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To amend section 505.46 of the Revised Code to
increase from \$1,000 to \$15,000 the amount a
township can expend on a footbridge across rivers
and streams to access public schools.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 505.46 of the Revised Code be amended
to read as follows:

Sec. 505.46. The board of township trustees may construct,
rebuild, and repair footbridges across rivers and streams when
necessary, to provide convenient means of access to the public
schools of the township by pupils residing in the school district
~~wherein~~ in which a public schoolhouse is located. If a river or
stream coincides with the boundary of two townships, either of the
townships may construct, rebuild, or repair a footbridge across
~~such~~ that river or stream at its own expense and subject to
section 505.47 of the Revised Code. In no case shall the cost of
the construction, rebuilding, or repair of any footbridge exceed

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the sum of ~~one~~ fifteen thousand dollars. 17

Section 2. That existing section 505.46 of the Revised Code 18

is hereby repealed. 19