

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1125

6 By: Crosswhite Hader

7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

8 [ transportation - construction - streets -  
9 structures - municipalities - cost - rules -  
10 effective date ]

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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 69 O.S. 2021, Section 901, is  
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 901. ~~The~~ A. In municipalities with a population of one  
17 hundred thousand (100,000) or less, according to the latest Federal  
18 Decennial Census, the Transportation Commission shall pay the cost  
19 of or perform the act of constructing, improving or maintaining  
20 municipal streets where such streets are a continuation of the state  
21 or federal highway system and the cost of installation, repair and  
22 maintenance of curbs, inlets, inlet grates, inlet hoods, and inlet  
23 structures, signs, and lane marking for municipal streets where such  
24 streets are a continuation of the state or federal highway system,

1 except when performing mill and inlay projects. The Commission  
2 shall not pay the cost of mowing the right-of-way; stormwater  
3 drainage systems and facilities outside the back of curb; ~~or curbs,~~  
4 sidewalks or driveways of any such street. When a municipality  
5 performs construction or maintenance operations within the right-of-  
6 way which affects or involves the removal of the surface, grade or  
7 subgrade of the highway, the municipality shall, at the expense of  
8 the municipality, restore the surface, grade or subgrade of the  
9 highway in accordance with the standards and specifications set  
10 forth by the Department of Transportation. If the municipality  
11 fails to restore the surface, grade or subgrade of the highway in  
12 accordance with the standards and specifications set forth by the  
13 Department of Transportation, the Department of Transportation shall  
14 restore the highway and charge the municipality for all expenses  
15 associated therewith. The Commission may participate in or pay the  
16 cost of lighting and electronic traffic control devices for  
17 municipal streets where such streets are a continuation of the state  
18 or federal highway system.

19 B. When the Department undertakes a project as described in  
20 subsection A of this section, the Department shall bear the full  
21 cost of installing, repairing, replacing, or otherwise maintaining  
22 curbs, inlets, inlet grates, inlet hoods, and inlet structures as  
23 part of the project scope. The Department shall amend all existing  
24 administrative rules that exclude the installation, repair,

1 replacement, or otherwise maintenance of curbs in the scope of such  
2 projects.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

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