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HOUSE BILL 14-1300

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING A 2014-15 STATE FISCAL YEAR GENERAL FUND TRANSFER**
102 **TO THE COLORADO STATE FAIR AUTHORITY CASH FUND TO**
103 **SUPPORT THE STATE FAIR'S PROGRAMS WITH THE STATE'S 4-H**
104 **CLUBS AND THE COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF THE NATIONAL**
105 **FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA ORGANIZATION, AND, IN**
106 **CONNECTION THEREWITH, REDUCING AN APPROPRIATION.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

The bill establishes a one-time general fund transfer in the 2014-15 state fiscal year to the Colorado state fair authority cash fund for the purpose of renovating and enhancing facilities and items used in the state fair's programs with the state's 4-H clubs and the Colorado association of the national future farmers of America organization.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1. Legislative declaration.** (1) The general assembly
3 hereby finds and declares that:

4 (a) The Colorado State Fair has tremendous positive impact on the
5 state and the Pueblo community. Every year there are eleven days of
6 family activities, fun-filled events, concerts, rodeos, arts, and agriculture
7 presentations that draw thousands of people to the state and to the Pueblo
8 community.

9 (b) The Pueblo City Council intends to provide funding to the
10 Colorado State Fair in the 2015 and 2016 fiscal years, in the amount of
11 \$125,000 annually, subject to appropriation; and

12 (c) It is important that the state does whatever it can to ensure the
13 sustainability of the Colorado State Fair in Pueblo.

14 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 35-65-107, **add** (4)
15 as follows:

16 **35-65-107. State fair fund - lease and use of facilities - repeal.**

17 (4) (a) FOR THE 2014-15 STATE FISCAL YEAR, THE STATE TREASURER
18 SHALL TRANSFER THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THE
19 GENERAL FUND TO THE COLORADO STATE FAIR AUTHORITY CASH FUND
20 CREATED IN THIS SECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF RENOVATING AND
21 ENHANCING FACILITIES AND ITEMS USED IN THE STATE FAIR'S PROGRAMS
22 WITH THE STATE'S 4-H CLUBS AND THE COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF THE
23 NATIONAL FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA ORGANIZATION.

1 (b) THIS SUBSECTION (4) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016.

2 **SECTION 3. Appropriation - adjustments to 2014 long bill.**

3 For the implementation of this act, the general fund appropriation made
4 in the annual general appropriation act to the controlled maintenance trust
5 fund created in section 24-75-302.5 (2) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes,
6 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, is decreased by \$300,000.

7 **SECTION 4. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
8 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
9 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.