

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB5050

Introduced 1/27/2022, by Rep. Fred Crespo

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 105/8.3 30 ILCS 105/8.3a new from Ch. 127, par. 144.3

Amends the State Finance Act. Provides that moneys in the Road Fund may be allocated to and used by the Illinois State Police for the purposes of the Division of Patrol Operations and to fund the patrolling of Illinois public highways and expressways by the Illinois State Police. Makes conforming and other changes.

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1 AN ACT concerning finance.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by changing Section 8.3 and by adding Section 8.3a as follows:
- 6 (30 ILCS 105/8.3) (from Ch. 127, par. 144.3)
 - Sec. 8.3. Money in the Road Fund shall, if and when the State of Illinois incurs any bonded indebtedness for the construction of permanent highways, be set aside and used for the purpose of paying and discharging annually the principal and interest on that bonded indebtedness then due and payable, and for no other purpose. The surplus, if any, in the Road Fund after the payment of principal and interest on that bonded indebtedness then annually due shall be used as follows:

first -- to pay the cost of administration of Chapters 2 through 10 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, except the cost of administration of Articles I and II of Chapter 3 of that Code, and to pay the costs of the Executive Ethics Commission for oversight and administration of the Chief Procurement Officer appointed under paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of Section 10-20 of the Illinois Procurement Code for transportation; and

23 secondly -- for expenses of the Department of

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Transportation for construction, reconstruction, improvement, repair, maintenance, operation, and administration of highways in accordance with the provisions of laws relating thereto, or for any purpose related or incident to and connected therewith, including the separation of grades of those highways with railroads and with highways and including the payment of awards made by the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission under the of the Workers' Compensation Act or Workers' Occupational Diseases Act for injury or death of an employee of the Division of Highways in the Department of Transportation; or for the acquisition of land and the erection of buildings for highway purposes, including the acquisition of highway right-of-way or for investigations to determine the reasonably anticipated future highway needs; or for making of surveys, plans, specifications and estimates for and in the construction and maintenance of flight strips and of highways necessary to provide access to military and naval reservations, to defense industries and defense-industry sites, and to the sources of raw materials and for replacing existing highways and highway connections shut off from general public use at military and naval reservations and defense-industry sites, or for the purchase of right-of-way, except that the State shall be reimbursed in full for any expense incurred in building the flight strips; or for the operating and maintaining of

highway garages; or for patrolling and policing the public highways and conserving the peace; or for the operating expenses of the Department relating to the administration of public transportation programs; or, during fiscal year 2021 only, for the purposes of a grant not to exceed \$8,394,800 to the Regional Transportation Authority on behalf of PACE for the purpose of ADA/Para-transit expenses; or, during fiscal year 2022 only, for the purposes of a grant not to exceed \$8,394,800 to the Regional Transportation Authority on behalf of PACE for the purpose of ADA/Para-transit expenses; or for any of those purposes or any other purpose that may be provided by law.

Appropriations for any of those purposes are payable from the Road Fund. Appropriations may also be made from the Road Fund for the administrative expenses of any State agency that are related to motor vehicles or arise from the use of motor vehicles.

Beginning with fiscal year 1980 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the following Departments or agencies of State government for administration, grants, or operations; but this limitation is not a restriction upon appropriating for those purposes any Road Fund monies that are eligible for federal reimbursement:

- 1. Department of Public Health;
- 2. Department of Transportation, only with respect to

subsidies for one-half fare Student Transportation and
Reduced Fare for Elderly, except fiscal year 2021 only
when no more than \$17,570,000 may be expended and except
fiscal year 2022 only when no more than \$17,570,000 may be
expended;

- 3. Department of Central Management Services, except for expenditures incurred for group insurance premiums of appropriate personnel;
 - 4. Judicial Systems and Agencies.

