

A-Engrossed Senate Bill 5541

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Including Senate Amendments dated April 13

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Veterans' Affairs for **certain** biennial expenses.

Limits certain biennial expenditures from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts and Oregon War Veterans' Bond Sinking Account, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by department.

Authorizes specified nonlimited expenditures.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2007.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to financial administration of the Department of Veterans' Affairs; appropriating money; limiting expenditures; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated to the Department of Veterans' Affairs, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, out of the General Fund, the following amounts for payment of expenses for services supplied to veterans:

8	(1) For services provided		
9	by the Department of		
10	Veterans' Affairs	\$	2,374,020
11	(2) For payments to national		
12	service organizations		
13	pursuant to ORS 406.310	\$	132,276
14	(3) For payments to counties		
15	pursuant to ORS 406.310	\$	690,642
16	(4) For payments to counties		
17	pursuant to ORS 406.462:		
18	(a) Baker County	\$	39,124
19	(b) Benton County.....	\$	68,454
20	(c) Clackamas County	\$	259,952
21	(d) Clatsop County	\$	54,744
22	(e) Columbia County	\$	62,786
23	(f) Coos County	\$	82,278
24	(g) Crook County	\$	39,162

Note: For budget, see 2007-2009 Biennial Budget

NOTE: Matter in boldfaced type in an amended section is new; matter [italic and bracketed] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in boldfaced type.

1	(h) Curry County	\$ 48,566
2	(i) Deschutes County	\$ 122,602
3	(j) Douglas County	\$ 118,060
4	(k) Gilliam County	\$ 27,220
5	(L) Grant County	\$ 31,076
6	(m) Harney County	\$ 32,328
7	(n) Hood River County	\$ 35,950
8	(o) Jackson County	\$ 181,460
9	(p) Jefferson County	\$ 38,076
10	(q) Josephine County	\$ 97,192
11	(r) Klamath County.....	\$ 77,454
12	(s) Lake County	\$ 32,052
13	(t) Lane County.....	\$ 254,796
14	(u) Lincoln County.....	\$ 65,722
15	(v) Linn County.....	\$ 102,026
16	(w) Malheur County.....	\$ 44,822
17	(x) Morrow County.....	\$ 32,776
18	(y) Multnomah County.....	\$ 208,442
19	(z) Sherman County.....	\$ 27,510
20	(aa) Tillamook County	\$ 45,728
21	(bb) Umatilla County.....	\$ 71,420
22	(cc) Union County.....	\$ 42,864
23	(dd) Wallowa County.....	\$ 31,510
24	(ee) Wasco County.....	\$ 45,198
25	(ff) Washington County	\$ 276,614
26	(gg) Wheeler County.....	\$ 27,240
27	(hh) Yamhill County	\$ 84,996

28 **SECTION 2.** (1) Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of
 29 \$40,003,966 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, as the maximum limit for
 30 payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts
 31 and the Oregon War Veterans’ Bond Sinking Account, but excluding lottery funds and fed-
 32 eral funds, collected or received by the Department of Veterans’ Affairs for administration,
 33 grants and services supplied to veterans.

34 (2) This section does not limit expenditures from the Oregon War Veterans’ Bond
 35 Sinking Account for purposes described in section 3 of this 2007 Act.

36 **SECTION 3.** For the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, expenditures by the Department
 37 of Veterans’ Affairs for the following purposes are not limited:

- 38 (1) Professional services and related costs associated directly with bond sales;
- 39 (2) Debt service;
- 40 (3) Loans to veterans; and
- 41 (4) Payments on behalf of borrowers for property taxes, city liens, fire insurance,
 42 mortgage cancellation insurance and repairs to and miscellaneous charges for borrower-
 43 owned property that are charged to the loan account and repaid along with the payment of
 44 loan interest and principal.

45 **SECTION 4.** This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public

1 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect**
2 **July 1, 2007.**

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