

**A-Engrossed**  
**House Bill 2173**

Ordered by the House April 19  
Including House Amendments dated April 19

Sponsored by Representative OWENS; Representatives MORGAN, RESCHKE (at the request of Association of Oregon Counties) (Presession filed.)

**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.

Provides that **counties may authorize Oregon Department of Administrative Services to make deductions from** lottery revenues dedicated to county economic development purposes [*may be transferred to Oregon Department of Administrative Services*] to pay for portion of costs of regional solutions coordinators within Regional Solutions Program.

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

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2 Relating to the use of county lottery distributions for the Regional Solutions Program; amending  
3 ORS 461.547.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 461.547 is amended to read:

6 461.547. (1) The Oregon State Lottery Commission shall transfer an amount equal to 2.5 percent  
7 of the net receipts from video lottery games allocated to the Administrative Services Economic De-  
8 velopment Fund to counties for economic development activities. Ninety percent of the moneys shall  
9 be distributed to each county in proportion to the gross receipts from video lottery games from each  
10 county. Ten percent of the moneys shall be distributed in equal amounts to each county.

11 **(2) Counties may authorize the Oregon Department of Administrative Services to deduct**  
12 **from the distribution under this section up to 50 percent of the funding necessary to support**  
13 **the salaries and benefits of regional solutions coordinators.**

14 [(2)] **(3)** As used in this section:

15 (a) "Gross receipts from video lottery games" means the amount of money inserted into video  
16 lottery games plus the value of any free game prizes used by players for subsequent games.

17 (b) "Net receipts from video lottery games" means the amount of money that is received from  
18 the operation of video lottery games after the payment of prizes but prior to any other payment.

19 (c) **"Regional solutions coordinator" means a regional solutions coordinator within the**  
20 **Regional Solutions Program established under ORS 284.754.**

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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.