59	(1) The department may establish a sponsorship program to allow for private
60	sponsorship of the following department operational activities or other highway-related
61	services or programs:
62	(a) traveler information; $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow \mathbf{and} \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$
63	(b) rest areas $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\frac{\cdot}{\cdot}]$ and
64	(c) incident management services ←Ĥ .
65	(2) All revenue generated from a sponsorship authorized by this section shall be
66	deposited into the Transportation Fund created by Section 72-2-102 to be used to:
67	(a) offset costs associated with providing the service being sponsored; and
68	(b) support costs associated with operation and maintenance of the state highway
69	system.
70	(3) (a) The department shall adopt a policy on sponsorship agreements that is
71	applicable to all department operational activities or other highway-related services within the
72	state described in Subsection (1).
73	(b) The policy described in Subsection (3)(a) shall:
74	(i) include language requiring the department to terminate a sponsorship agreement if it
75	determines the sponsorship agreement or acknowledgment sign:
76	(A) presents a safety concern;
77	(B) interferes with the free and safe flow of traffic; or
78	(C) is not in the public interest; and
79	(ii) describe the sponsors and sponsorship agreements that are acceptable and
80	consistent with applicable state and federal laws.
81	(4) A sponsorship authorized by this section:
82	(a) may not contain:
83	(i) promotion of any substance or activity that is illegal for minors, such as alcohol,
84	tobacco, drugs, or gambling;
85	(ii) promotion of any political party, candidate, or issue; or
86	(iii) sexual material;
87	(b) may not resemble a traffic-control device as defined in Section 41-6a-102; and
88	(c) shall comply with federal outdoor advertising regulations in accordance with 23
89	<u>U.S.C. Sec. 131.</u>

90	(5) Ĥ→ [(a)] ← Ĥ In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative
90a	Rulemaking Act.
91	the department shall make and enforce rules governing:
92	$\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\underline{(i)}]$ (a) $\leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ the placement and size restrictions for acknowledgment signs at
92a	rest areas; Ĥ→ and
93	[(ii) the placement and size restrictions for sponsorships placed on department incident
94	management vehicles; and
95	(iii) (b) (d) other size, placement, and content restrictions that the department
95a	determines are
96	necessary.
97	Ĥ→ [(b) The rules made under Subsection (5)(a) shall limit the size of an advertisement to
98	no more than 35% of the total area of an incident management vehicle.
99	(6) (a) A sponsorship advertisement shall be painted or affixed by decal on an incident
100	management vehicle in a manner that complies with rules adopted under Subsection (5).
101	(b) (6) (A commercial advertiser that enters a sponsorship agreement with the
101a	department
102	for the use of space for a sponsorship shall pay:
103	$\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\underline{(i)}]$ (a) $\leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ the cost of placing the sponsorship advertisement on a
103a	sign Ĥ→ [or an incident
104	management vehicle] ←Ĥ; and
105	$\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow [\underline{(ii)}] \underline{(\mathbf{b})} \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ for the removal of the sponsorship advertisement after the term
105a	of the sponsorship
106	agreement has expired.

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