

# SENATE BILL NO. 736

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 137.556, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the use of the special road and bridge tax in certain counties.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 137.556, RSMo, is repealed and one new section  
2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 137.556, to read as follows:

137.556. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 137.555, any county  
2 of the second class which now has or may hereafter have more than one hundred  
3 thousand inhabitants, and any county of the first class not having a charter form  
4 of government, shall expend not less than twenty-five percent of the moneys  
5 accruing to it from the county's special road and bridge tax levied upon property  
6 situated within the limits of any city, town or village within the county for the  
7 repair and improvement of existing roads, streets and bridges within the city,  
8 town or village from which such moneys accrued, **except that any county of**  
9 **the second classification with more than sixty-five thousand but fewer**  
10 **than seventy-five thousand inhabitants shall not be required to expend**  
11 **such moneys as prescribed in this section.**

12 2. The city council or other governing body of the city, town or village  
13 shall designate the roads, streets and bridges to be repaired and improved and  
14 shall specify the kinds and types of materials to be used.

15 3. The county commission may make and supervise the improvements or  
16 the city, town or village, with the consent and approval of the county commission,  
17 may provide for the repairs and improvement by private contract and, in either  
18 case, the county commission shall pay the costs thereof out of any funds available  
19 under the provisions of this section.

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