

Requested by JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 5036**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 5 through 27 and delete page
2 2 and insert:

3 **“SECTION 1. There are appropriated to the Department of**
4 **Veterans’ Affairs, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, out of the**
5 **General Fund, the following amounts, for the following purposes:**

6 (1) For services provided
7 by the Department of
8 Veterans’ Affairs \$ 6,553,602

9 (2) For payments to counties
10 pursuant to ORS 406.462 \$ 1,954,773

11 (3) For payments to veterans’
12 service organizations
13 pursuant to ORS 406.310 \$ 127,920

14 (4) For debt service \$ 371,660

15 **“SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures,**
16 **the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July**
17 **1, 2021, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from lottery**
18 **moneys allocated from the Veterans’ Services Fund established under**
19 **ORS 406.140 to the Department of Veterans’ Affairs, for the following**
20 **purposes:**

21 (1) For services provided

1 by the Department of
 2 Veterans' Affairs \$ 12,496,892
 3 (2) For payments to counties
 4 pursuant to ORS 406.462 \$ 7,474,669
 5 (3) For payments to veterans'
 6 service organizations
 7 pursuant to ORS 406.310 \$ 497,880
 8 (4) For debt service \$ 690,010

9 **“SECTION 3. (1) Notwithstanding any other law limiting expendi-**
 10 **tures, the amount of \$115,372,793 is established for the biennium be-**
 11 **ginning July 1, 2021, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses**
 12 **from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts**
 13 **and the Oregon War Veterans' Bond Sinking Account, but excluding**
 14 **lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Depart-**
 15 **ment of Veterans' Affairs for administration, grants and services**
 16 **supplied to veterans.**

17 **“(2) This section does not limit expenditures from the Oregon War**
 18 **Veterans' Bond Sinking Account for purposes described in section 5**
 19 **of this 2021 Act.**

20 **“SECTION 4. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures,**
 21 **the amount of \$1,617,844 is established for the biennium beginning July**
 22 **1, 2021, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from federal**
 23 **funds collected or received by the Department of Veterans' Affairs.**

24 **“SECTION 5. For the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, expenditures**
 25 **by the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the following purposes are**
 26 **not limited:**

- 27 **“(1) Debt service;**
 28 **“(2) Professional services and related costs associated directly with**
 29 **bond sales;**
 30 **“(3) Loans to veterans; and**

1 **“(4) Payments on behalf of borrowers for property taxes, city liens,**
2 **fire insurance, mortgage cancellation insurance and repairs to and**
3 **miscellaneous charges for borrower-owned property that are charged**
4 **to the loan account and repaid along with the payment of loan interest**
5 **and principal.**

6 **“SECTION 6. This 2021 Act being necessary for the immediate**
7 **preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is**
8 **declared to exist, and this 2021 Act takes effect July 1, 2021.”.**

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