

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - First Session - 2015

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB633

Chairperson: Senator Heath Mello

Committee: Appropriations

Date of Hearing: March 18, 2015

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 633 is intended to restore some of the direct state aid to municipalities and counties in the amount of \$40 million of General Funds, beginning in FY 2015-16. Direct state aid to municipalities and counties was totally eliminated in 2011 with the passage of LB 383. LB 633 would provide \$20 million in state aid to municipalities and the other half, or \$20 million, to counties. These funds could be used by municipalities and counties only for public infrastructure projects as defined in section 77-27,142.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Stinner