

**A-Engrossed**  
**House Bill 2979**

Ordered by the House April 2  
Including House Amendments dated April 2

Sponsored by Representative MCKEOWN, Senator ROBLAN, Representatives GOMBERG, SMITH DB; Representatives MITCHELL, WITT, Senator HEARD

**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 to Oregon Department of Administrative Services for distribution to Association of Oregon Counties to [*contract*] **obtain and manage contracted services** for provision of technical assistance and information [*to*] **for private landowners** [*for complying*] **to facilitate compliance** with certain requirements related to replacement or repair of tide gates, **with priority given to tide gates** with opening size of four feet or smaller.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2019.

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

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2 Relating to tide gates; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**  
5 **ated to the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, for the biennium beginning July**  
6 **1, 2019, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$250,000 for distribution to the Association**  
7 **of Oregon Counties, for use by the association to obtain and manage contracted services with**  
8 **an independent third-party organization that will provide technical assistance and informa-**  
9 **tion for private landowners to facilitate landowner compliance with local, state and federal**  
10 **regulatory and other requirements that relate to coordinating, planning, designing, moni-**  
11 **toring, providing interagency liaison services for and engaging in the replacement or repair**  
12 **of tide gates, with priority given to the replacement or repair of tide gates with an opening**  
13 **size of four feet or smaller.**

14 **SECTION 2. This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
15 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect**  
16 **July 1, 2019.**

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**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.