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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1003

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ARIZONA RELATING TO USE AND DISTRIBUTION OF VEHICLE, USER AND GASOLINE AND DIESEL TAX RECEIPTS, AND AMENDING ARTICLE 9, SECTION 14, CONSTITUTION OF ARIZONA.

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Arizona, the House of Representatives concurring:

1. The following amendment of article 9, section 14, Constitution of Arizona, is proposed, to become valid when approved by a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon and upon proclamation of the governor:

14. Use and distribution of vehicle, user, and gasoline and diesel tax receipts

Section 14. No moneys derived from fees, excises or license taxes relating to registration, operation, or use of vehicles on the public highways or streets or to fuels or any other energy source used for the propulsion of vehicles on the public highways or streets, shall be expended for other than highway ~~and~~, street AND TRANSPORTATION purposes AS DEFINED BY LAW including, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, the cost of administering the state highway system and the laws creating such fees, excises, or license taxes, statutory refunds and adjustments provided by law, payment of principal and interest on highway and street bonds and obligations, expenses of state enforcement of traffic laws and state administration of

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traffic safety programs, payment of costs of publication and distribution of Arizona highways magazine, state costs of construction, reconstruction, maintenance or repair of public highways, streets, BICYCLE PATHWAYS, FOOT PATHWAYS, EQUESTRIAN TRAILS or bridges, costs of rights of way acquisitions and expenses related thereto, roadside development, and for distribution to counties, incorporated cities and towns to be used by them solely for highway ~~and~~, street AND TRANSPORTATION purposes AS DEFINED BY LAW including, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, costs of rights of way acquisitions and expenses related thereto, construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, roadside development, of county, city and town roads, streets, PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, BICYCLE PATHWAYS AND FACILITIES, OVERPASSES, UNDERPASSES, PARKWAYS, FOOT PATHWAYS, EQUESTRIAN TRAILS and bridges and payment of principal and interest on ~~highway and street~~ bonds FOR WHICH SUCH REVENUES ARE WHOLLY OR IN PART PLEDGED. As long as the total highway user revenues derived equals or exceeds the total derived in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970, the state and any county shall not receive from such revenues for the use of each and for distribution to cities and towns, fewer dollars than were received and distributed in such fiscal year. This section shall not apply to moneys derived from the automobile license tax imposed under section 11 of article IX of the Constitution of Arizona. All moneys collected in accordance with this section shall be distributed as provided by law.

2. The proposed amendment (approved by a majority of the members elected to each house of the legislature, and entered upon the respective journals thereof, together with the ayes and nays thereon) shall be by the secretary of state submitted to the qualified electors at the next regular general election (or at a special election called for that purpose), as provided by article 21, Constitution of Arizona.

Passed the Senate May 6, 1974 by the following vote: 27 Ayes, 1 Nays, 2 Not Voting.

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Passed the House May 7, 1974 by the following vote: 39 Ayes, 17 Nays, 4 Not Voting.

Approved by the Governor—May 9, 1974

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