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LEGISLATIVE BILL 1112

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Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

A BILL

- 1 FOR AN ACT relating to state highways; to amend section 39-1365.01,
- 2 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change
- 3 provisions relating to state highway system plans; and to
- 4 repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 39-1365.01, Revised Statutes
2 Cumulative Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

3 39-1365.01 (1) The Department of Roads shall be
4 responsible for developing a specific and long-range state highway
5 system plan. The department shall annually formulate plans to meet
6 the state highway system needs of all facets of the state and shall
7 assign priorities for such needs. The department shall, on or before
8 December 1 of each year, present such plans to the Legislature. The
9 plans shall be referred to the appropriate standing committees of the
10 Legislature for review. The department shall consider the
11 preservation of the existing state highway system asset as its
12 primary priority except as may otherwise be provided in state or
13 federal law. In establishing secondary priorities, the department
14 shall consider a variety of factors, including, but not limited to,
15 current and projected traffic volume, safety requirements, whether
16 local matching funds are available for the project, economic
17 development needs, current and projected demographic trends, and
18 enhancement of the quality of life for all Nebraska citizens. The
19 state highway system plan shall include the designation of those
20 portions of the state highway system which shall be expressways.

21 (2) For purposes of this section, local matching funds
22 means the funding available for a project from a county,
23 municipality, or joint entity consisting of counties and
24 municipalities.

25 Sec. 2. Original section 39-1365.01, Revised Statutes

- 1 Cumulative Supplement, 2010, is repealed.