

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2143

By: Sneed and O'Donnell of the
House

3 and

4 David and Pemberton of the
5 Senate

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8 An Act relating to the McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River
9 Navigation System (MKARNS); creating the McClellan-
10 Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System Infrastructure
11 Revolving Fund; providing for authorized sources of
12 revenue; providing for expenditure of funds and
13 prescribing procedures related thereto; providing for
14 codification; providing an effective date; and
15 declaring an emergency.

16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

17 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
18 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1141 of Title 82, unless there
19 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

20 There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund
21 for the Oklahoma Department of Transportation to be designated the
22 "McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System Infrastructure
23 Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject
24 to fiscal year limitations, for the purpose of pooling all monies
received by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation from
appropriations, dedicated revenues, federal funds, private

1 contributions or other sources authorized by law. All monies
2 accruing to the credit of said fund are hereby appropriated and may
3 be budgeted and expended by the Oklahoma Department of
4 Transportation upon a recommendation by the Waterways Advisory Board
5 of the Oklahoma Department of Transportation for the purpose of
6 repairing or constructing assets which are part of the McClellan-
7 Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System (MKARNS) located in the State
8 of Oklahoma which are essential to the safe and efficient operation
9 of such system and may also be used to match federal grants and
10 awards associated with channel improvements of the MKARNS, whether
11 due to natural disasters, emergency conditions, operations and
12 maintenance needs, or construction projects. Expenditures from said
13 fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer
14 against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the
15 Office of Management and Enterprise Services for approval and
16 payment.

17 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2019.

18 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
19 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
20 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
21 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.
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1 Passed the House of Representatives the 12th day of March, 2019.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

5 Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2019.

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