

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 SENATE BILL 693

By: Paxton

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to appropriations; making an  
8 appropriation to the Highway and Construction  
9 Maintenance Fund; stating amount of appropriation;  
10 stating purpose and restrictions; providing for  
11 certain funding to be based on certain formula;  
12 providing an effective date; and declaring an  
13 emergency.

14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

15 SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Highway  
16 Construction and Maintenance Fund (310 Fund) from any monies not  
17 otherwise appropriated from the Special Cash Fund of the State  
18 Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, the sum of Twenty  
19 Million Dollars (\$20,000,000.00) for the purposes of repairing and  
20 maintaining roads affected by oil and gas exploration in various  
21 counties and municipalities. The Department of Transportation shall  
22 transfer that appropriation to the various cities and counties in  
23 this state based on the following formula:

24 1. The first Six Million Six Hundred Sixty-six Thousand Six  
25 Hundred Sixty-seven Dollars (\$6,666,667.00) shall be deposited into

1 each county's general fund based on the number of oil and gas wells  
2 drilled in the county that were permitted between January 1, 2017,  
3 and December 21, 2018; and

4 2. The next Thirteen Million Three Hundred Thirty-three  
5 Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-three Dollars (\$13,333,333.00) shall  
6 be deposited to every municipality's general fund where an oil and  
7 gas well or wells were drilled in the county in which the  
8 municipality is located and permitted between January 1, 2017, and  
9 December 21, 2018. The appropriation shall be allocated based on  
10 the population of the municipality based on the most recent  
11 Decennial Census published by the United States Bureau of the Census;  
12 provided that no municipality's allocation shall exceed Two Hundred  
13 Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00).

14 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2019.

15 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
16 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
17 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
18 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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