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SENATE FINANCE AND REVENUE COMMITTEE

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COMPENSATION AND PENSION

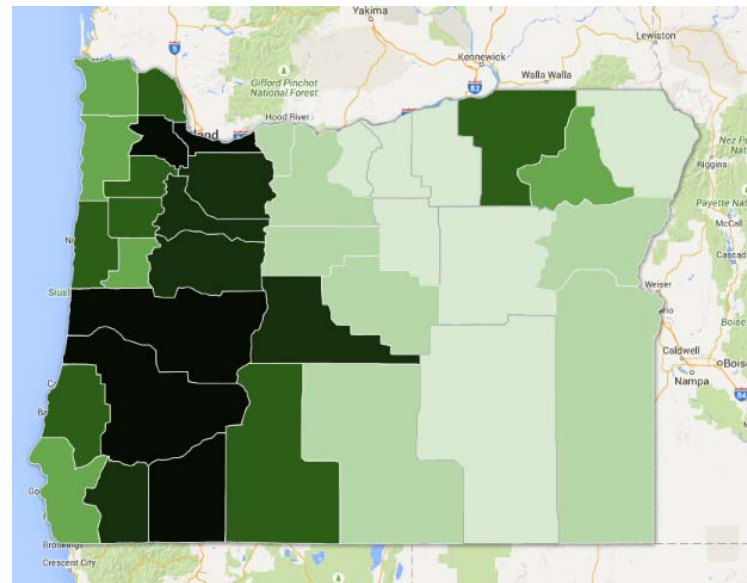


185% INCREASE SINCE 2003 (+\$845 M)

- **\$106 million per month** in Compensation and Pension payments was received by Oregon veterans (2014)
- More than **67,000 veterans** received Compensation and Pension payments (2014)
- **\$19,127 is the annual average** of Compensation and Pension payments received by veterans (2014)

EXAMPLES OF 2014 COUNTY COMPENSATION AND PENSION

Benton	\$16.5 M
Lane	\$140.5 M
Marion	\$87.3 M
Jackson	\$100.3 M
Josephine	\$53.2 M
Polk	\$23.6 M
Washington	\$106.7 M
Seven County Total	\$528.4 M



Source: VA GDX FY14 Summary of Expenditures by State

\$1.3 BILLION = TOTAL 2014 OREGON COMPENSATION AND PENSION

ECONOMIC IMPACT

2014 FEDERAL VETERAN BENEFIT DOLLARS IN OREGON

EDUCATION



349% INCREASE SINCE 2003 (+\$110.4 M)

These dollars flow directly into the state's **community college and university system**, and provide monthly income to veterans while attending school.

HEALTHCARE



155% INCREASE SINCE 2003 (+\$608 M)

Currently **one third of Oregon veterans have access to VA healthcare**. More than \$1 billion was spent in Oregon providing that care in 2014, an increase of nearly 12% over 2013. VA's health care benefit meets mandatory health insurance coverage requirements.

ECONOMIC IMPACT

2014 STATE COMPARISON COMPENSATION AND PENSION

OKLAHOMA

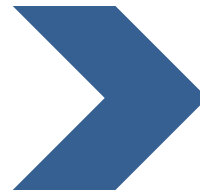


\$1.8
BILLION

OREGON



\$1.3
BILLION



TARGET

VETERAN SERVICES

Serve more veterans and serve them better

MOBILIZE

PARTNERSHIPS

Leverage all resources available to veterans

DRIVE

VETERAN ENGAGEMENT

Amplify awareness of resources
and build the Oregon veterans brand

INVIGORATE

CORE OPERATIONS

Build a better, stronger and more durable department for
future generations through our responsible, resourceful
and creative management