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To provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of an arterial road in St. Louis County, Missouri.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 16, 2007

Mr. CARNAHAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

A BILL

To provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of an arterial road in St. Louis County, Missouri.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PROJECT DEFINED.**

4 In this Act, the term “project” means only the por-
5 tion of St. Louis County, Missouri, arterial road 1151 that
6 is deed-restricted property, which specifically applies to
7 approximately 0.3 acres and 540 lineal feet and is identi-
8 fied as the “FEMA” route in the document entitled
9 “Lemay Connector Road for Long-Term Recovery, Rec-
10 reational Enhancements, & Community, & Economic De-

1 velopment”, dated June 1, 2006, on file with the St. Louis
2 County department of highways and traffic.

3 **SEC. 2. APPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN FEDERAL LAW.**

4 The St. Louis County arterial road 1151, known as
5 the “Lemay Connector Road” in St. Louis City and Coun-
6 ty, Missouri, may be constructed, operated, and main-
7 tained over the deed-restricted property described in sec-
8 tion 1, notwithstanding section 404(b)(2) of the Robert
9 T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act
10 (42 U.S.C. 5170c) or Public Law 103–211 and any ease-
11 ment or other similar restriction pursuant to those Fed-
12 eral laws on the development of property that requires the
13 property be maintained for open space, recreation, or wet-
14 land management.

15 **SEC. 3. NO DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON FLOOD PLAIN.**

16 For the project, St. Louis County, Missouri, shall en-
17 sure that the project is constructed, operated, and main-
18 tained in such a manner that would not cause any future
19 additional flood damage that would not have occurred
20 without the project. Prior to constructing the project, St.
21 Louis County or its assignee must identify and agree to
22 restrict a nearby parcel of land of equal or greater size
23 to the deed restricted land used for the project so that
24 such parcel is maintained for open space, recreation, or
25 wetland management.

1 **SEC. 4. LIABILITY FOR FLOOD DAMAGE.**

2 The Federal Government shall not be liable for future
3 flood damage that is caused by the project. St. Louis
4 County, Missouri, or its assignee shall be liable for any
5 future flood damage that is caused by the project.

6 **SEC. 5. NO FUTURE DISASTER ASSISTANCE.**

7 The deed-restricted property described in section 1
8 is not eligible for any future disaster assistance from any
9 other Federal source.

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