 15 transportation, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- Sec. 615. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 17 department shall proceed with the construction of a full
- 18 interchange at the intersection of M-48 and I-75 in Chippewa
- 19 County. It is the intent of the legislature that the department
- 20 develop design plans and award the construction contract for this
- 21 project during the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011.
- Sec. 654. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 23 Mackinac Bridge Authority work to protect the long-term viability
- 24 of the Mackinac Bridge.
- Sec. 656. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 26 department upgrade that section of M-49 from M-99 to US-12 to
- 27 standards necessary for designation as a designated highway as

- 1 provided under sections 717 and 718 of the Michigan vehicle code,
- 2 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.717 and 257.718, and for inclusion as a
- 3 "green" special designated highway on the department's truck
- 4 operator's map.
- 5 Sec. 658. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 6 department proceed with the reconstruction of the interchange at I-
- 7 196 and Phoenix Road in South Haven.
- 8 Sec. 659. For pavement projects for which there are no
- 9 Michigan actual historic project maintenance, repair, and
- 10 resurfacing schedules and costs as recorded by the pavement
- 11 management system, the department may use actual historical and
- 12 comparable data for equivalent designs from states with similar
- 13 climates, soil structures, and vehicle traffic.
- 14 Sec. 660. The legislature encourages the department to examine
- 15 the use of alternative road surface materials, including recycled
- 16 materials, and to develop criteria and specifications for its use
- 17 in both department-managed and contracted projects.
- 18 Sec. 661. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 19 department complete engineering design work and right-of-way
- 20 acquisitions for the proposed expressway project along US-127 from
- 21 St. Johns in Clinton County to Ithaca in Gratiot County.
- 22 Sec. 662. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 23 department shall work with the Graafschap Fire Department and
- 24 Laketown Township to develop a gated, limited access point along
- 25 US-31 in Allegan County in order to improve emergency response
- 26 times along this highway.
- Sec. 664. It is the intent of the legislature that if actual

- 1 state-restricted revenue deposited to the Michigan transportation
- 2 fund exceeds the revenue estimates upon which the appropriations in
- 3 part 1 of this act were based, the department shall give priority
- 4 to reinstating delayed and deferred projects.
- 5 Sec. 665. It is the intent of the legislature that from the
- 6 funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall not purchase
- 7 property in Watervliet Charter Township along Interstate 94 for the
- 8 purpose of constructing a new rest area.

9 COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION FUND

- Sec. 701. Money that is received by the state as a lease
- 11 payment for state-owned intercity bus equipment is not money to be
- 12 deposited in the comprehensive transportation fund under section
- 13 10b of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.660b, but is money that is deposited in
- 14 an intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the purchase
- 15 and repair of intercity bus equipment. Proceeds received by the
- 16 state from the sale of intercity bus equipment are deposited in an
- 17 intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the purchase and
- 18 repair of intercity bus equipment. Security deposits from the lease
- 19 of state-owned intercity bus equipment not returned to the lessee
- 20 of the equipment under terms of the lease agreement are deposited
- 21 in an intercity bus equipment fund for appropriation for the repair
- 22 of intercity bus equipment. At the close of the fiscal year, any
- 23 funds remaining in the intercity bus equipment fund shall remain in
- 24 the fund and be carried forward into the succeeding fiscal year.
- Sec. 702. Money that is received by the state as repayment for
- 26 loans made for rail or water freight capital projects, and as a

- 1 result of the sale of property or equipment used or projected to be
- 2 used for rail or water freight projects shall be deposited in the
- 3 fund created by section 17 of the state transportation preservation
- 4 act of 1976, 1976 PA 295, MCL 474.67. At the close of the fiscal
- 5 year, any funds remaining in the rail freight fund shall remain in
- 6 the fund and be carried forward into the succeeding fiscal year.
- 7 Sec. 703. After receiving notification from a railroad company
- 8 pursuant to section 8 of the state transportation preservation act
- **9** of 1976, 1976 PA 295, MCL 474.58, the department shall immediately
- 10 notify the house of representatives and senate appropriations
- 11 subcommittees on transportation and the state budget office that
- 12 the railroad company has filed with the appropriate governmental
- 13 agencies for abandonment of a line.
- 14 Sec. 706. The Detroit/Wayne County port authority shall issue
- 15 a complete operations assessment and a financial disclosure
- 16 statement. The operations assessment shall include operational
- 17 goals for the next 5 years and recommendations to improve land
- 18 acquisition and development efficiency. The report shall be
- 19 completed and submitted to the house of representatives and senate
- 20 appropriations subcommittees on transportation, the state budget
- 21 director, and the house and senate fiscal agencies by February 15
- 22 of each fiscal year for the prior fiscal year.
- 23 Sec. 708. If funds appropriated in part 1 are used to provide
- 24 state-owned or state-leased buses to private intercity bus
- 25 carriers, the department shall charge not less than \$1,000.00 per
- 26 bus per year for their use.
- 27 Sec. 709. (1) The following bus routes are designated as an

