## 117TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

## H.R.8122

To amend title 23 and title 49, United States Code, to prohibit funds from certain programs to be used to fund streetcars, and for other purposes.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 16, 2022

Mr. Perry introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "No Desire for Street-
- 5 cars Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON STREETCAR FUNDING.
- 7 (a) Surface Transportation Block Grant Pro-
- 8 GRAM.—Section 133 of title 23, United States Code, is
- 9 amended by adding at the end the following:

- 1 "(1) Prohibition on Streetcar Funding.—Not-
- 2 withstanding any other provision of this section, amounts
- 3 apportioned to a State for each fiscal year to carry out
- 4 this section may not be used for the procurement, oper-
- 5 ation, or maintenance of a streetcar.".
- 6 (b) Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Im-
- 7 PROVEMENT PROGRAM.—Section 149(c) of title 23,
- 8 United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the
- 9 following:
- 10 "(5) STREETCARS.—No funds may be provided
- under this section for a project for streetcars.".
- 12 (c) Urbanized Area Formula Grants.—Section
- 13 5307 of title 49, United States Code, is amended by add-
- 14 ing at the end the following:
- 15 "(i) Prohibition on Streetcar Funding.—Not-
- 16 withstanding any other provision of this section, grant
- 17 funds provided under this section may not be used for the
- 18 procurement, operation, or maintenance of a streetcar.".
- 19 (d) Fixed Guideway Capital Investment
- 20 Grants.—Section 5309 of title 49, United States Code,
- 21 is amended by adding at the end the following:
- 22 "(s) Prohibition on Streetcar Funding.—Not-
- 23 withstanding any other provision of this section, grant

- 1 funds provided under this section may not be used for the
- 2 procurement, operation, or maintenance of a streetcar.".

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