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The issue of highway funding seems to be at the front the one on the minds of almost everyone at the State Capitol these days. Governor Asa Hutchinson used his weekend radio address to talk about his 300-million-dollar highway funding plan...

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Hutchinson says the average Arkansan who drives 20-thousand-miles-a-year and gets at least 18-miles-per-gallon will pay about two-dollars-and-70-cents more under his plan, but he says that’s more than offset by his tax cut.

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Generating more money for highways should be a bi-partisan issue. That’s the view of Arkansas Democratic Party Chairman Michael Gray. He said in the D-P-A Radio Address this weekend he’s proud of Arkansas’s highway system, but he says the state needs to ensure all 16-thousand miles of road are actually driveable...

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“...IN THE CONVERSATION.”

Gray said working people shouldn’t bear the burden all by themselves of any revenue-generating idea that is adopted. That means avoiding taking money away from schools, hospitals or other critical state services. Governor Asa Hutchinson is proposing a 300-million-dollar funding plan that draws at least 35-million-a-year in new money from casinos.