

## S 762

### Highway Funding Equity Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Apr 12, 2005

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introd

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3485) (Apr 12, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/762>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	R · VA		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Bayh, Evan [D-IN]	D · IN		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. DeMint, Jim [R-SC]	R · SC		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	R · OH		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC]	R · NC		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	R · MS		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]	R · IN		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Martinez, Mel [R-FL]	R · FL		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 12, 2005
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Apr 12, 2005

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 12, 2005

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Apr 12, 2005)

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Highway Funding Equity Act of 2005 - Amends Federal highway law to revise Federal highway minimum guarantee requirements.

Requires the Secretary of Transportation, for each of FY 2005 through 2009, to allocate among the States amounts sufficient to ensure that the percentage for each State of the total apportionments for the fiscal year for certain Federal-aid highway programs (including the basic minimum guarantee under this Act) equals or exceeds 95 percent of the ratio that the estimated gas tax payments attributable to highway users in the State paid into the Highway Trust Fund (HTF) bears to such payments attributable to highway users in all States (with a specified exception for any State having a population density of less than 50 individuals per square mile).

Provides for: (1) the programmatic distribution of funds above \$2.8 billion for certain Federal-aid highway programs; (2) the apportionment of the remainder of funds to the States; and (3) required adjustments where the sum of State percentages exceeds 100 percent.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 12, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 12, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3484-3485)
- **Apr 12, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3485)