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HOUSE BILL 418

42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS IN SANTA FE COUNTY; MAKING APPROPRIATIONS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--AUTHORIZATIONS--APPROPRIATION OF PROCEEDS.--

A. The state board of finance may issue and sell severance tax bonds in compliance with the Severance Tax Bonding Act in an amount not to exceed the total of the amounts authorized for purposes specified in Sections 2 through 4 of this act. The state board of finance shall schedule the issuance and sale of the bonds in the most expeditious and economical manner possible upon a finding by the board that the project has been developed sufficiently to justify the issuance

and that the project can proceed to contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated for the purposes specified in Sections 2 through 4 of this act.

- B. The agencies named in Sections 2 through 4 of this act shall certify to the state board of finance when the money from the proceeds of the severance tax bonds authorized in this section is needed for the purposes specified in the applicable section of this act.
- C. If the specified agency has not certified the need for the issuance of the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1998, the authorization provided in this act shall be void.
- D. Unless otherwise specified in this act, any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining from the proceeds of severance tax bonds issued pursuant to Sections 2 through 4 of this act at the end of fiscal year 1999 shall revert to the severance tax bonding fund.

Section 2. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--STATE HIGHWAY AND
TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT--PURPOSES.--Pursuant to the provisions
of Section 1 of this act, upon certification by the state
highway and transportation department that the need exists for
the issuance of the bonds, the following amounts are
appropriated to the state highway and transportation department

for the following purposes:

A. one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) to repave Avenida Vista Grande from United States highway 285 to the railroad tracks in Eldorado located in Santa Fe county;

- B. seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) to continue paving county road 67A in Canada de Los Alamos located in Santa Fe county; and
- C. one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) to pave county road 60 from Tezcoco road to Camino Oriente located in Santa Fe county.

Section 3. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION--PURPOSE.--Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1 of this act, upon certification by the local government division of the department of finance and administration that the need exists for the issuance of the bonds, one million nine hundred thousand dollars (\$1,900,000) is appropriated to the local government division of the department of finance and administration for the purpose of planning, designing, constructing, equipping and furnishing a school and community center in Eldorado located in Santa Fe county.

Section 4. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--SANTA FE COMMUNITY

COLLEGE--PURPOSE.--Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1 of
this act, upon certification by the community college board of
Santa Fe community college that the need exists for the issuance
of the bonds, three million seven hundred eleven thousand

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dollars (\$3,711,000) is appropriated to the community college
board of Santa Fe community college for the purpose of planning,
designing, constructing and equipping an instructional
technology center at Santa Fe community college located in Santa
Fe county.

Section 5. EMERGENCY. -- It is necessary for the public peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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