HOUSE BILL NO. 4015

January 14, 2025, Introduced by Reps. Slagh, Kunse, DeBoer, Neyer, Roth, Greene, St. Germaine, BeGole, Markkanen, Pavlov, Kelly, McFall, Bollin, Woolford, Steckloff, Breen, Whitsett and McKinney and referred to Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A bill to require the acceptance of cash payment for tolls on infrastructure owned, operated, or managed by this state, the state transportation department, or any other state or local governmental entity.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 1. This act may be cited as the "cash for tolls act".
- 2 Sec. 2. As used in this act:
- 3 (a) "Infrastructure" means a bridge, highway, or tunnel.
- 4 (b) "Person" means an individual or a partnership,
- 5 corporation, limited liability company, association, or other legal
- 6 entity.

- (c) "Public infrastructure" means infrastructure that is
 owned, operated, or managed by this state, the state transportation
 department, or any other state or local governmental entity.
- 4 (d) "Toll" means a charge payable for permission to use a5 particular bridge, highway, or tunnel.
- Sec. 3. (1) If this state, the state transportation
 department, or any other state or local governmental entity charges
 a toll to use public infrastructure, payment for that toll must be
 accepted subject to both of the following:
 - (a) Cash must be accepted as a form of payment.
- (b) Payment must not be required to be made using an
 alternative to cash, including, but not limited to, with a credit
 card or other electronic payment.
- 14 (2) This section applies only to public infrastructure, and15 does not apply to infrastructure that is owned by a private person.

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