REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY COMMISSION REVIEW AND ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

October 20, 2017

Co-Chairs:

The Highway Commission Review and Advisory Subcommittee met on Thursday, October 19, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Room B, MAC and heard testimony from Mr. Scott Bennett, Director, Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, regarding:

- 1. A report on recent activities of the Arkansas Department of Transportation including discussions by the Arkansas Highway Commission to pursue a ballot measure for a highway program for the November 2018 election.
- 2. A report on Public Road Construction Projects of \$10 million or more as required by the Arkansas Highway Improvement Plan of 2016.
- 3. Rules on the criteria for distribution of funds, as well as spending priority, from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund and the Road and Bridge Repair, Maintenance, and Grants Fund.
 - a. Action of "review" is scheduled for November meeting to allow members more time to evaluate rules

Respectfully Submitted, Rep. Andy Davis and Sen. Lance Eads