**CHAPTER 85** 

## **GOVERNMENT - COUNTY**

HOUSE BILL 20-1124

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## AN ACT

CONCERNING CLARIFICATION OF THE PERIOD FOLLOWING THE DECLARATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF A DISASTER EMERGENCY IN A COUNTY WITHIN WHICH THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY TRANSFER COUNTY GENERAL FUND MONEY TO THE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND FOR THE PURPOSES OF DISASTER RESPONSE AND RECOVERY.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

**SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 30-25-106, amend (3) as follows:

**30-25-106.** Fund - purposes. (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) of this section, the board of county commissioners is authorized to transfer moneys MONEY from the county general fund to the county road and bridge fund created in section 43-2-202 if the governor declares, by executive order or proclamation, a disaster emergency in the applicable county pursuant to section 24-33.5-704 (4). The board of county commissioners is authorized to make the transfers until eight years after the date of the governor's declaration of an emergency in the county. The EIGHT YEARS BEGINS THE DAY AFTER THE DATE OF THE GOVERNOR'S FINAL DECLARATION OF AN EMERGENCY FOR THE DISASTER, INCLUDING ALL EXTENSIONS TO THE DECLARATION. Any county general fund moneys MONEY transferred into the county road and bridge fund must be used for the purposes of disaster response and recovery in a manner consistent with the permissible uses of moneys MONEY in the county road and bridge fund.

**SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 5, 2020, if adjournment sine die is on May 6, 2020); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3)

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of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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