

A-Engrossed
House Bill 2532

Ordered by the House February 6
Including House Amendments dated February 6

Introduced and printed pursuant to House Rule 12.00. Pre-session filed (at the request of House Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources for Oregon Hunters Association)

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.

Appropriates moneys to State Department of Fish and Wildlife **and Higher Education Coordinating Commission**, out of General Fund, for purposes related to chronic wasting disease.
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to state financial administration; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the State Department of Fish and Wildlife, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023,**
5 **out of the General Fund, the amount of \$1,200,000 for increased staffing related to the wildlife**
6 **health lab and sample collection for purposes relating to chronic wasting disease.**

7
8 **SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for the biennium beginning July 1,**
9 **2023, out of the General Fund, the following amounts for distribution to Oregon State Uni-**
10 **versity for the development and implementation of a chronic wasting disease program at the**
11 **Oregon Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory in partnership with the State Department of Fish**
12 **and Wildlife:**

13
14 (1) **\$395,000 for equipment.**

15 (2) **\$575,000 for personnel and supplies.**

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

19

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.