

I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guahan

Bill Log Sheet

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES
97-32 (LS)	D.G. Rodriguez, Jr.	AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE AVAILABLE FUNDS FROM THE GUAM/TERRITORIAL HIGHWAY FUND TO DESIGNATE AND PRIORITIZE CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, PURCHASE HEAVY EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR FLOOD MITIGATION AND FUND THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND TAXATION'S TRANSACTION PROCESSING SYSTEM.	4/22/13 10:42am	4/22/13	Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Park, Recreation, Historic Preservation, and Land			



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Subject: Referral of Bill No. 97-32(COR)

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As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my re referral of Bill No. **97-32(COR)**.

Legislative Secretary
Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Member

Please ensure that the subject bill is referred, in my name, to the respective committee, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all members of *I Mina'trentai Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Senator
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Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 472-7679.

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Attachment

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MINA' TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN
2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 97-32 (CS)

Introduced by:

D.G. RODRIGUEZ, JR. 
T.R. MUNA-BARNES 

**AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE AVAILABLE FUNDS FROM
THE GUAM/TERRITORIAL HIGHWAY FUND TO
DESIGNATE AND PRIORITIZE CERTAIN CAPITAL
IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, PURCHASE HEAVY
EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
WORKS FOR FLOOD MITIGATION AND FUND THE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND TAXATION'S
TRANSACTION PROCESSING SYSTEM.**

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent: *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that the Territorial Highway Fund (Guam Highway Fund) was recently audited and that there are un-appropriated funds identified in the Balance Sheet that are available for reprogramming for flood mitigation projects and road repair/improvement projects throughout the island. There are specific areas in Barrigada, Dededo, Ipan and Harmon that require immediate action. The projects listed in Section 2 of this Act are areas that the Department of Public Works have been made aware of their conditions and the work necessary to mitigate flooding and other traffic safety related issues. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further finds that the acquisition of heavy equipment for drainage improvement and emergency flood mitigation are necessary tools for the Department of Public Works to carry out its mandates and responsibilities to ensure proper maintenance of our roadways. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* is also aware of the need to fund the Department of Revenue

and Taxation's Transaction Processing System as a means to upgrade and facilitate certain functions within the Department of Revenue and Taxation.

Section 2. Appropriation from the Guam Highway Fund.

Notwithstanding any provision of law, the Sum of THREE MILLION NINE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,900,000) is hereby appropriated from the un-appropriated fund balance of the Guam/Territorial Highway Fund to the Department of Public Works and the Department of Revenue and Taxation as follows:

1. Flood Mitigation (DPW):

A.) Taitano Street, Harmon,	\$146,000
installation of 680 lineal ft.	
inlet catch basin to Route 16	

B.) Mitigation (flood) of residential unit at	\$215,000
Lot 4, Blk 10, Municipality of Barrigada (Route 10),	
as best determined appropriate by Director, DPW	

C.) Lot 6-1, Blk 2, Municipality of Barrigada	\$300,000
(Route 10)	

D.) For pavement and flood mitigation	\$300,000
of the offsite Ironwood access road in	
Dededo	

E.) Various flood mitigation work in the village	\$150,000
of Yigo	

2. Acquisition of the following (DPW):

Long reach excavator, with maintenance agreement for flood mitigation	\$200,000
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3.) Road repair/improvement work (DPW)

with an emphasis on improving traffic safety in such areas as along Route 4 in Ipan adjacent to Jeff's Pirate's Cove and similar concerns island-wide

4.) Funding for the Transaction Processing System

for the Department of Revenue and Taxation

Total	\$3,900,000.00
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Section 3. Reporting Requirement. The Department of Public Works and the Department of Administration shall submit a status report on all capital projects initially authorized prior to this Act, as provided pursuant to §1504 of 5 GCA and §22427, Division 2, 5 GCA, as well as the status of capital projects and other purposes authorized pursuant to this Act, to *I Maga’lahan Guåhan*, and the *Speaker, I Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Section 4. Severability. *If any provision of this Act or its application to any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are severable.*

Section 5. Effective Date. This Act shall become immediately effective upon enactment.