

72-2-127 Share the Road Bicycle Support Restricted Account.

- (1) There is created in the General Fund the Share the Road Bicycle Support Restricted Account.
- (2) The account shall be funded by:
 - (a) contributions deposited into the account in accordance with Section 41-1a-422;
 - (b) appropriations to the account by the Legislature;
 - (c) private contributions; and
 - (d) donations or grants from public or private entities.
- (3) The Legislature shall appropriate funds in the account to the department.
- (4) The department may expend up to 5% of the money appropriated under Subsection (3) to administer account distributions in accordance with Subsections (5) and (6).
- (5) The department shall distribute contributions in the account to one or more charitable organizations that:
 - (a) are exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code;
 - (b) have as part of their primary mission the promotion and education of:
 - (i) safe bicycle operation;
 - (ii) safe motor vehicle operation around bicycles; and
 - (iii) healthy lifestyles; and
 - (c) contribute to the start-up fee for the production and administrative costs for providing a Share the Road Bicycle Support special group license plate in accordance with Subsection 41-1a-418(2)(a).
- (6)
 - (a) An organization described in Subsection (5) may apply to the department to receive a distribution in accordance with Subsection (5).
 - (b) An organization that receives a distribution from the department in accordance with Subsection (5) shall expend the distribution only to:
 - (i) pay the costs of reordering Share the Road Bicycle Support special group license plate decals;
 - (ii) produce and distribute materials to educate:
 - (A) bicyclists and motorists about safe bicycling, sharing the road, and obeying the law in Utah; and
 - (B) the public on healthy lifestyles;
 - (iii) participate in transportation planning that provides accommodations for safe bicycling;
 - (iv) promote a network of safe bicycling routes throughout the state; and
 - (v) provide other programs that promote bicycle safety.
 - (c) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the department may make rules providing procedures and requirements for an organization to apply to the department to receive a distribution under Subsection (5).

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