

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

### **Introduced**

### **House Bill 5403**

BY Delegates Sheedy, Toney, Adkins, Willis, and  
Stephens

[Introduced February 1, 2024; Referred  
to the Committee on Finance]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended by adding thereto a new section,  
 2 designated §24A-3-7, relating to placing a \$1.00 charge on Uber, Lyft, and all like services  
 3 per ride, and Uber Eats, Door Dash, and all like services per delivery, with the proceeds to  
 4 be disbursed to the Division of Highways and equally applied to each county's annual  
 5 budget.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 3. CONTRACT CARRIERS BY MOTOR VEHICLE**

**§24A-3-7. Surcharge for contract ride services and delivery services.**

1 (a) For all ride share services, contracted food delivery services, and other like services,  
 2 there shall be a \$1.00 charge per ride for ride sharing and per delivery for contracted delivery  
 3 services.

4 (b) The proceeds from this charge are to be disbursed to the West Virginia Department of  
 5 Highways (WVDOH). The WVDOH shall then equally apply these funds to each county's annual  
 6 budget, and not to supervisory and appointed levels of wages, for the maintenance of public  
 7 roadways within the state.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to place a \$1.00 charge on Uber, Lyft, Uber Eats, Door Dash, and all like services with the proceeds to be disbursed to the WVDOH and equally applied to each county's annual budget.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.