

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1844

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5 By: Representative Dawson

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 14-14-810 TO ALLOW COUNTY
10 GOVERNMENTS THE GENERAL AUTHORITY TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS TO
11 ROADWAYS FOR ACCESS TO PUBLIC ROADS FROM PRIVATE PROPERTY;
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

15 "TO ALLOW COUNTY GOVERNMENTS THE GENERAL
16 AUTHORITY TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS TO
17 ROADWAYS FOR ACCESS TO PUBLIC ROADS FROM
18 PRIVATE PROPERTY."

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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 14-14-810(a)(2)(A) is amended to read as
23 follows:

24 "(2)(A) It is, therefore, the purpose and intent of this section
25 *to authorize the quorum courts of counties having a population of no less than*
26 *seven thousand (7,000) nor more than seven thousand five hundred (7,500),*
27 *according to the 1980 Federal Decennial Census, and the quorum courts of*
28 *counties having a population of no less than twenty-nine thousand (29,000) nor*
29 *more than thirty-one thousand (31,000) according to the 1990 Federal Decennial*
30 *Census, to enact ordinances authorizing the county judge to provide for the*
31 *use of county road machinery and equipment, materials, supplies, and labor*
32 *to make improvements to the roadways serving private property that are*
33 *deemed essential, under standards and procedures established by the*
34 *court, to provide access to public festivals on private property and access to*
35 *the public roads of the county in cases of bad weather or the occurrence of*
36 *other events which may impair citizens of this state from obtaining reasonable*

1 and necessary access to the public roads of this state."
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3 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
4 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
5 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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7 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
8 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
9 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
10 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
11 act are declared to be severable.
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13 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
14 hereby repealed.

15 /s/Rep. Dawson
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