

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0254

Transportation computer system.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Burkhart

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the funding of government operations;  
2 creating the transportation information system account;  
3 requiring reporting; and providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 31-1-204 is created to read:

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9 **31-1-204. Transportation information system account.**

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11 (a) There is created the transportation information  
12 system account into which shall be deposited funds as  
13 provided by law. Earnings from funds in the account shall  
14 be credited to the account. Funds in the account are  
15 continuously appropriated to the department of  
16 transportation and shall only be expended to replace the

1 revenue information system that was in use on July 1, 2020.  
2 Notwithstanding W.S. 9-2-1008 or 9-4-207, unexpended funds  
3 in the account shall not revert without further action of  
4 the legislature.

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6 (b) The department of transportation may accept, and  
7 shall deposit in the transportation information system  
8 account, any gifts, contributions, donations, grants or  
9 federal funds designated for computer system modernization.

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11 **Section 2.**

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13 (a) Not later than July 1, 2027, the department of  
14 transportation shall replace the revenue information  
15 computer system in use by the department on July 1, 2020.  
16 The department shall use funds from any appropriate source  
17 to fund the replacement of the computer system under this  
18 section. The department of transportation shall apply for  
19 any federal funds available or that may become available.

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21 (b) The department of transportation shall determine  
22 by rule and regulation fees for third party use of the  
23 replacement revenue information computer system. At least

1 fifty percent (50%) of any fee implemented for use of the  
2 computer system shall be deposited in the transportation  
3 information system account created by W.S. 31-1-204.

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5 (c) The department shall develop and implement the  
6 replacement revenue information system in accordance with  
7 the provisions of section 4 of this act.

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9 **Section 3.**

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11 (a) The department of transportation Wyoming  
12 information system (WIS) shall be purchased or developed,  
13 configured and implemented in consultation with the  
14 University of Wyoming computer science department  
15 (University) and the department of enterprise technology  
16 services (ETS). The purchase or development, configuration,  
17 migration and full implementation of WIS (the WIS project)  
18 shall be a jointly undertaken for the benefit of the state  
19 of Wyoming as provided in this section.

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21 (b) The University and ETS shall guide and advise the  
22 department of transportation on all aspects of the WIS  
23 project, including assistance with the issuance of a

1 request for proposals. The request for proposals shall  
2 ensure that upon implementation and throughout its life,  
3 WIS:

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5 (i) Provides efficient information exchange  
6 among diverse public and private partners;

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8 (ii) Complies with accepted national industry  
9 standards for personal, revenue and tax information  
10 exchange and storage systems, including but not limited to:

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12 (A) National Information Exchange Model  
13 (NIEM);

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15 (B) Payment Card Industry standards;

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17 (C) National Institute of Standards and  
18 Technology cyber security and other applicable standards;  
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21 (D) Internal Revenue Publication 4812 Audit  
22 and Accountability Requirements.

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1           (iii) Is hosted in the most efficient, effective  
2 and economical redundant state of the art environments;

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4           (iv) Continually evolves to incorporate  
5 innovative technology to improve operational and economic  
6 efficiencies.

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8           (c) The department of transportation, University and  
9 ETS shall consult with public and private partners who will  
10 access, share or exchange information with WIS before  
11 issuance of the request for proposals to plan for  
12 coordination throughout the life of the project, including  
13 the office of the attorney general and other executive  
14 branch agencies, the supreme court and local and federal  
15 agencies.

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17           (d) The department of transportation, in consultation  
18 with the University and ETS, shall create a committee to  
19 review and make recommendations to the department of  
20 transportation on vendor and system selection. The  
21 committee shall consist of no more than twelve (12)  
22 members. Members shall possess in-depth knowledge of

1 large-scale computer information exchange and storage  
2 systems. The committee shall include:

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4 (i) Two (2) members selected by the director of  
5 ETS, one (1) of whom shall serve as chairman;

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7 (ii) Two (2) members selected by the chairmen of  
8 the joint transportation, highways and military affairs  
9 interim committee;

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11 (iii) Two (2) members selected by the chairmen  
12 of the joint appropriations committee;

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14 (iv) Two (2) members selected by the University;

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16 (v) Two (2) members selected by the department  
17 of transportation from an entities who will exchange data  
18 with WIS;

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20 (vi) Two (2) members selected by the department  
21 of transportation.

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1           (e) The committee created under subsection (c) of  
2 this section shall receive product demonstrations from  
3 vendors chosen jointly by the department of transportation,  
4 the University and ETS from vendors responding to the  
5 request for proposals.

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7           (f) No later than July 1, 2021, the department of  
8 transportation, University and ETS shall provide to the  
9 joint transportation, highways and military affairs interim  
10 committee and to the joint appropriations committee a  
11 proposed timeline for each phase of the WIS project. The  
12 timeline shall anticipate a full configuration, migration,  
13 implementation and closeout of the WIS project no later  
14 than July 1, 2027.

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16           (g) The department of transportation, University and  
17 ETS shall provide a written and verbal joint report to the  
18 joint transportation, highways and military affairs interim  
19 committee and to the joint appropriations committee at  
20 their next meetings after July 1, 2021 and each following  
21 meeting until closeout of the WIS project. The reports  
22 shall provide a brief update as to:

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1           (i) Project schedule, successes and lessons  
2 learned;

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4           (ii) Resources acquired and needed throughout  
5 each project phase, including project management,  
6 department of transportation subject matter experts,  
7 outside subject matter experts and consultants;

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9           (iii) An accounting of funds received and  
10 expended from the transportation information system  
11 account;

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13           (iv) Project budget.

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15           (h) The department of transportation, University and  
16 ETS shall develop a reimbursement schedule for consulting  
17 and other services provided by the University and ETS to  
18 the department of transportation under this act. The  
19 schedule shall be submitted to the joint transportation,  
20 highways and military affairs interim committee and joint  
21 appropriations committee no later than July 1, 2021.

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1           **Section 4.**

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3           (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this  
4 section, this act is effective July 1, 2021.

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6           (b) Sections 2, 3 and 4 of this act shall be  
7 effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary  
8 for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section  
9 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

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