HB 563-A - AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL 563-A

AN ACT making an appropriation for the Carroll and Strafford counties freight rail

improvements project and making an appropriation for the Coos county freight

rail improvements project.

SPONSORS: Rep. J. Graham, Hills. 7; Rep. Cloutier, Sull. 10; Rep. McConkey, Carr. 3

COMMITTEE: Public Works and Highways

ANALYSIS

This bill makes a capital appropriation of \$2,000,000 to the department of transportation for the Carroll and Strafford freight rail improvements project. The appropriation is contingent upon the receipt of matching private funds.

This bill also makes a capital appropriation of \$2,000,000 to the department of transportation for the Coos county freight rail improvements project. The appropriation is contingent upon the receipt of matching private funds.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in **bold italics**.

Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Seventeen

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making an appropriation for the Carroll and Strafford counties freight rail improvements project and making an appropriation for the Coos county freight rail improvements project.

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

- 1 Capital Appropriation; Department of Transportation. The sum of \$2,000,000 is hereby appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 to the department of transportation, division of aeronautics, rail, and transit for the Carroll and Strafford freight rail improvements project.
- 2 Contingency. The appropriation to the department of transportation, division of aeronautics, rail, and transit, in section 1 of this act shall be contingent upon the receipt by the state of private matching funds of an equal amount.
- 3 Bonds Authorized. To provide funds for the appropriation made in section 1 of this act, the state treasurer is hereby authorized to borrow upon the credit of the state not exceeding the sum of \$2,000,000 and for said purpose may issue bonds and notes in the name of and on behalf of the state of New Hampshire in accordance with RSA 6-A.
- 4 Capital Appropriation; Department of Transportation. The sum of \$2,000,000 is hereby appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 to the department of transportation, division of aeronautics, rail, and transit for the Coos County freight rail improvements project that was partially funded in 2015, 220:1, XVI, 4.
- 5 Contingency. The appropriation to the department of transportation, division of aeronautics, rail, and transit, in section 4 of this act shall be contingent upon the receipt by the state of private matching funds of an equal amount.
- 6 Bonds Authorized. To provide funds for the appropriation made in section 4 of this act, the state treasurer is hereby authorized to borrow upon the credit of the state not exceeding the sum of \$2,000,000 and for said purpose may issue bonds and notes in the name of and on behalf of the state of New Hampshire in accordance with RSA 6-A.
- 7 Payment. Payment of principal and interest on bonds issued under sections 3 and 6 of this act shall be made when due from the general fund of the state.
- 24 8 Effective Date. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017.