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STATE OF COLORADO**

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**HOUSE BILL 20-1124**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

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

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**Bill Summary**

*(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov>.)*

Current law allows a board of county commissioners to transfer

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.  
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SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
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HOUSE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
February 10, 2020

money from the county general fund to the county road and bridge fund if the governor declares a disaster emergency in the applicable county. The transfers are allowed for 8 years following the date of the governor's declaration of a disaster in the county. The bill clarifies that the 8 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.

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

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

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

19           **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
20 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
21 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August  
22 5, 2020, if adjournment sine die is on May 6, 2020); except that, if a

1 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the  
2 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act  
3 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect  
4 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in  
5 November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the  
6 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.