



2025 South Dakota Legislature

Senate Bill 195

Introduced by: **Senator Deibert**

1 **An Act to make an appropriation for grants to support public transit.**

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 **Section 1.** There is appropriated \$1 from the general fund, to the Department of
4 Transportation, for grants and loans for the future ridership demands of public transit. The
5 Transportation Commission shall make grants or loans pursuant to section 2 of this Act.

6 **Section 2.** The Transportation Commission shall approve the expenditure and disbursement
7 of grants or loans, from the moneys appropriated in section 1 of this Act, to be used for:

8 1) Matching federal moneys;

9 2) The planning, development, and operation of public transit; or

10 3) Construction and maintenance of transit facilities.

11 **Section 3.** The secretary of the Department of Transportation shall approve vouchers and
12 the state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized in this Act.

13 **Section 4.** Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated shall
14 revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.

15 **Section 5.** This Act is effective beginning June 29, 2025.