

House Bill 3056

Sponsored by Representative MARSH

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 **as introduced**.

Extends Residential Heat Pump Fund until January 2, 2026.

Appropriates moneys to Oregon Health Authority for air conditioner and air filter deployment program.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to indoor temperature control; creating new provisions; amending sections 21 and 23,
3 chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022; and declaring an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 21, chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022, is amended to read:

6 **Sec. 21.** (1) The Residential Heat Pump Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and
7 distinct from the General Fund. Moneys in the Residential Heat Pump Fund consist of:

8 (a) Amounts donated to the fund;

9 (b) Amounts appropriated or otherwise transferred to the fund by the Legislative Assembly; and

10 (c) Other amounts deposited into the fund from any public or private source.

11 (2) Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the State Department of Energy to be
12 used to provide grants and rebates under sections 19 and 20, **chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022**, [*of*
13 *this 2022 Act*] and to pay the costs and expenses of the department related to the administration and
14 implementation of sections 19 and 20, **chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022** [*of this 2022 Act*].

15 (3) In each calendar year, of the moneys available for issuing grants and rebate from the fund:

16 (a) 25 percent must be reserved for affordable housing providers; and

17 (b) 25 percent must be reserved [*for loans for owners of units occupied by households whose in-*
18 *come is less than 80 percent of the area median income*] **to benefit low or moderate income**
19 **households.**

20 **SECTION 2.** Section 23, chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022, is amended to read:

21 **Sec. 23.** (1) Sections 19 to 21, **chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022**, [*of this 2022 Act*] are repealed
22 on January 2, [2025] **2026**.

23 (2) On the date of the repeal of sections 19 to 21, **chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022**, [*of this 2022*
24 *Act*] under subsection (1) of this section, any moneys in the Residential Heat Pump Fund that are
25 unexpended, unobligated and not subject to any conditions or reservations under section 19 (3)(a),
26 **chapter 86, Oregon Laws 2022**, [*of this 2022 Act*] are transferred to the General Fund.

27 **SECTION 3. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-**
28 **ated to the Oregon Health Authority, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the**
29 **General Fund, the amount of \$1, for the program created under section 7, chapter 86, Oregon**
30 **Laws 2022.**

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.

1 **SECTION 4. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
2 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect**
3 **on its passage.**

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