Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

| 1. | Bill | Number | SB721 |
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| House of Origin | Introduced | Substitute | Engrossed |
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| Second House | ☐ In Committee | Substitute | Enrolled |

- **2. Patron** Saslaw, R.
- **3. Committee** Passed Both Houses
- **4. Title** Expands revenue-sharing funds for systems in certain counties, cities, and towns.

5. Summary/Purpose:

This bill repeals the existing transportation revenue sharing program and replaces it with a larger revenue sharing program available to all cities, counties, and towns. It increases the state matching funds to \$1 million and establishes the priority order for the allocation of the matching funds. It establishes the program size at \$50 million in transportation revenues, an increase of \$35 million from the original \$15 million size limit.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are: Final (See Item 8)

6a. Expenditure Impact:

| Fiscal Year | Dollars | Positions | Fund |
|-------------|------------|------------------|------|
| 2006-07 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |
| 2007-08 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |
| 2008-09 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |
| 2009-10 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |
| 2010-11 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |
| 2011-12 | 35,000,000 | 0.0 | NGF |

7. Budget amendment necessary: No

8. Fiscal implications:

This bill authorizes up to \$50 million per year in transportation funding to support the revenue sharing program for localities. The introduced budget from Governor Warner included \$15 million for the original revenue sharing program. Both the Senate and House approved an additional \$35 million for this program (a total of \$50 million) in their proposed budgets during the 2006 session. The full \$50 million in funding is also included in Governor Kaine's introduced budget for the special session.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:

Department of Transportation Localities

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: None

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