

**Senator Wayne A. Harper** proposes the following substitute bill:

**FIRST CLASS COUNTY HIGHWAY ROAD FUNDS**

**AMENDMENTS**

2021 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill allocates funds in the County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund and authorizes the issuance of a general obligation bond for certain transportation projects.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- ▶ allocates revenue from certain local option registration fees;
- ▶ allocates funds in the County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund to cities as one-time distributions;
- ▶ allocates funds in the County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund for annual distributions to certain political subdivisions within Salt Lake County for the next 15 years, subject to availability of funds;
- ▶ authorizes the issuance of a general obligation bond for certain transportation improvements and infrastructure loans; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**



26 None

27 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

28 AMENDS:

29 **41-1a-1222**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapter 403

30 **63I-1-272**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 154

31 **72-2-121**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Fifth Special Session, Chapter 20

32 ENACTS:

33 **63B-31-101**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

34 **63B-31-102**, Utah Code Annotated 1953



36 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

37 Section 1. Section **41-1a-1222** is amended to read:

38 **41-1a-1222. Local option highway construction and transportation corridor**  
39 **preservation fee -- Exemptions -- Deposit -- Transfer -- County ordinance -- Notice.**

40 (1) As used in this section:

41 (a) "Metro township" means the same as that term is defined in Section **10-2a-403**.

42 (b) "Unincorporated" means the same as that term is defined in Section **10-1-104**.

43 ~~[(1)]~~ (2) (a) (i) Except as provided in Subsection ~~[(1)]~~ (2)(a)(ii), a county legislative  
44 body may impose a local option highway construction and transportation corridor preservation  
45 fee of up to \$10 on each motor vehicle registration within the county.

46 (ii) A county legislative body may impose a local option highway construction and  
47 transportation corridor preservation fee of up to \$7.75 on each motor vehicle registration for a  
48 six-month registration period under Section **41-1a-215.5** within the county.

49 (iii) A fee imposed under Subsection ~~[(1)]~~ (2)(a)(i) or (ii) shall be set in whole dollar  
50 increments.

51 (b) If imposed under Subsection ~~[(1)]~~ (2)(a), at the time application is made for  
52 registration or renewal of registration of a motor vehicle under this chapter, the applicant shall  
53 pay the local option highway construction and transportation corridor preservation fee  
54 established by the county legislative body.

55 (c) The following are exempt from the fee required under Subsection ~~[(1)]~~ (2)(a):

56 (i) a motor vehicle that is exempt from the registration fee under Section **41-1a-1209** or

57 Subsection 41-1a-419(3);

58 (ii) a commercial vehicle with an apportioned registration under Section 41-1a-301;

59 and

60 (iii) a motor vehicle with a Purple Heart special group license plate issued in

61 accordance with Section 41-1a-421.

62 ~~[(2)]~~ (3) (a) Except as provided in Subsection ~~[(2)]~~ (3)(b), the revenue generated under  
63 this section shall be:

64 (i) deposited in the Local Highway and Transportation Corridor Preservation Fund  
65 created in Section 72-2-117.5;

66 (ii) credited to the county from which it is generated; and

67 (iii) used and distributed in accordance with Section 72-2-117.5.

68 (b) The revenue generated by a fee imposed under this section in a county of the first  
69 class shall be deposited or transferred as follows:

70 (i) ~~[70%]~~ 50% of the revenue shall be:

71 (A) deposited in the County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund created in  
72 Section 72-2-121; and

73 (B) used in accordance with Section 72-2-121; ~~[and]~~

74 (ii) 30% of the revenue shall be deposited, credited, and used as provided in Subsection  
75 ~~[(2)(a)]~~ (3)(a); and

76 (iii) 20% of the revenue shall be transferred to the legislative body of a county of the  
77 first class.

78 (4) Beginning in a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2023, and for 15 years  
79 thereafter, the legislative body of the county of the first class shall annually transfer, from the  
80 revenue transferred to the legislative body of a county of the first class as described in  
81 Subsection (3)(b)(iii):

82 (a) \$300,000 to Kearns township; and

83 (b) \$225,000 to Magna township.

