

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with Senate Amendments  
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1011**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol;  
2 to create and enact section 39-03-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to highway  
3 patrol community outreach; to provide for a transfer; to provide an exemption; and to provide for  
4 a report.

**5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

6 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds  
7 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state  
8 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and  
9 other income, to the highway patrol for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the  
10 highway patrol, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2021, as  
11 follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
14 Highway patrol	\$57,230,706	\$4,934,030	\$62,164,736
15 Total all funds	\$57,230,706	\$4,934,030	\$62,164,736
16 Less estimated income	<u>14,703,278</u>	<u>2,867,475</u>	<u>17,570,753</u>
17 Total general fund	\$42,527,428	\$2,066,555	\$44,593,983
18 Full-time equivalent positions	204.00	(3.00)	201.00

19 **SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO SIXTY-**  
20 **SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** The following amounts reflect one-time funding items  
21 approved by the sixty-fifth legislative assembly for the 2017-19 biennium and the one-time  
22 funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

	<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2017-19</u>	<u>2019-21</u>
24 Taser and AED equipment		\$358,000	\$0

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1	Pipeline protest law enforcement support	3,234,000	0
2	Electronic payment processing system	44,000	0
3	Aircraft engine overhaul	0	81,830
4	Drone purchase	0	96,228
5	Shooting range addition	<u>0</u>	<u>1,729,100</u>
6	Total all funds	\$3,636,000	\$1,907,158
7	Total special funds	<u>3,636,000</u>	<u>1,825,328</u>
8	Total general fund	\$0	\$81,830

9 The 2019-21 biennium one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget  
10 for the 2021-23 biennium. The highway patrol shall report to the appropriations committees of  
11 the sixty-seventh legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium  
12 beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2021.

13 **SECTION 3.** Section 39-03-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted  
14 as follows:

15 **39-03-09.1. Community outreach.**

16 For purposes of education and community outreach, and to promote public trust, the  
17 superintendent may implement programs to provide coordination for victims, witnesses, and  
18 families following a traffic crash or traumatic event. The superintendent may also permit a  
19 nonmember of the highway patrol to participate in job shadowing activities, including:

- 20 1. Participating in a ride-along program with a member of the highway patrol while on  
21 duty;
- 22 2. Operating a highway patrol motor vehicle on a closed course under the supervision of  
23 a member of the highway patrol; and
- 24 3. Discharging a firearm owned and used by the highway patrol while at a training facility  
25 and under the supervision of a member of the highway patrol.

26 **SECTION 4. SPECIAL FUNDS TRANSFER - HIGHWAY TAX DISTRIBUTION FUND.** The  
27 estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$7,224,923, or so much  
28 of the sum as may be necessary, from the state highway tax distribution fund which may be  
29 transferred at the direction of the superintendent of the highway patrol for the purpose of  
30 defraying the expenses of the highway patrol during the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, and  
31 ending June 30, 2021.

1       **SECTION 5. MOTOR CARRIER ELECTRONIC PERMIT TRANSACTION FUND.** The  
2 estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes \$3,356,069 from the motor carrier  
3 electronic permit transaction fund for the purpose of defraying various expenses associated with  
4 the issuance of permits and other nonenforcement motor carrier and administrative activities,  
5 including the purchase of equipment and the construction of an addition to the indoor shooting  
6 range, during the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2021.

7       **SECTION 6. EXEMPTION.** The amount of \$28,171 appropriated for an aircraft engine  
8 overhaul in the special funds line item in section 2 of chapter 23 of the 2017 Session Laws is  
9 not subject to section 54-44.1-11 and may be continued into the biennium beginning July 1,  
10 2019, and ending June 30, 2021.

11       **SECTION 7. PAYMENTS TO HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICERS.** Each patrol officer of the  
12 state highway patrol is entitled to receive from funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act an  
13 amount not to exceed \$200 per month for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, and  
14 ending June 30, 2021. The payments are in lieu of reimbursement for meals and other  
15 expenses, except lodging, while in travel status within the state of North Dakota or while at the  
16 patrol officers' respective home stations. The amounts must be paid at the time and in the  
17 same manner as salaries are paid to members of the highway patrol and may be paid without  
18 the presentation of receipts or other memorandums.

19       **SECTION 8. RELOCATION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY - REPORT**  
20 **TO SIXTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** During the 2019-20 interim, the highway  
21 patrol shall develop alternatives to relocate the housing and classroom portions of the law  
22 enforcement training academy. In developing the alternatives, the highway patrol shall review  
23 locations for a new facility, evaluate the proper capacity of the facility to serve future law  
24 enforcement training needs, and obtain estimated costs of each alternative. The highway patrol  
25 shall report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-seventh legislative assembly regarding  
26 the alternatives to relocate the training academy.