

There is now a companion HB with the Senate Bill (2148) regarding Public Construction Works. The companion bill, will make it easier for this legislation to move through and possibly be passed.

GENERAL BILL by Weatherford (CO-SPONSORS) Anderson; Brandenburg; Ford; Holder; Hooper; Kreegel; Long; McKeel; Murzin; Nehr; Patronis; Richter; Robaina; Schenck

Public Construction Works: Revises requirements for county, municipality, special district, or other political subdivision of state to competitively award contracts for certain construction projects; provides that certain construction contract terms are void & that certain decisions by local governmental entity concerning compensation or time are subject to de novo review; revises provisions authorizing county to use its own resources for road & bridge projects; removes authorization for county to use its own resources for constructing & opening new roads & bridges; revises requirements for certain county road & bridge projects to be let to contract; authorizes governing body of municipality to use its own resources for repair & maintenance of roads & bridges; requires county & municipal construction & reconstruction projects using certain tax revenues to be let to contract; provides for county or municipality to require that persons interested in performing work under contract first be certified or qualified to do work when contract amount exceeds certain threshold; requires public hearing on certain selection criteria & procedures.

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