84 ~~[(3)]~~ (5) To impose or change the amount of a fee under this section, the county  
85 legislative body shall pass an ordinance:

86 (a) approving the fee;

87 (b) setting the amount of the fee; and

88 (c) providing an effective date for the fee as provided in Subsection ~~[(4)]~~ (6).  
 89 ~~[(4)]~~ (6) (a) If a county legislative body enacts, changes, or repeals a fee under this  
 90 section, the enactment, change, or repeal shall take effect on July 1 if the commission receives  
 91 notice meeting the requirements of Subsection ~~[(4)]~~ (6)(b) from the county prior to April 1.

92 (b) The notice described in Subsection ~~[(4)]~~ (6)(a) shall:  
 93 (i) state that the county will enact, change, or repeal a fee under this part;  
 94 (ii) include a copy of the ordinance imposing the fee; and  
 95 (iii) if the county enacts or changes the fee under this section, state the amount of the  
 96 fee.

97 Section 2. Section **63B-31-101** is enacted to read:

98 **Part 1. 2021 Highway General Obligation Bonds**

99 **63B-31-101. Transportation bonds -- Maximum amount -- Use for transportation**  
 100 **projects and related facilities.**

101 (1) (a) Subject to the restriction in Subsection (1)(c), the total amount of bonds issued  
 102 under this section may not exceed \$20,000,000.

103 (b) When the Department of Transportation certifies to the commission the amount of  
 104 bond proceeds that the commission needs to provide funding for the projects described in  
 105 Subsection (2), the commission may issue and sell general obligation bonds in an amount equal  
 106 to the certified amount plus costs of issuance.

107 (c) The commission may not issue general obligation bonds authorized under this  
 108 section if the issuance for general obligation bonds would result in the total current outstanding  
 109 general obligation debt of the state exceeding 50% of the limitation described in the Utah  
 110 Constitution, Article XIV, Section 1.

111 (2) (a) Proceeds from the bonds issued under this section shall be provided to the  
 112 Department of Transportation to pay for or to provide funds to a municipality or county to pay  
 113 for the costs of right-of-way acquisition, construction, reconstruction, renovations, or  
 114 improvements to highways, transportation facilities, or multimodal transportation projects  
 115 described in Subsection (2)(b).

116 (b) Bond proceeds described under Subsection (2)(a) shall be used to pay for the  
 117 following local transportation projects, transportation facilities, or multimodal transportation  
 118 projects:

119 (i) construction and improvements to 14600 South in Bluffdale; and  
120 (ii) construction of a parking structure in South Jordan.  
121 (c) The costs under this Subsection (2) may include the costs of acquiring land,  
122 interests in land, easements and rights-of-way, the costs of improving sites, making all  
123 improvements necessary, incidental, or convenient to the facilities, and the costs of interest  
124 estimated to accrue on these bonds during the period to be covered by construction of the  
125 projects plus a period of six months after the end of the construction period, interest estimated  
126 to accrue on any bond anticipation notes issued under the authority of this title, and all related  
127 engineering, architectural, and legal fees.

128 (3) (a) Proceeds from bonds authorized by this section shall be allocated, subject to  
129 Subsection (4)(a), as follows:

130 (i) up to \$12,000,000 to Bluffdale; and

131 (ii) up to \$8,000,000 to South Jordan.

132 (b) The executive director of the Department of Transportation may allocate bond  
133 proceeds under this section together, or for each project separately, when the executive director  
134 is satisfied that the planning, engineering, design, and commitment are present to complete the  
135 project.

136 (4) (a) Before the Department of Transportation may provide proceeds to a  
137 municipality for a project described in Subsection (2)(b), the municipality shall provide a  
138 detailed cost estimate of costs to complete the planning and design of the project.

139 (b) After receiving a cost estimate described in Subsection (4)(a), the Department of  
140 Transportation may provide to a municipality proceeds reasonably necessary to complete the  
141 planning and design of the project.

142 (c) After completion of the planning and design of a project, the municipality shall  
143 provide to the Department of Transportation a detailed estimate of the costs to construct and  
144 complete a project described in Subsection (2)(b).

145 (d) If approved by the executive director of the Department of Transportation, the  
146 Department of Transportation may provide funds to a municipality to construct and complete a  
147 project described in Subsection (2)(b).

