
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to make
2 appropriations for state capital improvement projects located
3 within the boundaries of each county and to leverage an
4 equivalent appropriation by each county for county capital
5 improvement projects.

6 SECTION 2. For the purposes of this Act:

7 "County infrastructure and facilities" means infrastructure
8 and facilities under the ownership or jurisdiction of a county
9 government or county agency.

10 "Improvement" includes the following: development of new
11 infrastructure or facilities; renovation, reconstruction, or
12 rehabilitation of existing infrastructure and facilities; repair
13 and maintenance of existing infrastructure and facilities; and
14 installation of renewable energy or energy conservation
15 equipment in infrastructure and facilities.

16 "State infrastructure and facilities" means infrastructure
17 and facilities under the ownership or jurisdiction of the state
18 government or state agency.



1 SECTION 3. (a) The director of finance is authorized to
2 issue general obligation bonds in the sum of \$50,000,000 or so
3 much thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much
4 thereof as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year
5 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction, and equipment for
6 improvements to state infrastructure and facilities within the
7 boundaries of the city and county of Honolulu; provided that
8 none of the funds shall be expended unless the director makes
9 the finding required under subsection (b).

10 (b) The funds appropriated under subsection (a) shall be
11 expended only if the director of finance finds that the city and
12 county of Honolulu has appropriated at least \$50,000,000 in
13 county funds for fiscal year 2009-2010 for planning, design,
14 construction, and equipment for improvements to county
15 infrastructure and facilities. In determining whether this
16 requirement has been met, the director of finance shall
17 liberally construe the relevant county appropriation in favor of
18 satisfaction of the requirement. The director's finding shall
19 be conclusive.

20 SECTION 4. (a) The director of finance is authorized to
21 issue general obligation bonds in the sum of \$50,000,000 or so
22 much thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much



1 thereof as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year
2 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction, and equipment for
3 improvements to state infrastructure and facilities within the
4 boundaries of the county of Maui; provided that none of the
5 funds shall be expended unless the director makes the finding
6 required under subsection (b).

7 (b) The funds appropriated under subsection (a) shall be
8 expended only if the director of finance finds that the county
9 of Maui has appropriated at least \$50,000,000 in county funds
10 for fiscal year 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction,
11 and equipment for improvements to county infrastructure and
12 facilities. In determining whether this requirement has been
13 met, the director of finance shall liberally construe the
14 relevant county appropriation in favor of satisfaction of the
15 requirement. The director's finding shall be conclusive.

16 SECTION 5. (a) The director of finance is authorized to
17 issue general obligation bonds in the sum of \$50,000,000 or so
18 much thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much
19 thereof as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year
20 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction, and equipment for
21 improvements to state infrastructure and facilities within the
22 boundaries of the county of Hawaii; provided that none of the



1 funds shall be expended unless the director makes the finding
2 required under subsection (b).

3 (b) The funds appropriated under subsection (a) shall be
4 expended only if the director of finance finds that the county
5 of Hawaii has appropriated at least \$50,000,000 in county funds
6 for fiscal year 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction,
7 and equipment for improvements to county infrastructure and
8 facilities. In determining whether this requirement has been
9 met, the director of finance shall liberally construe the
10 relevant county appropriation in favor of satisfaction of the
11 requirement. The director's finding shall be conclusive.

12 SECTION 6. (a) The director of finance is authorized to
13 issue general obligation bonds in the sum of \$50,000,000 or so
14 much thereof as may be necessary and the same sum or so much
15 thereof as may be necessary is appropriated for fiscal year
16 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction, and equipment for
17 improvements to state infrastructure and facilities within the
18 boundaries of the county of Kauai; provided that none of the
19 funds shall be expended unless the director makes the finding
20 required under subsection (b).

21 (b) The funds appropriated under subsection (a) shall be
22 expended only if the director of finance finds that the county



1 of Kauai has appropriated at least \$50,000,000 in county funds
2 for fiscal year 2009-2010 for planning, design, construction,
3 and equipment for improvements to county infrastructure and
4 facilities. In determining whether this requirement has been
5 met, the director of finance shall liberally construe the
6 relevant county appropriation in favor of satisfaction of the
7 requirement. The director's finding shall be conclusive.

8 SECTION 7. The appropriation of state funds for the state
9 capital improvement projects authorized under sections 3, 4, 5,
10 and 6 of this Act shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year
11 for which the appropriation is made; provided that all moneys
12 from the appropriation unencumbered as of June 30, 2011, shall
13 lapse as of that date.

14 SECTION 8. The state funds appropriated under sections 3,
15 4, 5, and 6 of this Act shall be expended by the department of
16 budget and finance for the purposes of this Act; provided that,
17 for particular projects under the jurisdiction of another
18 department, the department of budget and finance may delegate
19 the expenditure authority to that department.

20 Nothing in this Act shall prevent the expenditure of the
21 state funds appropriated under sections 3, 4, 5, and 6 of this



1 Act for the improvement of state infrastructure and facilities,
2 the debt service for which is normally paid from special funds.

3 SECTION 9. The director of finance may use the state funds
4 appropriated under sections 3, 4, 5, and 6 of this Act to match
5 federal funds that are appropriated for capital improvement
6 projects in the State of Hawaii under any federal fiscal
7 stimulus legislation.

8 SECTION 10. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2009.

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Report Title:

Capital Improvement Projects; Fiscal Stimulus

Description:

Appropriates \$50,000,000 in general obligation bond funds for state capital improvement projects within each county; provided that no funds shall be expended unless the relevant county appropriates \$50,000,000 for county capital improvement projects.