Beginning with fiscal year 1981 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the following Departments or agencies of State government for administration, grants, or operations; but this limitation is not a restriction upon appropriating for those purposes any Road Fund monies that are eligible for federal reimbursement:

- 1. Illinois State Police, except for expenditures with respect to the Division of Patrol Operations and Division of Criminal Investigation;
- 2. Department of Transportation, only with respect to Intercity Rail Subsidies, except fiscal year 2021 only when no more than \$50,000,000 may be expended and except fiscal year 2022 only when no more than \$50,000,000 may be expended, and Rail Freight Services.

Beginning with fiscal year 1982 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the following Departments or agencies of State government for administration, grants, or

operations; but this limitation is not a restriction upon appropriating for those purposes any Road Fund monies that are eligible for federal reimbursement: Department of Central Management Services, except for awards made by the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission under the terms of the Workers' Compensation Act or Workers' Occupational Diseases Act for injury or death of an employee of the Division of Highways in the Department of Transportation.

Beginning with fiscal year 1984 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the following Departments or agencies of State government for administration, grants, or operations; but this limitation is not a restriction upon appropriating for those purposes any Road Fund monies that are eligible for federal reimbursement:

- 1. Illinois State Police, except <u>for expenditures with</u>

 <u>respect to not more than 40% of the funds appropriated for</u>

 the Division of Patrol Operations and Division of Criminal Investigation;
- 2. State Officers.

Beginning with fiscal year 1984 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to any Department or agency of State government for administration, grants, or operations except as provided hereafter; but this limitation is not a restriction upon appropriating for those purposes any Road Fund monies that are eligible for federal reimbursement. It shall not be lawful to circumvent the above appropriation

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- 1 limitations by governmental reorganization or other methods.
- 2 Appropriations shall be made from the Road Fund only in
- 3 accordance with the provisions of this Section.

Money in the Road Fund shall, if and when the State of Illinois incurs any bonded indebtedness for the construction of permanent highways, be set aside and used for the purpose of paying and discharging during each fiscal year the principal and interest on that bonded indebtedness as it becomes due and payable as provided in the Transportation Bond Act, and for no other purpose. The surplus, if any, in the Road Fund after the payment of principal and interest on that bonded indebtedness then annually due shall be used as follows:

first -- to pay the cost of administration of Chapters 2 through 10 of the Illinois Vehicle Code; and

secondly -- no Road Fund monies derived from fees, excises, or license taxes relating to registration, operation and use of vehicles on public highways or to fuels used for the propulsion of those vehicles, shall be appropriated or expended other than for costs administering the laws imposing those fees, excises, and license taxes, statutory refunds and adjustments allowed thereunder, administrative costs of the Department of including, limited to, Transportation, but not operating expenses of the Department relating to the administration of public transportation programs, payment of debts and liabilities incurred in construction and

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reconstruction of public highways and bridges, acquisition of rights-of-way for and the cost of construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, and operation of public highways and bridges under the direction and supervision of the State, political subdivision, or municipality collecting those monies, or during fiscal year 2021 only for the purposes of a grant not to exceed \$8,394,800 to the Regional Transportation Authority on behalf of PACE for the purpose of ADA/Para-transit expenses, or during fiscal year 2022 only for the purposes of a grant not to exceed \$8,394,800 to the Regional Transportation Authority on behalf of PACE for the purpose of ADA/Para-transit expenses, and the costs for patrolling and policing the public highways (by the State, political subdivision, or municipality collecting that money) for enforcement of traffic laws. The separation of grades of such highways with railroads and costs associated with protection of at-grade highway and railroad crossing shall also be permissible.

Appropriations for any of such purposes are payable from the Road Fund or the Grade Crossing Protection Fund as provided in Section 8 of the Motor Fuel Tax Law.

Except as provided in this paragraph, beginning with fiscal year 1991 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Illinois State Police for the purposes of this Section in excess of its total fiscal year 1990 Road Fund

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appropriations for those purposes unless otherwise provided in Section 5g of this Act. For fiscal years 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007 only, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Illinois Department of State Police for the purposes of this Section in excess of \$97,310,000. For fiscal year 2008 only, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Department of State Police for the purposes of this Section in excess of \$106,100,000. For fiscal year 2009 only, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Illinois Department of State Police for the purposes of this Section in excess of \$114,700,000. Beginning in fiscal year 2010, no road fund moneys shall be appropriated to the Illinois State Police. It shall not be lawful to circumvent this limitation appropriations by governmental reorganization or other methods unless otherwise provided in Section 5g of this Act.