148 Section 3. Section **63B-31-102** is enacted to read:

149 **63B-31-102. Transportation bonds -- Maximum amount -- Use for State**

150 **Infrastructure Bank Fund loans.**

151 (1) (a) Subject to the restriction in Subsection (1)(c), the total amount of bonds issued  
152 under this section may not exceed \$30,000,000.

153 (b) When the Department of Transportation certifies to the commission the amount of  
154 bond proceeds that the commission needs to provide funding for the purposes described in  
155 Subsection (2), the commission may issue and sell general obligation bonds in an amount equal  
156 to the certified amount plus costs of issuance.

157 (c) The commission may not issue general obligation bonds authorized under this  
158 section if the issuance for general obligation bonds would result in the total current outstanding  
159 general obligation debt of the state exceeding 50% of the limitation described in the Utah  
160 Constitution, Article XIV, Section 1.

161 (2) (a) Proceeds from the bonds issued under this section shall be provided to the  
162 Department of Transportation to transfer to the State Infrastructure Bank Fund created in  
163 Section 72-2-202 to be used to issue loans pursuant to Title 72, Chapter 2, Part 2, State  
164 Infrastructure Bank Fund.

165 (b) Any distribution from the State Infrastructure Bank Fund shall be contingent upon a  
166 commitment from the borrower that revenue is available to repay the loan from the State  
167 Infrastructure Bank Fund which shall be paid in whole or in part from revenue distributions  
168 described in Subsection 72-2-121(4)(m).

169 (c) Notwithstanding Subsection 72-2-204(2), a loan or assistance made with proceeds  
170 from bonds issued under this section shall bear an interest rate not to exceed .5% above the  
171 bond market interest rate available to the state for an issuance under this section.

172 Section 4. Section **63I-1-272** is amended to read:

173 **63I-1-272. Repeal dates, Title 72.**

174 (1) Subsection 72-2-121~~(9)~~(10), which creates transportation advisory committees, is  
175 repealed July 1, 2022.

176 (2) Title 72, Chapter 4, Part 3, Utah State Scenic Byway Program, is repealed January  
177 2, 2025.

178 Section 5. Section **72-2-121** is amended to read:

179 **72-2-121. County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund.**

180 (1) There is created a special revenue fund within the Transportation Fund known as

181 the "County of the First Class Highway Projects Fund."

182 (2) The fund consists of money generated from the following revenue sources:

183 (a) any voluntary contributions received for new construction, major renovations, and  
184 improvements to highways within a county of the first class;

185 (b) the portion of the sales and use tax described in Subsection 59-12-2214(3)(b)  
186 deposited ~~[in]~~ into or transferred to the fund;

187 (c) the portion of the sales and use tax described in Section 59-12-2217 deposited ~~[in]~~  
188 into or transferred to the fund; and

189 (d) a portion of the local option highway construction and transportation corridor  
190 preservation fee imposed in a county of the first class under Section 41-1a-1222 deposited ~~[in]~~  
191 into or transferred to the fund.

192 (3) (a) The fund shall earn interest.

193 (b) All interest earned on fund money shall be deposited into the fund.

194 (4) The executive director shall use the fund money only:

195 (a) to pay debt service and bond issuance costs for bonds issued under Sections  
196 63B-16-102, 63B-18-402, and 63B-27-102;

197 (b) for right-of-way acquisition, new construction, major renovations, and  
198 improvements to highways within a county of the first class and to pay any debt service and  
199 bond issuance costs related to those projects, including improvements to a highway located  
200 within a municipality in a county of the first class where the municipality is located within the  
201 boundaries of more than a single county;

202 (c) for the construction, acquisition, use, maintenance, or operation of:

203 (i) an active transportation facility for nonmotorized vehicles;

204 (ii) multimodal transportation that connects an origin with a destination; or

205 (iii) a facility that may include a:

206 (A) pedestrian or nonmotorized vehicle trail;

207 (B) nonmotorized vehicle storage facility;

208 (C) pedestrian or vehicle bridge; or

209 (D) vehicle parking lot or parking structure;

210 (d) to transfer to the 2010 Salt Lake County Revenue Bond Sinking Fund created by  
211 Section 72-2-121.3 the amount required in Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) minus the amounts

212 transferred in accordance with Subsection 72-2-124(4)(a)(iv);

