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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1353

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6 By: Senator G. Stubblefield  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF HIGHWAY  
10 REVENUES DISTRIBUTED TO COUNTY AND CITY FUNDS; AND  
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 HIGHWAY REVENUES DISTRIBUTED TO COUNTY  
17 AND CITY FUNDS.  
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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 § 27-70-207(c)(1)(A), concerning the  
23 distribution of highway funds to counties and cities, is amended read as  
24 follows:

25 (c)(1)(A) With the exception of those revenues transferred pursuant to  
26 Section 2 of the Highway Improvement Revenue Act of 2007, all highway  
27 revenues transferred to the Municipal Aid Fund under this subchapter shall be  
28 paid over by the Treasurer of State by direct deposit to the treasurers of  
29 the respective cities of the first class, cities of the second class, and  
30 incorporated towns for credit to the street fund, there to be used for  
31 transportation projects as deemed beneficial by the governing body of the  
32 political subdivision to include without limitation:

33 (i) The maintenance, construction, and  
34 reconstruction of streets that are not continuations of state highways and  
35 for other surface transportation;

36 (ii) Public transportation; ~~or~~



1 (iii) Any other transportation system improvement or  
2 service within the political subdivision, including without limitation those  
3 projects defined as a transportation system under § 27-76-103, regardless of  
4 whether or not the political subdivision is a member of a regional mobility  
5 authority; and

6 (iv) The purchase and replacement of a culvert  
7 draining mechanism:

8 (a) Located within the right-of-way of a  
9 privately owned driveway; and

10 (b) That is negatively impacting drainage as  
11 determined by the city's street department.