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<u>HB 2600</u>: appropriation; Loop 101 slip ramp Sponsor: Representative Espinoza, LD 19 Committee on Appropriations

<u>Overview</u>

Appropriates \$25,000,000 from the state General Fund (GF) in FY 2023 to the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) to distribute to the City of Tolleson for the Loop 101 slip ramp access project.

<u>History</u>

Laws 1973, Chapter 146 established ADOT to provide for an integrated and balanced state transportation system with a director responsible for the department's administration (<u>A.R.S. §</u> 28-331). ADOT has exclusive control and jurisdiction over state highways, state routes, state owned airports and all state- owned transportation systems or modes are vested in ADOT.

The duties of ADOT are as follows: 1) register motor vehicles and aircraft, license drivers, collect revenues, enforce motor vehicle and aviation statutes and perform related functions; 2) do multimodal state transportation planning, cooperate and coordinate transportation planning with local governments and establish an annually updated priority program of capital improvements for all transportation modes; 3) design and construct transportation facilities in accordance with a priority plan and maintain and operate state highways, state owned airports and state public transportation systems; 4) investigate new transportation systems and cooperate with and advise local governments concerning the development and operation of public transit systems; and 5) have administrative jurisdiction of transportation safety programs and implement them in accordance with applicable law (A.R.S. § 28-332).

Pursuant to <u>A.R.S. § 9-276</u>, cities and their governing bodies are permitted to lay out and establish, regulate the use, open, vacate, alter, widen, extend, grade, pave, plant trees or otherwise improve streets, alleys, avenues, sidewalks, parks, public grounds and off-street parking sites and acquire any property necessary or convenient for that purpose by the exercise of the right of eminent domain.

Provisions

1. Appropriates \$25,000,000 from the GF in FY 2023 to ADOT to distribute to the city of Tolleson for the Loop 101 slip ramp access project. (Sec. 1)