

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2007**

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**HOUSE BILL 1296\***

Short Title: US 221 Construction Funds for Ashe County. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representative Tarleton.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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April 4, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO DIRECT TWENTY-FOUR MILLION DOLLARS FROM THE  
3 MAINTENANCE FUND IN THE HIGHWAY FUND TO BE USED TO  
4 ADDRESS HIGHWAY SAFETY CONCERNS ON U.S. HIGHWAY 221 IN  
5 ASHE COUNTY AND TO REQUIRE THAT CONSTRUCTION ON SEGMENT  
6 C OF THE HIGHWAY BE THE FIRST SEGMENT CONSTRUCTED.

7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8       **SECTION 1.** From funds in the maintenance fund of the Highway Fund,  
9 twenty-four million dollars (\$24,000,000) shall be used to address highway safety  
10 concerns on U.S. Highway 221 in Ashe County. The Department shall begin  
11 construction on Segment C of the highway before any other portion is constructed.

12       **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.