1	essential corridor in Michigan:	
2	Between St. Ignace and Escanaba	US-2
3	Between Escanaba and Duluth	US-2 through Ironwood to the
4		state line
5	Between Calumet and Escanaba	US-41
6	Between Escanaba and Milwaukee	US-41 through Menominee to
7		the state line
8	Between St. Ignace and	
9	Sault Ste. Marie	I-75
10	Between Detroit and Chicago	I-94 from Detroit to the
11		state line
12	Between Detroit and Muskegon	I-96
13	Between Grand Rapids, Holland,	
14	and Benton Harbor	I-196 to I-94
15	Between Muskegon and Grand	
16	Rapids	US-31, I-96
17	Between Detroit and Bay City	I-75
18	Between Bay City and Mount	
19	Pleasant	US-10, M-20
20	Between Jackson and Traverse	US-127, US-27, I-75,
21	City	Grayling,
22		Gaylord, M-72 to Traverse
23		City
24	Between Jackson and	I-69, I-94 to the state line
25	Indianapolis	through Albion, Marshall,
26		and Coldwater
27	Between Houghton Lake and	

1	Cadillac	M-55 and M-66	
2	Between Detroit and Toledo	I-75 to the state line	
3	Between the Indiana state line		
4	and Traverse City	US-31 and I-196	
5	Between Detroit and Port Huron	I-375 and I-94	
6	Between Toledo and Bay City	US-23, I-75, and I-675, I-75	
7	Between Bay City and Chicago	I-75, Flint, I-69, I-94,	
8		Battle Creek, I-94 to the	
9		state line	
10	Between Flint and Lansing	I-69, M-21, Owosso, M-52,	
11		I-69	
12	Between Bay City and St. Ignace	I-75, US-23	
13	Between Grand Rapids and	US-131, Cadillac, M-115,	
14	St. Ignace	Mesick, M-37 to Traverse	
15		City, US-31, Acme, M-72,	
16		Kalkaska, US-131, Boyne	
17		Falls, M-75, Walloon Lake,	
18		US-131, Petoskey, US-31,	
19		I-75, St. Ignace	
20	Between Kalamazoo and Grand		
21	Rapids	US-131	
22	(2) Any changes to the essential corridor list in subsection		
23	(1) shall be approved by the house and senate appropriations		
24	subcommittees on transportation.		
25	(3) No entity shall receive operating assistance for a		
26	scheduled regular route service which is competing with another		
27	private or public carrier over the same route.		

- 1 Sec. 711. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 from the
- 2 comprehensive transportation fund for rail passenger service, the
- 3 department shall negotiate with a rail carrier to provide rail
- 4 service between Grand Rapids and Chicago and between Port Huron and
- 5 Chicago, consistent with the other provisions of this section.
- 6 (2) The rail carrier shall, as a condition to receiving a
- 7 state operating subsidy, maintain a system to monitor, collect, and
- 8 resolve customer complaints and shall make the information
- 9 available to the department, the house and senate appropriations
- 10 subcommittees on transportation, and the house and senate fiscal
- 11 agencies.
- 12 (3) Future state support for the service between Grand Rapids
- 13 and Chicago and Port Huron and Chicago is dependent on the
- 14 department's ability to provide a plan and a contract for services
- 15 that increase ridership and revenue, reduce operating costs, and
- 16 improve on-time performance.
- 17 (4) No state subsidy shall be provided from the funds
- 18 appropriated in part 1 if the chosen rail carrier is Amtrak and
- 19 Amtrak discontinued service or any portion of the service between
- 20 Port Huron and Chicago or Grand Rapids and Chicago during the
- 21 preceding fiscal year, unless the discontinuance of service was for
- 22 track maintenance or was caused by acts of God.
- (5) For rail passenger service supported in any part through
- 24 capital or operating assistance from funds appropriated in this
- 25 act, the department shall work with the rail carrier to identify
- 26 ways in which reasonable transport of bicycles by passengers can be
- 27 accommodated.

- 1 Sec. 714. The department, in cooperation with local transit
- 2 agencies, shall work to ensure that demand-response services are
- 3 provided throughout Michigan. The department shall continue to work
- 4 with local units of government to address the unmet transit needs
- 5 in Michigan.
- 6 Sec. 731. The department shall charge public transit agencies
- 7 and intercity bus carriers equal rates per square foot for leasing
- 8 space in state-owned intermodal facilities.
- 9 Sec. 734. (1) The department shall ensure that all public
- 10 transit agencies provide the highest quality public transit service
- 11 by moving people in a cost-effective, safe, and user-friendly
- 12 manner that maintains and attracts residents and businesses.
- 13 (2) Public transit agencies receiving funds under part 1 shall
- 14 do all of the following:
- 15 (a) Provide efficient, cost-effective, safe, well-maintained,
- 16 reliable, customer-driven transportation services.
- 17 (b) Provide a quality work environment that has and fulfills
- 18 employee performance, productivity, and development standards.
- 19 (c) Identify and capture all available funding or create cost-
- 20 effective programs to eliminate debt and have a balanced budget.
- 21 (d) Maintain sufficient local and community funding.
- (e) Support business development by providing transportation
- 23 to areas of employment and commerce, emerging or established
- 24 businesses, and health care facilities.
- Sec. 740. The department shall report by March 1 of each year
- 26 to the house of representatives and senate appropriations
- 27 subcommittees on transportation, the house and senate fiscal

