HB 2785 A BUDGET REPORT and MEASURE SUMMARY

Joint Committee On Ways and Means

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Department of Agriculture 2021-23

Higher Education Coordinating Commission 2021-23



Budget Summary*	2019-21 Legislatively Approv Budget ⁽¹⁾	ved		1 - 23 ervice Level	2021-23 Committee Recommendation			Committee Change from 2019-21 Leg. Approved			
	<u> </u>						<u> </u>	Change	% Change		
Oregon Department of Agriculture											
General Fund	\$		\$	_	\$	2,000,000	\$	2,000,000	100.0%		
Total	\$	-	\$	-	\$	2,000,000	\$	2,000,000	100.0%		
Higher Education Coordinating Commis General Fund Total	\$ \$ \$	<u>-</u>	\$ \$	<u>-</u>	\$ \$	300,000 300,000	\$ \$	300,000 300,000	100.0%		
Position Summary Oregon Department of Agriculture Authorized Positions Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions		0 0.00		0 0.00		0 0.00		0 0.00			
Higher Education Coordinating Commis Authorized Positions Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions		0 0.00		0 0.00		0 0.00		0 0.00			

⁽¹⁾ Includes adjustments through January 2021

Summary of Revenue Changes

HB 2785 appropriates \$2.0 million General Fund to the Department of Agriculture (ODA) to establish a grant program to fund upgrades to establishments expected to operate under the State Meat Inspection Program. Additionally, \$300,000 General Fund to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) to distribute to Oregon State University for upgrades to facilities and equipment at the Clark Meat Science Center.

Summary of Natural Resources Subcommittee Action

HB 2785 directs ODA to establish a grant program by rule to fund construction and upgrades to establishments that will operate under the State Meat Inspection Program authorized by HB 4206 (2020 1st special session); and expansion of establishments that operate under the

^{*} Excludes Capital Construction expenditures

federal inspection program and will increase processing of meat from animals raised in Oregon. The bill appropriates \$2 million of one-time General Fund to ODA for the grant program. ODA anticipates utilizing existing staff to develop rules for the grants and to administer the program. Administrative costs are estimated to be between \$60,000 and \$100,000, leaving around \$1.9 million available for grant funding. The number of facilities that may apply and that may be funded through this program is indeterminate until the grant rules are established.

The bill also includes a one-time \$300,000 General Fund appropriation to HECC for distribution to Oregon State University (OSU) to fund upgrades to the facilities and equipment at the Clark Meat Science Center that are consistent with inspection requirements.

PRELIMINARY

DETAIL OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS ACTION

Oregon Department of Agriculture, Higher Education Coordinating Commission Renee Klein -- 971-283-1841

DESCRIPTION		LOTTERY FUNDS	OTHER FUNDS			os	FEDERAL FUNDS			TOTAL		
	GENERAL FUND		LIMITED		NONLIMITED		LIMITED	NONLIMITED		ALL FUNDS	POS	FTE
Oregon Department of Agriculture SCR 030 - Food Safety/Consumer Protection Special Payments	\$ 2,000,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$		- \$	- \$	2,000,000		
Higher Education Coordinating Commission SCR 525 - Public University State Programs Special Payments	\$ 300,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$		- \$	- \$	300,000		
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ 2,300,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$		- \$	- \$	2,300,000	0	0.00
SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION	\$ 2,300,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$		- \$	- \$	2,300,000	0	0.00