213 (e) for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2013, to pay debt service and bond  
214 issuance costs for \$30,000,000 of the bonds issued under Section 63B-18-401 for the projects  
215 described in Subsection 63B-18-401(4)(a);

216 (f) for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2013, and after the department has  
217 verified that the amount required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund, to  
218 transfer an amount equal to 50% of the revenue generated by the local option highway  
219 construction and transportation corridor preservation fee imposed under Section 41-1a-1222 in  
220 a county of the first class:

221 (i) to the legislative body of a county of the first class; and

222 (ii) to be used by a county of the first class for:

223 (A) highway construction, reconstruction, or maintenance projects; or

224 (B) the enforcement of state motor vehicle and traffic laws;

225 (g) for fiscal year 2015-16 only, and after the department has verified that the amount  
226 required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund and the transfer under  
227 Subsection (4)(e) has been made, to transfer an amount equal to \$25,000,000:

228 (i) to the legislative body of a county of the first class; and

229 (ii) to be used by the county for the purposes described in this section;

230 (h) for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2015, after the department has verified  
231 that the amount required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund and the  
232 transfer under Subsection (4)(e) has been made, to annually transfer an amount [~~equal to up to~~  
233 ~~42.5%~~] of the sales and use tax revenue imposed in a county of the first class and deposited  
234 into the fund in accordance with Subsection 59-12-2214(3)(b) equal to an amount needed to  
235 cover the debt to:

236 (i) the appropriate debt service or sinking fund for the repayment of bonds issued under  
237 Section 63B-27-102; [~~and~~]

238 (ii) the Transportation Fund created in Section 72-2-102 until \$28,079,000 has been  
239 deposited into the Transportation Fund; and

240 (iii) the appropriate debt service or sinking fund for the repayment of bonds issued  
241 under Sections 63B-31-101 and 63B-31-102;

242 (i) [~~for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2018,~~] after the department has



243 verified that the amount required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund  
244 and after the transfer under Subsection (4)(d), the payment under Subsection (4)(e), and the  
245 transfers under Subsections (4)(h)(i) and (ii) have been made, to annually transfer [~~20% of the~~  
246 ~~amount deposited into the fund under Subsection (2)(b)] \$2,000,000 to a public transit district  
247 in a county of the first class to fund a system for public transit;~~

248 (j) for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2018, after the department has verified  
249 that the amount required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund and after  
250 the transfer under Subsection (4)(d), the payment under Subsection (4)(e), and the transfers  
251 under Subsections (4)(h)(i) and (ii) have been made, to annually transfer 20% of the amount  
252 deposited into the fund under Subsection (2)(b):

253 (i) to the legislative body of a county of the first class; and

254 (ii) to fund parking facilities in a county of the first class that facilitate significant  
255 economic development and recreation and tourism within the state;

256 (k) for the 2018-19 fiscal year only, after the department has verified that the amount  
257 required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund and after the transfer under  
258 Subsection (4)(d), the payment under Subsection (4)(e), and the transfers under Subsections  
259 (4)(h), (i), and (j) have been made, to transfer \$12,000,000 to the department to distribute for  
260 the following projects:

261 (i) \$2,000,000 to West Valley City for highway improvement to 4100 South;

262 (ii) \$1,000,000 to Herriman for highway improvements to Herriman Boulevard from  
263 6800 West to 7300 West;

264 (iii) \$1,100,000 to South Jordan for highway improvements to Grandville Avenue;

265 (iv) \$1,800,000 to Riverton for highway improvements to Old Liberty Way from 13400  
266 South to 13200 South;

267 (v) \$1,000,000 to Murray City for highway improvements to 5600 South from State  
268 Street to Van Winkle;

269 (vi) \$1,000,000 to Draper for highway improvements to Lone Peak Parkway from  
270 11400 South to 12300 South;

271 (vii) \$1,000,000 to Sandy City for right-of-way acquisition for Monroe Street;

272 (viii) \$900,000 to South Jordan City for right-of-way acquisition and improvements to  
273 10200 South from 2700 West to 3200 West;

274 (ix) \$1,000,000 to West Jordan for highway improvements to 8600 South near  
275 Mountain View Corridor;

276 (x) \$700,000 to South Jordan right-of-way improvements to 10550 South; and  
277 (xi) \$500,000 to Salt Lake County for highway improvements to 2650 South from  
278 7200 West to 8000 West; [~~and~~]

