HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2883
By COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
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On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 30 and delete pages 2 and 3 and insert:

"SECTION 1. Sections 2 to 4 of this 2021 Act are added to and made a part of ORS chapter 401.

"SECTION 2. (1) The Oregon Public Places Are Safe Places Investment Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund.

"(2) Amounts in the Oregon Public Places Are Safe Places Investment Fund may be invested as provided in ORS 293.701 to 293.857, and interest earned on moneys in the fund must be credited to the fund.

"(3) Amounts credited to the fund are continuously appropriated to the Office of Emergency Management for the implementation of strategies for identifying and developing staging areas for emergency response.

"(4) The fund consists of:

"(a) Amounts appropriated, or otherwise provided, by the Legislative Assembly for deposit in the fund; and

"(b) Gifts, grants or contributions received by the office from any source for deposit in the fund.

"SECTION 3. (1) There is created within the Office of Emergency Management an advisory committee to provide recommendations and advice to the office regarding expenditures from the Oregon Public Places Are Safe Places Investment Fund established under section 2 of this 2021 Act.

"(2) The advisory committee initially consists of 43 members as follows:

"(a) Each individual designated as an agency liaison under ORS 401.054 shall serve as a member of the advisory committee.

"(b) The Governor shall appoint 10 members as follows:

"(A) One member representing local governments in this state;

"(B) One member representing special districts in this state;

"(C) One member representing a local government department or other entity responsible for parks and recreation;

"(D) One member representing the Port of Portland;

"(E) One member representing the interests of Oregonians who are Black, Indigenous or other people of color;

"(F) One member representing Indian tribal interests;

"(G) One member representing the Portland metropolitan area;

"(H) One member representing coastal areas in Oregon;

"(I) One member representing the Willamette Valley; and

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“(J) One member of the public who has experience or interest in disaster response and recovery.

“(3) Appointments under subsection (2)(b) of this section shall be made for a term of four years in a manner to preserve as much as possible the representation of the advisory committee described in this section. Vacancies shall be filled for any unexpired term as soon as the appointing authority can make such appointments.

“(4) The chairperson of the advisory committee may appoint additional members to the advisory committee. Members added under this subsection serve for a term of four years. If a member appointed under this subsection leaves service on the advisory committee for any reason, the chairperson may appoint another person for the unexpired term.

“(5) The advisory committee shall choose its own chairperson and shall meet at the call of the chairperson or the Director of the Office of Emergency Management. The advisory committee shall adopt rules to govern its proceedings and may select officers it considers necessary.

“(6) The Office of Emergency Management shall provide office space and personnel to assist the advisory committee as requested by the chairperson, within the limits of available funds.

“(7) Members of the advisory committee shall receive no compensation for their services. Members of the advisory committee other than members employed in full-time public service shall be reimbursed by the office for their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. Such reimbursements shall be subject to the provisions of ORS 292.210 to 292.288. Members of the advisory committee who are employed in full-time public service may be reimbursed by their employing agency for their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

“SECTION 4. Sections 2 to 4 of this 2021 Act shall be known and may be cited as the Oregon Public Places Resiliency Investment Act.”.