HOUSE BILL NO. 6295

June 30, 2022, Introduced by Rep. Yaroch and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend 1969 PA 296, entitled

"An act to provide for the transfer of jurisdiction over highways; to provide for the final determination of disputes involving transfers of highway jurisdiction; and to supersede certain acts and parts of acts,"

by amending sections 1 and 2 (MCL 247.851 and 247.852).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:
- ${\bf 2}$ (a) "Highway authority" means the state ${\color{blue} {\rm highway}}$ -transportation
- 3 commission, a board of county road commissioners, or the governing

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- 1 body of a city, or village, or township.
- 2 (b) "Highway" means a highway, road, or street.
- 3 (c) "Board" means the highway jurisdiction determination
- 4 board.
- 5 Sec. 2. The provisions of Notwithstanding any law to the
- 6 contrary, notwithstanding, a highway may not not [sic] be
- 7 transferred from the jurisdiction of the this state to a county,
- 8 city, or village, or from a county to a city, or village, or
- 9 township without the consent of both parties, except as provided by
- 10 this act. The consent shall must be evidenced by a written
- 11 agreement entered into after approval by resolution of each highway
- 12 authority that is party to the written agreement. The written
- 13 agreement shall must identify the effective date of the transfer of
- 14 jurisdiction, the limits and general description of the highway
- 15 involved, the extent of improvements, and other terms and
- 16 conditions mutually agreed to. The written agreement may be
- 17 amended, superseded, or voided by consent of both parties. If the
- 18 proposed transfer of jurisdiction is dependent on the future
- 19 opening of a new, relocated highway and a definite effective date
- 20 cannot be ascertained and agreed to at the time of the written
- 21 agreement, is entered into, the transfer shall be of jurisdiction
- 22 is effective upon the opening of the new, relocated highway unless
- 23 otherwise provided in the written agreement.