279 [~~(l) for a fiscal year beginning after the amount described in Subsection (4)(h) has been~~  
280 ~~repaid to the Transportation Fund until fiscal year 2030, or sooner if the amount described in~~  
281 ~~Subsection (4)(h)(ii) has been repaid, after the department has verified that the amount required~~  
282 ~~under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund and the transfer under Subsection~~  
283 ~~(4)(e) has been made, and after the bonds under Section 63B-27-102 have been repaid, to~~  
284 ~~annually transfer an amount equal to up to 42.5% of the sales and use tax revenue imposed in a~~  
285 ~~county of the first class and deposited into the fund in accordance with Subsection~~  
286 ~~59-12-2214(3)(b):]~~

287 [~~(i) to the legislative body of a county of the first class; and]~~  
288 [~~(ii) to be used by the county for the purposes described in this section.]~~

289 (l) subject to Subsection (5), for the 2020-2021 fiscal year only, after the department  
290 has verified that the amount required under Subsection 72-2-121.3(4)(c) is available in the fund  
291 and after the transfer under Subsection (4)(d), the payment under Subsection (4)(e), and the  
292 transfers under Subsections (4)(h), (i), and (j) have been made, to transfer the following  
293 amounts to the following cities:

294 (i) \$2,600,000 to South Salt Lake City;  
295 (ii) \$1,100,000 to Salt Lake City;  
296 (iii) \$1,100,000 to West Valley City;  
297 (iv) \$1,000,000 to Millcreek;  
298 (v) \$700,000 to Sandy;  
299 (vi) \$700,000 to West Jordan;  
300 (vii) \$500,000 to Murray;  
301 (viii) \$500,000 to South Jordan; and  
302 (ix) \$500,000 to Taylorsville; and  
303 (m) subject to Subsection (5), for a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2021, and  
304 for 15 years thereafter, to annually transfer the following amounts to the following cities, metro

305 townships, and the county of the first class for priority projects to mitigate congestion and  
306 improve transportation safety:

- 307 (i) \$1,100,000 to Salt Lake City;
- 308 (ii) \$1,100,000 to Sandy;
- 309 (iii) \$1,100,000 to Taylorsville;
- 310 (iv) \$1,100,000 to West Jordan;
- 311 (v) \$1,100,000 to West Valley City;
- 312 (vi) \$800,000 to Herriman;
- 313 (vii) \$700,000 to Draper;
- 314 (viii) \$700,000 to Riverton;
- 315 (ix) \$700,000 to South Jordan;
- 316 (x) \$500,000 to Midvale;
- 317 (xi) \$500,000 to Millcreek;
- 318 (xii) \$500,000 to Murray;
- 319 (xiii) \$400,000 to Cottonwood Heights; and
- 320 (xiv) \$300,000 to Holladay.

321 (5) (a) If revenue into the fund is insufficient to satisfy all of the transfers described in  
322 Subsection (4)(m), the executive director shall proportionately reduce the amounts transferred  
323 as described in Subsection (4)(m).

324 (b) A local government entity, as that term is defined in Section [63J-1-220](#), is exempt  
325 from entering into an agreement as described in Section [63J-1-220](#) pertaining to the receipt or  
326 expenditure of any funding described in Subsection (4)(l) or (m).

327 (c) A local government may not use revenue described in Subsections (4)(l) and (m) to  
328 supplant existing class B or class C road funds that a local government has budgeted for  
329 transportation projects.

330 (d) (i) A municipality or county that received a transfer of funds described in  
331 Subsection (4)(k) shall submit to the department a statement of cash flow and progress  
332 pertaining to the municipality's or county's respective project described in Subsection (4)(k).

333 (ii) After the department is satisfied that the municipality or county described in  
334 Subsection (4)(k) has made substantial progress and the expenditure of funds is programmed  
335 and imminent, the department may transfer to the same municipality or county the respective

336 amounts described in Subsections (4)(l) and (m).

337 ~~[(5)]~~ (6) The revenues described in Subsections (2)(b), (c), and (d) that are deposited  
338 ~~[in]~~ into the fund and bond proceeds from bonds issued under Sections [63B-16-102](#),  
339 [63B-18-402](#), and [63B-27-102](#) are considered a local matching contribution for the purposes  
340 described under Section [72-2-123](#).

