

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA BILL SUMMARY

Senate Bill 900 Printer's No. 1201

Prime Sponsor: Senator Boscola Committee: State Government

SYNOPSIS:

Authorizes the transfer of title for certain Project 70 lands owned by Lehigh County to Whitehall Township, Lehigh County.

SUMMARY:

The General Assembly authorizes the transfer of title for certain Project 70 lands owned by Lehigh County to Whitehall Township, Lehigh County. This certain Project 70 lands is more commonly known as the Jordan Creek Parkway. This land shall be transferred with all existing restrictions currently imposed by the Project 70 Land Acquisition and Borrowing Act, and these restrictions shall remain in the deeds of conveyance.

Effective Date: Immediately.

CURRENT LAW:

Section 514(a) of Act 175 of 1929, known as the Administrative Code, requires legislative authorization for the conveyance of, easement of, or right-of-way to Commonwealth land.

PA Senate Rule 12(i) sets forth that all land conveyance bills, before being considered by a standing committee and reported to the Floor of the Senate, are to be subject to a memorandum from DGS, which indicates the present and proposed use of the property; consideration for the transfer, and the appraised value of the property.

BILL HISTORY:

Referred to State Government, September 25, 2017.

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