GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2001

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HOUSE BILL 587* Committee Substitute Favorable 4/3/01

	Short Title:	Municipal ETJ Roadway Improvements.	(Public)		
	Sponsors:				
	Referred to:				
	March 14, 2001				
1		A BILL TO BE ENTITLED			
2	AN ACT TO ALLOW LARGE CITIES TO MAKE ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS				
3	IN THEIR EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION.				
4	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:				
5	SECTION 1. G.S. 160A-296 reads as rewritten:				
6	"§ 160A-296	. Establishment and control of streets; center and edge	e lines.		
7	(a) A	city shall have general authority and control over a	ll public streets,		
8	sidewalks, al	leys, bridges, and other ways of public passage within its	s corporate limits		
9	except to the extent that authority and control over certain streets and bridges is vested				
10	in the Board	of Transportation. General authority and control includes	but is not limited		
11	to:				
12	(1)	The duty to keep the public streets, sidewalks, alley	s, and bridges in		
13		proper repair;			
14	(2)		and bridges open		
15		for travel and free from unnecessary obstructions;			
16	(3)	• •	_		
17		clean, and otherwise improve existing streets, sidew	•		
18		bridges, and to acquire the necessary land therefor b	y dedication and		
19		acceptance, purchase, or eminent domain;			
20	(4)	*	permanently or		
21		temporarily;			
22	(5)		sidewalks, alleys,		
23		and bridges;			
24	(6)		~		
25		sidewalks, or alleys, or placing therein or thereon			
26		wires, fixtures, or appliances of any kind either on, ab	ove, or below the		
27		surface;			
28	(7)		and bridges of the		
29		city; and			

1	(8)	The power to grant easements in street rights-of-way as permitted by
2		G.S. 160A-273.
3	(a1) A city	with a population of 500,000 or over according to the most recent
4	decennial federa	l census may also exercise the power granted by subdivision (a)(3) of

- he most recent decennial federal census may also exercise the power granted by subdivision (a)(3) of this section within its extraterritorial planning jurisdiction.
 - Repealed by Session Laws 1991, c. 530, s. 6." (b) **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

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