In fiscal year 1994, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Secretary of State for the purposes of this Section in excess of the total fiscal year 1991 Road Fund appropriations to the Secretary of State for those purposes, plus \$9,800,000. It shall not be lawful to circumvent this limitation on appropriations by governmental reorganization or other method.

Beginning with fiscal year 1995 and thereafter, no Road Fund monies shall be appropriated to the Secretary of State for the purposes of this Section in excess of the total fiscal year 1994 Road Fund appropriations to the Secretary of State

- for those purposes. It shall not be lawful to circumvent this 1
- limitation on appropriations by governmental reorganization or 2
- other methods. 3
- Beginning with fiscal year 2000, total Road Fund
- 5 appropriations to the Secretary of State for the purposes of
- this Section shall not exceed the amounts specified for the 6
- 7 following fiscal years:

8	Fiscal Year 2000	\$80,500,000;
9	Fiscal Year 2001	\$80,500,000;
10	Fiscal Year 2002	\$80,500,000;

- 11 Fiscal Year 2003 \$130,500,000;
- 12 Fiscal Year 2004 \$130,500,000;
- Fiscal Year 2005 13 \$130,500,000;
- Fiscal Year 2006 \$130,500,000; 14
- Fiscal Year 2007 \$130,500,000; 15
- 16 Fiscal Year 2008 \$130,500,000;
- 17 Fiscal Year 2009 \$130,500,000.
- 18 For fiscal year 2010, no road fund moneys shall be appropriated to the Secretary of State. 19
- 20 Beginning in fiscal year 2011, moneys in the Road Fund 21 shall be appropriated to the Secretary of State for the 22 exclusive purpose of paying refunds due to overpayment of fees 23 related to Chapter 3 of the Illinois Vehicle Code unless 24 otherwise provided for by law.
- 25 It shall not be lawful to circumvent this limitation on 26 appropriations by governmental reorganization or other

- 1 methods.
- 2 No new program may be initiated in fiscal year 1991 and
- 3 thereafter that is not consistent with the limitations imposed
- 4 by this Section for fiscal year 1984 and thereafter, insofar
- 5 as appropriation of Road Fund monies is concerned.
- 6 Nothing in this Section prohibits transfers from the Road
- 7 Fund to the State Construction Account Fund under Section 5e
- 8 of this Act; nor to the General Revenue Fund, as authorized by
- 9 Public Act 93-25.
- The additional amounts authorized for expenditure in this
- 11 Section by Public Acts 92-0600, 93-0025, 93-0839, and 94-91
- shall be repaid to the Road Fund from the General Revenue Fund
- in the next succeeding fiscal year that the General Revenue
- 14 Fund has a positive budgetary balance, as determined by
- 15 generally accepted accounting principles applicable to
- 16 government.
- 17 The additional amounts authorized for expenditure by the
- 18 Secretary of State and the Illinois Department of State Police
- in this Section by Public Act 94-91 shall be repaid to the Road
- 20 Fund from the General Revenue Fund in the next succeeding
- 21 fiscal year that the General Revenue Fund has a positive
- 22 budgetary balance, as determined by generally accepted
- accounting principles applicable to government.
- 24 (Source: P.A. 101-10, eff. 6-5-19; 101-636, eff. 6-10-20;
- 25 102-16, eff. 6-17-21; 102-538, eff. 8-20-21; revised
- 26 10-15-21.)

1 (30 ILCS 105/8.3a new)

the Illinois State Police.

2 Sec. 8.3a. State Police patrol funding. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, moneys in the Road Fund 3 may be allocated to and used by the Illinois State Police for 4 5 the purposes of the Division of Patrol Operations and to fund 6 the patrolling of Illinois public highways and expressways by 7