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This bill broadens the capability of the Metropolitan Council to be able to make loans to counties, cities, and towns to purchase homestead property in anticipation of a trunk highway project. It removes a requirement that the property owner has to be facing certain hardship circumstances.

Loans under this provision are part of the right-of-way acquisition loan fund (RALF) program.