

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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Measure: HB 2266 - B

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Measure Description:

Allows unexpended and unobligated balance in Oregon Hatchery Research Center Fund to remain in the fund until January 2, 2027.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)

Analysis:

HB 2266-B allows any unexpended and unobligated funds to remain in the Oregon Hatchery Research Center Fund until January 2, 2027, at which time funds would be transferred to the Hatchery Construction Fund. Under current law, unexpended and unobligated monies in the Research Fund are to be transferred annually on July 1 to the Hatchery Construction Fund. Monies in the Research Fund are used only for research projects recommended by the Oregon Hatchery Research Center Board. Monies deposited in the Research Fund come from a surcharge on angling licenses and an ad valorem fee imposed on commercial fisheries. Both the surcharge and the ad valorem fee are scheduled to sunset on December 31, 2026.