

REFERENCE TITLE: appropriation; State Route 347

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SB 1617

Introduced by
Senator Shope

AN ACT

AMENDING LAWS 2024, CHAPTER 211, SECTION 9; RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Laws 2024, chapter 211, section 9 is amended to read:

3 Sec. 9. Appropriation reductions; appropriation; department
4 of transportation; Riggs Road overpass; fiscal
5 years 2020-2021, 2022-2023 and 2025-2026; fund
6 balance transfer; intent

7 A. Notwithstanding any other law, the following amounts are reduced
8 from appropriations made to the following state agency in fiscal year
9 2020-2021 by Laws 2021, chapter 406, section 33, AS AMENDED BY LAWS 2022,
10 CHAPTER 33, SECTION 1 AND LAWS 2023, CHAPTER 135, SECTION 1, for the
11 following project:

12 B. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

13 Construct an overpass at Riggs Road
14 and State Route 347 \$(25,000,000)

15 Fund sources:

16 State general fund \$(25,000,000)

17 C. Notwithstanding any other law, the following amounts are reduced
18 from appropriations made to the following state agency in fiscal year
19 2022-2023 by Laws 2022, chapter 309, section 12, as amended by Laws 2023,
20 chapter 135, section 5, for the following project:

21 D. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

22 Construct an overpass at Riggs Road
23 and State Route 347 \$(24,000,000)

24 Fund sources:

25 State highway fund \$(24,000,000)

26 E. Notwithstanding any other law, on or before June 30, 2024,
27 \$24,000,000 from the state highway fund established by section 28-6991,
28 Arizona Revised Statutes, is transferred to the state general fund for the
29 purposes of providing adequate support and maintenance for agencies of
30 this state. This amount reflects a portion of the revenues derived from
31 the tax levied by title 42, chapter 5, articles 1 and 5, Arizona Revised
32 Statutes, that were transferred to the state highway fund by Laws 2022,
33 chapter 321, section 20, subsection A, paragraph 2.

34 F. The sum of \$49,000,000 is appropriated from the state general
35 fund in fiscal year ~~2027-2028~~ 2025-2026 to the department of
36 transportation to construct an overpass at Riggs Road and State Route 347.
37 ~~Consistent with this advance appropriation,~~ The legislature intends that
38 the overpass at Riggs Road and State Route 347 be funded in fiscal year
39 ~~2027-2028~~ 2025-2026.