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CHAPTER 37

S.P. 808 - L.D. 2118

An Act To Make Allocations from Maine Turnpike Authority Funds for the Maine Turnpike Authority for the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 2009

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. Allocation. Gross revenues of the Maine Turnpike Authority for the calendar year ending December 31, 2009 must be segregated, apportioned and disbursed as designated in the following schedule.

MAINE TURNPIKE AUTHORITY	2009
Administration	
Personal Services	\$1,212,349
All Other	1,762,974
TOTAL	\$2,975,323
Accounts and Controls	
Personal Services	\$3,006,562
All Other	1,430,838
TOTAL	\$4,437,400
Highway Maintenance	
Personal Services	\$4,330,429
All Other	3,158,958
TOTAL	\$7,489,387
Equipment Maintenance	
Personal Services	\$1,129,640
All Other	1,793,752
TOTAL	\$2,923,392
Fare Collection	
Personal Services	\$12,221,535
All Other	5,057,341

TOTAL	\$17,278,876
Public Safety and Special Services	
Personal Services	\$512,277
All Other	7,206,035
TOTAL	\$7,718,312
Building Maintenance	
Personal Services	\$762,390
All Other	695,288
TOTAL	\$1,457,678
Subtotal of Line Items Budgeted	\$44,280,368
General Contingency - 5% of line items budgeted for 2009 (10% allowed)	2,214,018
MAINE TURNPIKE AUTHORITY	
TOTAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$46,494,386

Sec. 2. Transfer of allocations. Any balance of the allocation for "General Contingency" made by the Legislature for the Maine Turnpike Authority may be transferred at any time prior to the closing of the books to any other allocation or subdivision of any other allocation made by the Legislature for the use of the Maine Turnpike Authority for the same calendar year. Any balance of any other allocation or subdivision of any other allocation made by the Legislature for the Maine Turnpike Authority that at any time is not required for the purpose named in the allocation or subdivision may be transferred at any time prior to the closing of the books to any other allocation or subdivision of any other allocation made by the Legislature for the use of the Maine Turnpike Authority for the same calendar year subject to review by the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over transportation matters. Financial statements describing the transfer, other than a transfer from "General Contingency," must be submitted by the Maine Turnpike Authority to the Office of Fiscal and Program Review 30 days before the transfer is to be implemented. In case of extraordinary emergency transfers, the 30-day prior submission requirement may be waived by vote of the committee. These financial statements must include information specify-

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ing the accounts that are affected, amounts to be transferred, a description of the transfer and a detailed explanation as to why the transfer is needed.

Sec. 3. Encumbered balance at year-end. At the end of each calendar year, encumbered balances may be carried to the next calendar year.

Sec. 4. Supplemental information. As required by the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 23, section 1961, subsection 6, the following statement of the revenues in 2009 that are necessary for capital expenditures and reserves and to meet the requirements of any resolution authorizing bonds of the Maine Turnpike Authority during 2009, including debt service and the maintenance of reserves for debt service and reserve maintenance, is submitted.

Turnpike Revenue Bond Resolution Adopted April 18, 1991; Issuance of Bonds Authorized Pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 23, section 1968, subsections 1 and 2	2009
Debt Service Fund	\$26,726,176
Reserve Maintenance Fund	25,000,000
General Reserve Fund, to be applied as follows:	
Capital Improvements	(3,156,175)
Debt Service Fund under the General Special Obligation Bond Resolution Adopted May 15, 1996; Issuance of Bonds Authorized Pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 23, section 1968, subsection 2-A	2,465,663
TOTAL	\$51,035,664

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 38

S.P. 747 - L.D. 1936

An Act To Include the Town of Nobleboro within the Great Salt Bay Sanitary District

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. Great Salt Bay Sanitary District; expanded territory. The territory of the Great Salt Bay Sanitary District, formed under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 38, chapter 11 and granted additional powers under Private and Special Law 1993, chapter 85, is expanded for all district purposes to include the entire area of the Town of Nobleboro and its inhabitants. All authority and powers of the Great Salt Bay Sanitary District as previously granted continue in full force and effect. The board of trustees of the district as presently elected and constituted may exercise all its lawful powers, rights, privileges and obligations with respect to the entire territory of the district, which, as expanded by this Act, includes the area encompassed by the towns of Nobleboro, Damariscotta and Newcastle and its inhabitants. After the effective date of this Act, trustees continue to be elected in accordance with Title 38, section 1104, and the district may alter the number of trustees in accordance with that section.

Sec. 2. Referendum; effective date. This Act takes effect 90 days after the adjournment of the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the towns of Nobleboro, Damariscotta and Newcastle at an election called for that purpose and held within 2 years of the effective date of this Act. The election must be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections, except that the registrars of voters are not required to prepare or the clerks to post new lists of voters. For the purpose of registration of voters, the registrars of voters must be in session the secular day preceding the election. The subject matter of this Act is reduced to the following question:

"Do you favor expanding the territory of the Great Salt Bay Sanitary District to include the entire area of the Town of Nobleboro?"

The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the word "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

The results must be declared by the municipal officers of the towns of Nobleboro, Damariscotta and Newcastle and due certificate of the results filed by the clerks with the Secretary of State.

This Act takes effect for all other purposes immediately upon its approval by a majority of all the legal voters of the towns of Nobleboro, Damariscotta and Newcastle voting at the election. Failure to achieve the necessary approval in any referendum does not prohibit subsequent referenda consistent with this section, provided the referenda are held within 2 years of the effective date of this Act.

Effective pending referendum.