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Measure Description:

Eliminates cap on total amount authorized for grant program for installation of generator connectors on fuel sources at cardlock fuel facilities.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Military Department (OMD)

Summary of Fiscal Impact:

No budgetary action is required.

Analysis:

The cardlock fuel program originated in the 2016 Regular Session under SB 1523. The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) has developed a grant program and receives grant applications from owners or operators of cardlock facilities throughout Oregon. To date, \$100,000 has been awarded to cardlock fuel operators. The September 2018 Emergency Board provided an additional \$188,000 General Fund for the program, but the current cap of \$100,000 prevents OEM from awarding it. Passage of this bill prior to June 30, 2019, will allow OEM to award the additional grant funds to cardlock fuel facility owners.