

**HB 2908 A BUDGET REPORT and MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Carrier:** Sen. Hansell

**Joint Committee On Ways and Means**

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**Action Date:** 06/21/17

**Action:** Do pass the A-Eng bill.

**Senate Vote**

**Yeas:** 12 - DeBoer, Devlin, Frederick, Girod, Hansell, Johnson, Manning Jr, Monroe, Roblan, Steiner Hayward, Thomsen, Winters

**House Vote**

**Yeas:** 11 - Gomberg, Holvey, Huffman, McLane, Nathanson, Rayfield, Smith G, Smith Warner, Stark, Whisnant, Williamson

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**Department of Veterans' Affairs  
2017-19**

**Budget Summary**

	2015-17 Legislatively Approved Budget	2017-19 Current Service Level	2017-19 Committee Recommendation	Committee Change from 2015-17 Leg. Approved	
				\$ Change	% Change
Lottery Funds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 245,509	\$ 245,509	100.0%
Total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 245,509	\$ 245,509	100.0%

**Position Summary**

Authorized Positions	0	0	1	1
Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions	0.00	0.00	0.92	0.92

**Summary of Revenue Changes**

House Bill 2908 provides \$245,509 Lottery Funds expenditure limitation to the Oregon Department of Veterans’ Affairs (ODVA) from the lottery moneys allocated from the Veterans’ Services Fund established under Article XV, section 4f of the Oregon Constitution, to establish a Veteran Volunteer Coordinator position.

**Summary of Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee Action**

This bill establishes the Veteran Volunteer Coordinator position within ODVA. The responsibilities of this position will include: developing and establishing a statewide veterans volunteer program; developing and implementing a training program and training materials for volunteers; managing volunteer recruitment, screening and coordinating volunteer services; creating electronic records to track volunteer activities and veterans served; and educating and coordinating volunteers and community partners in care facilities, veterans’ service officers and the Department of Human Services. ODVA is directed to submit a report, no later than September 15, 2020, to an interim committee of the legislature, on the Veteran Volunteer Coordinator position and the impact the volunteer program has made.

**Veterans’ Services Programs**

The Subcommittee approved \$245,509 Lottery Funds expenditure limitation to ODVA to establish a Program Analyst 2 position (0.92 FTE) to serve as the Veteran Volunteer Coordinator and Services and Supplies costs for the volunteer program.

## DETAIL OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS ACTION

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DESCRIPTION	GENERAL FUND	LOTTERY FUNDS	OTHER FUNDS		FEDERAL FUNDS		TOTAL ALL FUNDS	POS	FTE
			LIMITED	NONLIMITED	LIMITED	NONLIMITED			
<u>SUBCOMMITTEE ADJUSTMENTS</u>									
<b>SCR 002 - Veterans' Services Program</b>									
Personal Services	\$ -	\$ 160,690	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 160,690	1	0.92
Services and Supplies	\$ -	\$ 84,819	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 84,819		
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ -	\$ 245,509	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 245,509	1	0.92
SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION *	\$ -	\$ 245,509	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 245,509	1	0.92

\*Excludes Capital Construction Expenditures