

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0022

Multi-lane highways-funding.

Sponsored by: Joint Revenue Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to taxation and revenue; providing for  
2 funding for multi-lane highways as specified; and providing  
3 for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 39-17-211 by creating a new  
8 subsection (g) is amended to read:

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10 **39-17-211. Distribution.**

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12 (g) There is created an account within the highway  
13 fund to be designated as the multi-lane highway funding  
14 account. Funds appropriated into the multi-lane highway  
15 funding account shall only be expended for highway or other  
16 transportation projects prioritized by the transportation  
17 commission to enhance safety and mobility and to facilitate

1 economic and population growth. The budget for any road  
2 construction project funded from this account shall include  
3 an amount for enhancements including landscaping and public  
4 art, in an amount not less than one-half of one percent  
5 (.5%) of the total budget amount for the project. The  
6 department of transportation shall coordinate the use of  
7 state funds in the account created by this subsection in  
8 combination with any federal funds received for road  
9 construction or repair when practical to provide additional  
10 travel or turning lanes in the furtherance of this  
11 subsection.

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13 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2006.

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