- 1 agencies, and the state budget director the encumbered and
- 2 unencumbered balances of the comprehensive transportation fund.
- 3 Sec. 741. The department shall report by March 1, 2011 to the
- 4 house of representatives and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 5 transportation, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state
- 6 budget director on progress of operations on the Ann Arbor and NW
- 7 Michigan railroad, particularly concerning any use of the track
- 8 infrastructure for the purpose of supporting a passenger train
- 9 speed of 59 miles per hour.
- 10 Sec. 743. The legislature encourages the department to include
- 11 a hybrid-electric vehicle (HEV) option in all requests for proposal
- 12 for vehicles up to and including Class 5 purchased by or through
- 13 the department.
- 14 Sec. 745. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
- 15 comprehensive transportation fund debt service, up to
- 16 \$13,200,000.00 shall be transferred to a restricted account in
- 17 compliance with the internal revenue code of 1986, as required by
- 18 comprehensive transportation refunding bonds series 2009.

19 AERONAUTICS FUND

- 20 Sec. 801. Except as otherwise provided in section 903 for
- 21 capital outlay, at the close of the fiscal year, any unobligated
- 22 and unexpended balance in the state aeronautics fund created in the
- 23 aeronautics code of the state of Michigan, 1945 PA 327, MCL 259.1
- 24 to 259.208, shall lapse to the state aeronautics fund and be
- 25 appropriated by the legislature in the immediately succeeding
- 26 fiscal year.

CAPITAL OUTLAY

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- 2 Sec. 901. (1) From federal-state-local project appropriations
- 3 contained in part 1 for the purpose of assisting political entities
- 4 and subdivisions of this state in the construction and improvement
- 5 of publicly used airports and landing fields within this state, the
- 6 state transportation department may permit the award of contracts
- 7 on behalf of units of local government for the authorized locations
- 8 not to exceed the indicated amounts, of which the state allocated
- 9 portion shall not exceed the amount appropriated in part 1.
- 10 (2) Political entities and subdivisions shall provide not less
- 11 than 2.5% of the cost of any project under this section, unless a
- 12 total nonfederal share greater than 5% is otherwise specified in
- 13 federal law. State money shall not be allocated until local money
- 14 is allocated. State money for any 1 project shall not exceed 1/3 of
- 15 the total appropriation in part 1 from state funds for airport
- improvement programs.
- 17 (3) The Michigan aeronautics commission may take those steps
- 18 necessary to match federal money available for airport construction
- 19 and improvement within this state and to meet the matching
- 20 requirements of the federal government. Whether acting alone or
- 21 jointly with another political subdivision or public agency or with
- 22 this state, a political subdivision or public agency of this state
- 23 shall not submit to any agency of the federal government a project
- 24 application for airport planning or development unless it is
- 25 authorized in this act and the project application is approved by
- 26 the governing body of each political subdivision or public agency

- 1 making the application and by the Michigan aeronautics commission.
- 2 Sec. 902. Before the end of each fiscal year, the state
- 3 transportation department shall report to the house and senate
- 4 appropriations subcommittees on transportation the status of
- 5 airport improvement projects funded in part 1 with the estimated
- 6 dollars allocated for each project. If there has to be a delay in
- 7 reporting, the state transportation department shall notify the
- 8 house and senate appropriations subcommittees on transportation in
- 9 writing of the date the report will be received.
- 10 Sec. 903. The appropriations in part 1 for capital outlay
- 11 shall be carried forward at the end of the fiscal year consistent
- 12 with the provisions of section 248 of the management and budget
- 13 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1248.
- 14 Sec. 904. (1) The director shall allocate lump-sum
- 15 appropriations made in this act consistent with statutory
- 16 provisions and the purposes for which funds were appropriated.
- 17 Lump-sum allocations shall address priority program or facility
- 18 needs and may include, but are not limited to, design,
- 19 construction, remodeling and addition, special maintenance, major
- 20 special maintenance, energy conservation, and demolition.
- 21 (2) The state budget director may authorize that funds
- 22 appropriated for lump-sum appropriations and designated as work
- 23 project appropriations shall be available for no more than 3 fiscal
- 24 years following the fiscal year in which the original appropriation
- 25 was made. Any remaining balance from allocations made in this
- 26 section shall lapse to the fund from which it was appropriated
- 27 pursuant to the lapsing of funds as provided in the management and

1 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.