

Requested by Representative EVANS

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 4041**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after “provisions;” delete the rest
2 of the line and lines 3 through 15 and insert “amending ORS 401.062; and
3 declaring an emergency.”.

4 Delete lines 17 through 21 and delete pages 2 through 80.

5 On page 81, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert:

6 “**NOTE:** Sections 1 through 3 were deleted by amendment. Subsequent
7 sections were not renumbered.

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9 **“DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

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11 **“SECTION 4.** ORS 401.062 is amended to read:

12 “401.062. (1) The Office of Emergency Management is under the super-
13 vision and control of a director, who is responsible for the performance of
14 the duties, functions and powers of the office.

15 “(2) [*The Adjutant General, with the approval of*] The Governor[,] shall
16 appoint the Director of the Office of Emergency Management, who holds of-
17 fice at the pleasure of the [*Adjutant General.*] **Governor. The appointment**
18 **of the director is subject to confirmation by the Senate in the manner**
19 **prescribed by ORS 171.562 and 171.565.**

20 “(3) The director shall be paid a salary as provided by law or, if not so
21 provided, as prescribed by [*the Adjutant General, with the approval of*] the

1 Governor.

2 “(4) For purposes of administration, subject to the approval of the [*Ad-*
3 *jutant General*] **Governor**, the director may organize and reorganize the of-
4 fice as the director considers necessary to properly conduct the work of the
5 office.

6 “(5) The director may divide the functions of the office into administra-
7 tive divisions. Subject to the approval of the [*Adjutant General*] **Governor**,
8 the director may appoint an individual to administer each division. The ad-
9 ministrator of each division serves at the pleasure of the director and is not
10 subject to the provisions of ORS chapter 240. Each individual appointed un-
11 der this subsection must be well qualified by technical training and experi-
12 ence in the functions to be performed by the individual.

13 “**NOTE:** Sections 5 through 14 were deleted by amendment. Subsequent
14 sections were not renumbered.

15 “**SECTION 15. The Director of the Office of Emergency Manage-**
16 **ment on the effective date of this 2020 Act shall continue to serve as**
17 **director at the pleasure of the Governor and without the need for**
18 **confirmation by the Senate.**

19 “**NOTE:** Sections 16 through 150 were deleted by amendment. Subsequent
20 sections were not renumbered.”.

21 In line 13, delete “Oregon Department” and insert “Office”.

22 In line 14, delete “Oregon Department” and insert “Office”.

23 In line 15, delete “Department” and insert “office”.

24 Delete lines 36 and 37 and insert:

25 “(3) The council shall advise and make policy recommendations to the
26 State Resilience Officer regarding resiliency at state, regional, local and
27 tribal levels, in alignment with federal emergency support functions.”.

28 On page 82, line 3, delete “Oregon Department” and insert “Office”.

29 In line 28, delete “Oregon Department” and insert “Office”.

30 In line 40, delete “department” and insert “office”.

1 On page 83, delete lines 2 through 31 and insert:

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3 **“EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT RESTRUCTURING TASK FORCE**

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5 **“SECTION 153. (1) The Emergency Management Restructuring Task**
6 **Force is established.**

7 **“(2) The task force consists of 13 members appointed as follows:**

8 **“(a) Two members from the Senate appointed by the President of**
9 **the Senate;**

10 **“(b) Two members from the House of Representatives appointed by**
11 **the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and**

12 **“(c) Nine members appointed by the Governor as follows:**

13 **“(A) One member to represent local governments;**

14 **“(B) One member to represent tribal interests;**

15 **“(C) One member to represent emergency management organiza-**
16 **tions; and**

17 **“(D) Six members who have experience or interest in emergency**
18 **management.**

19 **“(3)(a) The task force shall perform a study of emergency manage-**
20 **ment resources and capabilities available in this state, including re-**
21 **sources and capabilities available within state government, local**
22 **government and the private sector.**

23 **“(b) The task force shall prepare recommendations for a compre-**
24 **hensive restructuring of emergency management systems in this state,**
25 **with the goals of:**

26 **“(A) Maximizing the emergency management abilities of state, local**
27 **and private resources; and**

28 **“(B) Aligning state, local and private emergency management abil-**
29 **ities with federal emergency management priorities.**

30 **“(c) The task force shall study and prepare recommendations re-**

1 **garding mandatory grants of leaves of absence from employment for**
2 **emergency volunteers, similar to the leave granted to firefighters un-**
3 **der ORS 476.574.**

4 **“(d) No later than January 31, 2022, the task force shall submit a**
5 **report on its findings and recommendations, which may include rec-**
6 **ommendations for legislation, to an appropriate standing or interim**
7 **committee of the Legislative Assembly.**

8 **“(4) A majority of the members of the task force constitutes a**
9 **quorum for the transaction of business.**

10 **“(5) Official action by the task force requires the approval of a**
11 **majority of the members of the task force.**

12 **“(6) The task force shall elect one of its members to serve as**
13 **chairperson.**

14 **“(7) If there is a vacancy for any cause, the appointing authority**
15 **shall make an appointment to become immediately effective.**

16 **“(8) The task force shall meet at times and places specified by the**
17 **call of the chairperson or of a majority of the members of the task**
18 **force.**

19 **“(9) The task force may adopt rules necessary for the operation of**
20 **the task force.**

21 **“(10) The Office of Emergency Management shall provide staff sup-**
22 **port to the task force.**

23 **“(11) Members of the task force are not entitled to compensation**
24 **or reimbursement for expenses and serve as volunteers on the task**
25 **force.**

26 **“(12) All agencies of state government, as defined in ORS 174.111,**
27 **are directed to assist the task force in the performance of the duties**
28 **of the task force and, to the extent permitted by laws relating to**
29 **confidentiality, to furnish information and advice the members of the**
30 **task force consider necessary to perform their duties.**

