

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 53rd Legislature (2012)

3 HOUSE BILL 2350

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to counties and county officers;
8 allowing county commissioners to institute action to
9 collect for road damages; providing for codification;
10 providing an effective date; and declaring an
11 emergency.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 339.7 of Title 19, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 The board of county commissioners is hereby authorized to
17 institute an action against any individual or entity responsible for
18 damages to county roads under the provisions for civil actions
19 contained in Title 12 of the Oklahoma Statutes. Upon prevailing in
20 a civil action for damage to a county road, the county shall be
21 entitled to an award of attorney fees incurred.

22 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2012.

23 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
24 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby

1 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
2 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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