

**72-4-103 Deletion of highway from state highway system -- Return to county or municipality or abandonment.**

When a state highway or portion of a state highway is deleted from the state highway system by the Legislature or the commission, the department shall:

- (1) return or relinquish the state highway or portion of the state highway to the county or municipality in which it is situated; or
- (2) abandon the state highway or portion of the state highway if it no longer serves the purpose of a highway.

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