341 ~~[(6)]~~ (7) The additional administrative costs of the department to administer this fund  
342 shall be paid from money in the fund.

343 ~~[(7)]~~ (8) Notwithstanding any statutory or other restrictions on the use or expenditure  
344 of the revenue sources deposited into this fund, the Department of Transportation may use the  
345 money in this fund for any of the purposes detailed in Subsection (4).

346 ~~[(8)]~~ (9) (a) For a fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2018, at the end of each  
347 fiscal year, after all programmed payments and transfers authorized or required under this  
348 section have been made, on November 30 the department shall transfer the remainder of the  
349 money in the fund to the Transportation Fund to reduce the amount owed to the Transportation  
350 Fund under Subsection ~~[(4)(j)(ii)]~~ (4)(h)(ii).

351 (b) The department shall provide notice to a county of the first class of the amount  
352 transferred in accordance with this Subsection ~~[(8)]~~ (9).

353 ~~[(9)]~~ (10) (a) Any revenue in the fund that is not specifically allocated and obligated  
354 under Subsections (4) through (8) is subject to the review process described in this Subsection  
355 ~~[(9)]~~ (10).

356 (b) A county of the first class shall create a county transportation advisory committee  
357 as described in Subsection ~~[(9)]~~ (10)(c) to review proposed transportation and, as applicable,  
358 public transit projects and rank projects for allocation of funds.

359 (c) The county transportation advisory committee described in Subsection ~~[(9)]~~ (10)(b)  
360 shall be composed of the following 13 members:

361 (i) six members who are residents of the county, nominated by the county executive  
362 and confirmed by the county legislative body who are:

363 (A) members of a local advisory council of a large public transit district as defined in  
364 Section [17B-2a-802](#);

365 (B) county council members; or

366 (C) other residents with expertise in transportation planning and funding; and

367 (ii) seven members nominated by the county executive, and confirmed by the county  
368 legislative body, chosen from mayors or managers of cities or towns within the county.

369 (d) (i) A majority of the members of the county transportation advisory committee  
370 constitutes a quorum.

371 (ii) The action by a quorum of the county transportation advisory committee constitutes  
372 an action by the county transportation advisory committee.

373 (e) The county body shall determine:

374 (i) the length of a term of a member of the county transportation advisory committee;

375 (ii) procedures and requirements for removing a member of the county transportation  
376 advisory committee;

377 (iii) voting requirements of the county transportation advisory committee;

378 (iv) chairs or other officers of the county transportation advisory committee;

379 (v) how meetings are to be called and the frequency of meetings, but not less than once  
380 annually; and

381 (vi) the compensation, if any, of members of the county transportation advisory  
382 committee.

383 (f) The county shall establish by ordinance criteria for prioritization and ranking of  
384 projects, which may include consideration of regional and countywide economic development  
385 impacts, including improved local access to:

386 (i) employment;

387 (ii) recreation;

388 (iii) commerce; and

389 (iv) residential areas.

390 (g) The county transportation advisory committee shall evaluate and rank each  
391 proposed public transit project and regionally significant transportation facility according to  
392 criteria developed pursuant to Subsection [~~9~~] (10)(f).

393 (h) (i) After the review and ranking of each project as described in this section, the  
394 county transportation advisory committee shall provide a report and recommend the ranked list  
395 of projects to the county legislative body and county executive.

396 (ii) After review of the recommended list of projects, as part of the county budgetary  
397 process, the county executive shall review the list of projects and may include in the proposed

398 budget the proposed projects for allocation, as funds are available.

399 (i) The county executive of the county of the first class, with information provided by  
400 the county and relevant state entities, shall provide a report annually to the county  
401 transportation advisory committee, and to the mayor or manager of each city, town, or metro  
402 township in the county, including the following:

403 (i) the amount of revenue received into the fund during the past year;

404 (ii) any funds available for allocation;

405 (iii) funds obligated for debt service; and

406 (iv) the outstanding balance of transportation-related debt.

407 [~~(10)~~] (11) As resources allow, the department shall study in 2020 transportation  
408 connectivity in the southwest valley of Salt Lake County, including the feasibility of  
409 connecting major east-west corridors to U-111.