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**REQUESTING THE NEW MEXICO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO STUDY THE
PROCESS FOR FUNDING CAPITAL PROJECTS AND RECOMMEND
IMPROVEMENTS.**

**WHEREAS, New Mexico's process for funding certain capital
projects has been criticized by some as lacking a significant
planning and prioritization component; and**

**WHEREAS, it may be possible that more of the state's well-
documented infrastructure needs could be more efficiently met
if the process for selecting projects to be funded was
improved; and**

**WHEREAS, the legislature, as a major participant in the
process of funding capital projects, is in a unique position to
improve the process;**

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico legislative council be requested to appoint a subcommittee to study the process of funding capital projects and recommend improvements to the process prior to the second session of the forty-fifth legislature; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be transmitted to the director of the legislative council service.