

**Enrolled**  
**Senate Bill 5801**

Sponsored by Senator WAGNER, Representative FAHEY; Senator HAYDEN

CHAPTER .....

AN ACT

Relating to state financial administration; and declaring an emergency.

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

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the General Fund appropriation made to the Emergency Board by section 1, chapter 605, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, as modified by legislative or Emergency Board action, is decreased by \$107,928,325.

**SECTION 2.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the General Fund appropriation made to the State Forestry Department by section 1 (1), chapter 453, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, for fire protection, is increased by \$82,131,814, for net large fire costs associated with the 2024 fire season.

**SECTION 3.** In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the State Forestry Department, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$109,368,186, for deposit into the State Forestry Department Cash Flow Repayment Fund established under ORS 526.122, for cash flow purposes.

**SECTION 4.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on expenditures established by section 2 (2), chapter 453, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts and including federal funds from the United States Forest Service for fire protection and for research projects, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds not described in section 2, chapter 453, Oregon Laws 2023, collected or received by the State Forestry Department, for fire protection, is increased by \$15,000,000, for 2024 fire season expenditures.

**SECTION 5.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on expenditures established by section 2 (8), chapter 453, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts and including federal funds from the United States Forest Service for fire protection and for research projects, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds not described in section 2, chapter 453, Oregon Laws 2023, collected or received by the State Forestry Department, for the equipment pool, is increased by \$2,000,000, for 2024 fire season expenditures.

**SECTION 6.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$109,368,186 is established for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses by the State Forestry Department from the State Forestry Department Cash Flow Repayment Fund established under ORS 526.122.

**SECTION 7.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the General Fund appropriation made to the Department of the State Fire Marshal by section 1, chapter 224, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, is increased by \$8,390,464, for fire costs.

**SECTION 8.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the General Fund appropriation made to the Department of the State Fire Marshal by section 1, chapter 224, Oregon Laws 2023, for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, is increased by \$18,205,741, for fire costs cash flow.

**SECTION 9.** This 2024 special session Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2024 special session Act takes effect on its passage.

**Passed by Senate December 12, 2024**

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Obadiah Rutledge, Secretary of Senate

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Rob Wagner, President of Senate

**Passed by House December 12, 2024**

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Julie Fahey, Speaker of House

**Received by Governor:**

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**Approved:**

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Tina Kotek, Governor

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LaVonne Griffin-Valade, Secretary of State