

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: HB 2833

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Legislative Fiscal Office*Only Impacts on Original or Engrossed
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Date: March 18, 2021**Measure Description:**

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Human Services for Hunger Task Force to support state's policy on hunger.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Human Services (DHS)

Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Costs related to the measure may require budgetary action - See analysis.

Summary of Expenditure Impact:

	2021-23 Biennium	2023-25 Biennium
General Fund	\$150,000	\$0
Total Funds	\$150,000	\$0
Positions	0	0
FTE	0.00	0.00

Analysis:

HB 2833 appropriates \$150,000 General Fund to the Department of Human Services (DHS) to increase the capacity and equitable impact of the activities of the Hunger Task Force, to support the state's policy on hunger. This measure declares an emergency and takes effect on July 1, 2021.

The Hunger Task Force is a Legislatively mandated task force that includes representatives from state agencies, community advocates, legislators, and subject matter experts who meet to discuss, inform, and develop policy recommendations to address food insecurity and hunger issues in Oregon. Administrative and organizational support for the Task Force is provided by Partners for a Hunger Free Oregon. Funds would be "passed through" the DHS budget to Partners for a Hunger Free Oregon to pay for costs of staffing and administering the Task Force. There are no administrative expenses for DHS to distribute these funds.

The Legislative Fiscal Office notes that this is a one-time appropriation in the 2021-23 biennium, and that any additional funding for future biennia will be addressed through the biennial budgeting process for the agency or by future Legislative action.